

State of California
CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD
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Official Ruling
of the
Board of Stewards

PACIFIC RACING ASSOCIATION

April 5, 2013

RULING NO.44

Jockey **PEDRO FLORES** is suspended for one year, retroactively from March 7, 2013 through March 6, 2014 and placed on probation for the term of his license (12-31-2014) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1900 (Grounds for Suspension or Revocation) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1489(h) (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License), #1498 (Physical Examination), and #1874(4) (Disorderly Conduct) after submitting a urine sample on March 3, 2013, which showed the presence of the prohibited substances Amphetamine and Methamphetamine (Fourth Offense).

Prior to the reinstatement of his license privileges, Mr. Flores must demonstrate a history of a sober and drug free life style acceptable to the Board of Stewards. Mr. Flores must also sign a one year contract with the Winners Foundation going forward from the date his license privileges are restored. Condition of probation includes the signing of a Testing Agreement with the California Horse Racing Board which will be valid during the term of this, or any subsequent Board license held by Mr. Flores.

Should Mr. Flores fail to abide by the terms of either the contract with the Winners foundation or the Testing Agreement with the California Horse Racing Board he will be summarily suspended and his case referred to the California Horse Racing Board with the recommendation that his license be revoked.

Further, Pacific Racing Association ruling #30, dated March 7, 2013, summarily suspending Mr. Flores pending a hearing before a Board of Stewards is hereby set aside.

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of **PEDRO FLORES** are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

CHRB: 289186/12-14
CASE: 13GG023

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