

**LOS ALAMITOS QUARTER HORSE RACING ASSOCIATION**

**APRIL 4, 2009**

**RULING # 45**

JOCKEY CHRIS RUSSELL WHO RODE "EL GATO GUAPO" IN THE FOURTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON FRIDAY, APRIL 3, 2009, IS SUSPENDED FOUR (4) RACING DAYS (APRIL 11TH, 12TH , 16TH AND 17TH, 2009) FOR FAILURE TO MAKE THE PROPER EFFORT TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE APPROACHING THE FAR TURN, CAUSING INTERFERENCE RESULTING IN THE DISQUALIFICATION OF HIS MOUNT FROM FIRST TO THIRD PLACE. A VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE # 1699 (RIDING RULES – CARELESS RIDING).

THE TERM OF THIS SUSPENSION SHALL NOT PROHIBIT PARTICIPATION IN DESIGNATED RACES IN CALIFORNIA.

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