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CHRB NEWS RELEASE

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CHRB WEEKLY UPDATE

SACRAMENTO, CA – This is the California Horse Racing Board’s weekly update of complaints, accusations, stewards rulings, and Board decisions involving Class 1, 2, and 3 medication violations and other significant matters:

The CHRB filed a complaint against trainer/owner Daniel Franko for violation of CHRB Rules 1843a, b, d, 1887a, and 1859.5 after a horse in his care, Abuse of Power, tested above the regulatory threshold for clenbuterol. Abuse of Power ran fifth in the second race at Golden Gate Fields on April 19, 2006. This is a Class 3 violation. A hearing is scheduled for November 2 at Bay Meadows.

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