

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the **California Horse Racing Board (CHRB/Board)** will be held on **Tuesday, March 23, 2021**, commencing at **9:30 a.m. via teleconference**. The audio portion only of the California Horse Racing Board regular meeting will be available online through a link at the CHRB website (www.chrb.ca.gov) under "Webcasts."

Please be advised, in accordance with Executive Order N-29-20, the CHRB will provide a teleconference option for its upcoming public meeting, to be held on **March 23, 2021 at 9:30 a.m.** Board members and members of the public are strongly encouraged to participate using the teleconference phone number provided below so as to minimize the spread of COVID-19 and reduce the risk of infection during this current state of emergency. No physical location will be provided.

To participate in the teleconference, dial 888-392-4564 and enter 6896291# when prompted. To comment on an agenda item, press *1 during the call to be added to the queue. If you are a member of the public and wish to listen to the meeting and not participate, we request that you please listen to the meeting via the webcast link on our website to avoid congestion and potential technical difficulties.

The agenda for the regular meeting will consist of the following matters:

AGENDA

Action Items:

1. **Approval of the minutes of February 17, 2021.**
2. Reports
 - A. **Executive Director's Report.**
 - B. **Equine Medical Director's Report.**
3. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Request from the California Authority of Racing Fairs (CARF) to Designate the Following 2021 Allocated Race Dates as a Combined Faire Horse Racing Meeting**, pursuant to Business and Professions Code section 19549.1: Alameda County Fair at Pleasanton, June 16, 2021 through July 13, 2021; California Exposition and State Fair, July 14, 2021 through August 3, 2021, Humboldt County Fair at Ferndale, August 18, 2021 through August 31, 2021; and The Big Fresno Fair, October 6, 2021, through October 19, 2021.

4. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Renewal Application for License to Operate a Minisatellite Wagering Facility at the Sahara Dunes Casino dba Lake Elsinore Hotel and Casino** in Lake Elsinore, California.
5. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **proposed amendments to CHRB Rule 1688, Use of Riding Crop**, to regulate the use of the riding crop to protect the safety of the horse and rider.
6. **Public Comment:** Communications, reports, requests for future actions of the Board. **Note:** During the public comment period, a total of thirty minutes will be allowed for public comments via the teleconference line. After thirty minutes, no further comments will be accepted. Each person will be limited to two minutes.
7. **Closed Session:** For the purpose of receiving advice from counsel, considering pending litigation, reaching decisions on administrative licensing and disciplinary hearings, and personnel matters, as authorized by section 11126 of the Government Code.
 - A. The Board may convene a Closed Session to confer with and receive advice from its legal counsel regarding the pending litigation described in the attachment to this agenda captioned "Pending Litigation," and as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e).
 - B. The Board may convene a Closed Session to confer with and receive advice from its legal counsel regarding pending administrative licensing or disciplinary matters as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e).
 - C. The Board may convene a Closed Session for the purposes of considering personnel matters as authorized by Government Code section 11126(a).

Additional information regarding this meeting may be obtained from the CHRB Administrative Office, 1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825; telephone (916) 263-6000; fax (916) 263-6042. This notice is located on the CHRB website at www.chrb.ca.gov. *Information for requesting disability related accommodation for persons with a disability who require aid or services in order to participate in this public meeting, should contact Amanda Drummond. Requests will be swiftly resolved by CHRB staff.

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PENDING ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUDICATIONS MARCH 2021

The Board may convene a Closed Session to confer with and receive advice from its legal counsel regarding the pending administrative licensing or disciplinary matters as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e). This shall include any matters mentioned below and/or permitted by law.

CASE

- A. Proposed Decision of Jockey Appeal
Trainer Jose Valdivia
Case Number: SAC 20-0110**

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PENDING LITIGATION MARCH 2021

COURT LITIGATION

- A. Charles Fipke v. California Horse Racing Board**
Court of Appeal of the State of California, Second Appellate District in Los Angeles
- B. Luster v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento
- C. Zvi Kriple v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of San Diego
- D. Ruis Racing, LLC v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
- E. Hollendorfer v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of San Diego