

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 **Wednesday, September 15, 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 **September 15, 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 August 18, 2021.**
2. Report from the **Medication, Safety, and Welfare Committee**.
Pursuant to Gov. Code § 11125.7(a), public comment will not be permitted on an agenda item when an opportunity has been given at a committee hearing for testimony on the item.
3. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **Allocation of Racing Dates for racing year 2022.**
4. Discussion and action by the Board regarding **an amendment to the application for the Advance Deposit Wagering (ADW) provider XpressBet, LLC**, pursuant to Board Rule 2072(l).

5. Discussion and action by the Board regarding **Fasig-Tipton's request for authorization of its upcoming horse sale at Fairplex in Pomona, California**, pursuant to CHRB Rule 1807, Authorized Horse Sales.
6. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of Los Alamitos Quarter Horse Racing Association**, from its 2020 race meeting, in the amount of \$4,181, to four beneficiaries.
7. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of Los Alamitos Racing Association**, from its 2020 race meeting commitment to California horse racing industry charities in the amount of \$7,000, to four beneficiaries.
8. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of the Los Angeles Turf Club II (T)**, at Santa Anita, commencing September 29, 2021 through November 2, 2021, inclusive.
9. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of the Big Fresno Fair (F), at Fresno**, commencing October 6, 2021 through October 19, 2021, inclusive.
10. Discussion and action by the Board regarding **approval of an agreement, pursuant to CHRB Rule 1581, Racing Secretary to Establish Conditions, between the Pacific Racing Association (PRA) and the Thoroughbred Owners of California (TOC)**, regarding entry conditions and specified drug substances or medications to be implemented, by the PRA at its October 20, 2021 through December 21, 2021 race meeting at the Golden Gate Fields Racetrack.
11. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of the Pacific Racing Association (T), at Golden Gate Fields**, commencing October 20, 2021 through December 21, 2021, inclusive.
12. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of Watch and Wager LLC (H), at Cal Expo**, commencing October 27, 2021 through December 21, 2021, inclusive.
13. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **proposed amendment of CHRB Rule 1652, Prohibited Actions with Respect to Claims**, regarding decreasing permitted claims by stipulating that a licensee cannot deposit more than one claim for a single horse.
14. Reports
 - A. **Executive Director's Report.**
 - B. **Equine Medical Director's Report.**
15. **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.

16. **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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Date of Notice: September 2, 2021

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PENDING ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUDICATIONS SEPTEMBER 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. Trainer Jeffrey Metz
Case No: 20SA0235
Request for Dismissal

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PENDING LITIGATION SEPTEMBER 2021

COURT LITIGATION

- A. Ruis Racing, LLC v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles

- B. Hollendorfer v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of San Diego

- C. Zvi Kriple v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of San Diego