

COMPLAINT

CASE NUMBER:

The CHRB hereby files a complaint against **Ruben Alvarado** for violation of CHRB Rule **1894 and 1502(a)**.

The person named in this complaint holds a license as a **Trainer**, license number **319341 (exp. 01/24)**. The offense alleged occurred on or about **12/23/2021-03/24/2022** and

is as follows:

In late November 2021, Trainer Peter Miller stepped down as a trainer and transferred most of his barn to Trainer Ruben Alvarado. Between 12/23/2021 and 03/24/2022, Peter Miller has engaged in behavior consistent with the duties of a trainer at the San Luis Rey Training Center with horses in the barn of Trainer Ruben Alvarado. This has included entering horses, conducting endoscopy exams, giving instruction to riders, examining horses, assigning jockeys, and creating training charts. Alvarado acknowledged that he is aware Miller has been conducting these duties. In addition, Alvarado did not set up his own stable bank account independent of Miller, which was required per the Steward's direction.

Pursuant to Business and Professions Code Section 19420, 19440, and CHRB Rules, the stewards are empowered to impose penalties for violation of any provision of the CHRB Rules. Such penalties may consist of suspension of any license, fines, and exclusion from all racing enclosures under the jurisdiction of the Board or by any combination of these penalties.

Date : 05/23/2022	Complainant : CHRB
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NOTICE TO APPEAR

To **Ruben Alvarado** you are hereby notified to appear before the Board of Stewards at the below listed location, date, and time.

Location: Los Alamitos	Date: 07/18/2022	Time: 9:00 am
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You are entitled to reasonable notice of the hearing and reasonable time to prepare for the hearing. If you need additional time to prepare for the hearing, you must contact the Board of Stewards within 72 hours of receipt of this notice. All requests for a continuance must be in writing. You should be prepared to justify your request for additional time. Granting or denial of a request for additional time is within the sound discretion of the stewards. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the GOVERNING PROCEDURES FOR HEARING BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS, a copy of which is attached to this Complaint and Notice to Appear.

Investigator Loehr, Shawn L. <small>Digitally signed by Loehr, Shawn L. Date: 2022.05.27 16:33:49 -05'00'</small>	Date
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DISPOSITION OF CASE

The stewards have taken the following action on CASE NUMBER:

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