STATE OF CALIFORNIA
CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD
CHRB 65 (Rev 1-23)

OFFICIAL COMPLAINT

The California Horse Racing Board (CHRB) hereby files an official complaint against Jose De Jesus Martinez Saldivar for violation of CHRB Rule(s) 1485(d); 1489(A)(1); 1874; 1900; 1930.

The person named in this complaint is licensed by the CHRB as a Exercise Rider, under license number 290585 exp. 08/2025. The alleged offense occurred on or about 8/6/2023 and is described as follows:

ER Jose De Jesus Martinez Saldivar has a valid restraining order against him by another CHRB licensee. He is also on criminal probation in San Mateo County for Domestic Violence. As a result of violating the restraining order and his probation, he was arrested by his probation officer and was sentenced to two years in state prison which he is presently serving. ER Saldivar has an extensive negative history with CHRB and the Washington Horse Racing Commission. During a previous CHRB fitness hearing, conditions were placed on his license where he is "not be convicted of any other crime."

Pursuant to California Business and Professions Code Sections 19420 and 19440, as well as the authority outlined in the CHRB Rules, the Board of Stewards are empowered to impose penalties for violations of any provision of a CHRB Rule, or HISA Rule, where authorized. Such penalties may include suspension of any CHRB-issued license, monetary fine, assessment of penalty points, and/or exclusion from any/all racing enclosures under the jurisdiction of the Board, or any combination of the penalties listed above.

Investigator Name: J. Tolman Date of Filing: 1/27/2024 Case Number: 23GG0069

NOTICE TO APPEAR

You are hereby ordered to appear before the Board of Stewards as noted below.

Location: Golden Gate Fields, Berkeley, Ca Date: 2/15/2024 Time: 1030am

You are entitled to reasonable notice of this hearing and reasonable time to prepare for the hearing. If you require 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 continuance must be submitted in writing and fully justify the need for continuance. The granting or denial of a request for continuance rests with the Board of Stewards. The hearing will be conducted in accordance with the attached “Governing Procedures for Hearing Before the Board of Stewards.”

DECLARATION OF SERVICE

☐ In Person ☐ Certified Mail (Tracking #): _____ ☐ Other:_____

Documents Served: ☐ Complaint Packet ☐ Governing Procedures ☐ Other:_____

Served By: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____ ☐10 Day Time Waived

DISPOSITION

The Board of Stewards took the following action on the aforementioned case.

☐ Ruling Issued ☐ Formal Warning ☐ Case Dismissed ☐ Withdrawn

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