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 Dr. Kim Kuhlmann, DVM for violation of CHRB Rule(s) 1842 (5-Counts).

The person named in this complaint is licensed by the CHRB as a Veterinarian, under license number 081351-01/2025. The alleged offense occurred on or about *May 2022 & June 2022 and is described as follows:

Dr. Kim Kuhlmann reported providing treatments when not present at Golden Gate Fields during the following dates and times in May and June of 2022: 1) May 7th, 5:45 a.m. to 7:45 a.m.: 92 treatments/40 horses. 2) May 12th, 6:00 a.m. to 7:35 a.m.: 94 treatments/24 horses. 3) May 21st, 5:45 a.m. to 6:45 a.m.: 121 treatments/50 horses. 4) May 22nd, 5:50 a.m. to 7:00 a.m.: 109 treatments/40 horses. 5) June 5th, 5:55 a.m. to 6:30 a.m.: 20 treatments/19 horses.

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. Smith #27 Date of Filing: 12/22/2023 Case Number: 22GG0139

NOTICE TO APPEAR

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

Location: Golden Gate Fields, Administrative Offices Date: February 28 & 29, 2024 Time: 10:00 a.m. (both days)

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 #): 7020-0640-0001-9773-4592 ☐ Other:

Documents Served: ■ Complaint Packet ■ Governing Procedures ■ Other: Investigation Report File

Served By: (Via USPS certified) CHRB Inv. J. Smith Date: 12/22/2023 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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