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 Louis Neve for violation of CHRB Rule(s) 1876 - Financial Responsibility.

The person named in this complaint is licensed by the CHRB as a Owner, under license number 261659 exp. 02/2026. The alleged offense occurred on or about May 10, 2024 and is described as follows:

Louis Neve is indebted to Dr. Melinda Blue for services rendered for the horse SHES A BIT SASSY which total $3,064.96 from August 25 through October 21, 2023.

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: A. Dillon Date of Filing: August 23, 2024 Case Number: 24DM0036

## NOTICE TO APPEAR

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

Location: Los Alamitos Date: September 19, 2024 Time: 11:00 AM

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 #): 7021 0350 0001 6554 4139 ☐ Other:

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

Served By: A. Dillon Date: August 31, 2024 Time: 2:00 PM ☐ 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☐ Ruling Issued ☐ Formal Warning ☐ Case Dismissed ☐ Withdrawn

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