

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 **Thursday, October 16, 2025**, commencing at **9:30 a.m.** at the **Department of Consumer Affairs Hearing Room #186 at 1747 North Market Blvd. Sacramento, California**. 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."

The agenda for the regular meeting will consist of the following matters:

AGENDA

Action Items:

1. **Approval of the minutes of September 18, 2025.**
2. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of the Del Mar Thoroughbred Club at Del Mar, commencing October 30, 2025, through November 30, 2025, inclusive.**
3. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for License to Conduct a Horse Racing Meeting of the Los Alamitos Racing Association at the Los Alamitos Race Course from December 3, 2025, through December 16, 2025.**
4. **Discussion and action by the board** Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of the Los Alamitos Racing Association from its 2024 race meetings.**
5. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of the Los Alamitos Quarter Horse Racing Association from its 2023-2024 race meeting.**
6. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of the Watch and Wager 2024-2025 race meeting.**
7. Discussion and action by the Board on whether to **elect to collect and remit fees on behalf of the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority for calendar year 2026.**
8. Discussion and action by the Board regarding **entering into a Voluntary Implementation Agreement with the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority, Inc. (HISA) and the Horseracing Integrity and Welfare Unit (HIWU).**
9. Discussion and action by the Board regarding **allocation of racing dates for the racing calendar year 2026.**

10. Discussion by the Board regarding **the future of and challenges facing horse racing in California.**
11. **Reports.**
 - A. **Executive Director's Report.**
 - B. **Equine Medical Director's Report.**
12. **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. After thirty minutes, no further comments will be accepted. Each person will be limited to two minutes.
13. **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).
14. **Adjournment.**

Additional information regarding this meeting may be obtained from the CHRB Administrative Office, 1010 Hurley Way, Suite 300, Sacramento, CA 95825; phone 916-263-6000. 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 information@chrb.ca.gov. Requests will be swiftly resolved by CHRB staff.

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PENDING ADMINISTRATIVE ADJUDICATIONS

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(c) and (e). This shall include any matters mentioned below and/or permitted by law.

CASES

PENDING LITIGATION

COURT LITIGATION

- A. Jamgotchian v. Lewis et al.**
Superior Court of California, County of Alameda

- B. Ann Carlson v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of Sacramento