

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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REGULAR MEETING

of the **California Horse Racing Board (CHRB Board)** will be held on **Wednesday, March 11, 2026**, commencing at **9:30 a.m.** at the **CCAP Hearing Room #330 at 400 R Street 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 January 14, 2026.**
2. **Consent Calendar Items:** *Consent items are expected to be routine and non-controversial. It is recommended that the Board adopt these items without discussion. If any interested party, member of the Board, or staff member requests that an item be removed from the Consent Calendar, it will be considered separately.*

Action Items:

- Approval by the Board regarding the following **renewal applications for licenses to operate simulcast wagering facilities for a period of five years: Los Alamitos Race Course in Los Alamitos, CA; Los Angeles Turf Club in Arcadia, CA; and Los Angeles Turf Club II in Arcadia, CA.**
3. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for license to operate a minisatellite wagering facility of Sahara Dunes Casino, LLP dba Lake Elsinore Casino, in Lake Elsinore, CA**, for a period of five years.
 4. Discussion and action by the Board on the **Application for license to operate a minisatellite wagering facility of 357 Arden, LLC dba The Derby Room at Glen Arden Club, in Glendale, CA**, for a period of five years.
 5. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **distribution of race day charity proceeds of the Los Angeles Turf Club II from its 2025 race meeting.**
 6. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **proposed amendments of Board Rule 1481, Occupational Licenses and Fees; Rule 1483, Application for License; Rule 1486, Term of License; and Rule 1487 Address of Licensees.**
 7. Discussion and action by the board regarding **comments received during the comment period for proposed amendments to CHRB rules 1588 and 1878 maximum age a horse may race or workout, respectively.**
 8. Discussion and action by the Board regarding the **proposed amendment of CHRB Rule 1843.2, Classification of Drug Substances, to update the Alphabetical Substances List to align with the Association of Racing Commissioners International (ARCI) Uniform Classification for Foreign Substances.**

9. **Reports:**
 - A. **Executive Director's Report.**
 - B. **Equine Medical Director's Report.**
10. **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.
11. **Closed Session:** For the purpose of receiving advice from counsel, considering pending litigation, reaching decisions on administrative licensing, 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 purpose of considering personnel matters as authorized by Government Code section 11126(a).
12. **Adjournment.**

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**MARCH 2026****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

- A. **Proposed Decision Re: Appeal of the Board of Stewards' Official LAQHRA Ruling No. 32, Monty Arrossa**
Case Number: SAC 25-010

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
- C. **Lorenzo Ruiz v. California Horse Racing Board**
Superior Court of California, County of Los Angeles
- D. **C2 Racing Stable LLC and Gary Barber, Owners**
RE: Scratch of White Abarrio from the Breeders' Cup Classic Potential Litigation