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Postmortem Examination Review Summary #2026J01

Horse Information: Three-year-old Thoroughbred.

Incident Summary: The horse sustained an injury to the right front leg during a morning breeze. Radiographs confirmed a right front displaced humeral fracture, and the horse was humanely euthanized.

Necropsy Summary: A necropsy examination revealed a right humeral fracture associated with a periosteal callus, supporting the theory of stress remodeling as the primary cause of the fracture.

Racing/Training History: The horse had two lifetime starts.

Veterinary History Summary: The horse had bilateral carpal surgery in August 2025.

Pre-race Examinations: Pre-race examinations had noted slight joint capsule hypertrophy of the front fetlocks.

Conclusion: This horse suffered a right shoulder injury while breezing and was humanely euthanized.