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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS  
LOS ALAMITOS QUARTER HORSE RACING ASSOCIATION****TO THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**

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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week of October 10, 2022, through October 16, 2022.

**Tuesday**

10/11/2022

**(1) MONTY ARROSSA (CASE #22LA0171)**

Trainer Monty Arrossa appeared before the Board of Stewards in response to a complaint filed against him by Official Veterinarian Gary Beck, DVM, who reported that Mr. Arrossa failed to submit CHRB form -194 prior to entries on August 25, 2022, for the horse "All Pointz Bulletin" to race on Lasix on August 27, 2022.

Mr. Arrossa acknowledged that he did not deliver the form to the receiving barn, instead leaving it at the racing office prior to entries, Racing Secretary Scott Craigmyle confirmed that the form was dropped off at the office in a timely manner but was not delivered to the receiving barn until the next morning. After considering all testimony given in a unanimous decision, Mr. Arrossa was issued an official warning.

**(2) FINANCIAL COMPLAINT (CASE #22LA0183)**

The financial complaint filed against owner Jeff Ray by trainer Luke Lindsey for past due training fees has been dismissed. Mr. Ray was available by telephone at the scheduled time of the hearing while complainant Lindsey failed to show for the hearing to present his case.

**Wednesday**

10/12/2022

**(1) DUTY STEWARD**

Ron Church will be on duty this week attending to morning office matters and recording the minutes for this reporting period.

**(2) ENTRIES AND DRAW**

Today's entries were taken for Saturday, October 15, 2022, and completed by 3:00 p.m. The ten race program consists of six Quarter Horse, one Thoroughbred, and three mixed Quarter Horse/Thoroughbred races.

**Thursday**  
10/13/2022

(1) **SCRATCHES AND CHANGES**

Scratch time for Saturday's program was completed at 9:00 a.m. consisting of one scratch from the first race.

(2) **ENTRY PANEL**

The entry panel met this morning to discuss Saturday's program. After review of all entries, there was one panel scratch from the fourth race, #3 Midnight Somewhere (vet history).

(3) **ENTRIES AND DRAW**

Today's entries were taken for Sunday, October 16, 2022, and completed by 3:00 p.m. The ten race program consists of six Quarter Horse, 2 Thoroughbred, and two mixed Quarter Horse/ Thoroughbred races.

**Friday**  
10/14/2022

(1) **SCRATCHES AND CHANGES**

Scratch time for Sunday's program was completed at 9:00 a.m. without any changes or declarations.

(2) **ENTRY PANEL**

The entry panel met this morning to discuss Sunday's program. After review of all entries, there were no recommended panel scratches.

**Saturday**  
10/15/2022

(1) **RULING #131**

After reviewing the sixth race, Jockey Juan Leon agreed with the Stewards that he violated the crop rule as stated in the following ruling.

**Ruling # 131**

JOCKEY JUAN PABLO LEON IS FINED SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$750.00)\* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1688 (b)(8) (USE OF RIDING CROP – MORE THAN SIX TIMES DURING THE RUNNING OF THE RACE) WHILE RIDING SLAM A CORONA IN THE SIXTH RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON OCTOBER 9, 2022.

(2) **JOCKEYS EXCUSED**

Jockeys Javier Matias and Ramon Sanchez were excused from their mounts for various reasons; replacements riders were named.

(3) **OFFICIAL CHANGE**

Starter Gary Brinson is off tonight for personal reasons. Longtime head assistant starter, Shane Craigmyle, will take control of the starter's duties for tonight's ten race program.

(4) **THIRD RACE DELAY (LIGHTNING)**

While the horses were on the racetrack for the post parade warm up, Track Superintendent Rick Hughes informed the Stewards that there was lightning activity within an eight-mile radius of the racetrack. The Stewards informed outrider Keith Craigmyle to return the horses to the saddling paddock immediately and have all participants seek shelter. The race was delayed for 30 minutes in accordance with lightning protocol and the all clear given to resume racing.

(5) **FIFTH RACE DELAY (LIGHTNING)**

Once again, while the horses were warming up for the fifth race, the Stewards were alerted of lightning strikes within an eight mile radius of the racetrack. Outrider Craigmyle was notified to bring the horses back to the saddling paddock and wait out the thirty minute delay and the all clear to resume racing.

(6) **DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> Race #1 Project Logic – Jockey Javier Matias replaced by Erick Lopez

- 2<sup>nd</sup> Race #1 Aria Aperta (Tr. B. Cunningham) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund: \$171.00
- #2 Mi Amare (Tr. M. Valenzuela Jr.) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund: \$32.05
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race No Changes
- 4<sup>th</sup> Race #3 Midnight Somewhere (Tr. L. Ruiz) – Panel Scratch. Refund: \$127.05
- #4 Capture The Sea (Tr. M. Fales) – Unsound – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund: \$122.00
- 5<sup>th</sup> Race #1 Eternal Place – Jockey Ramon Sanchez replaced by Alberto Zepeda
- #6 Chit Chat (Tr. S. Willoughby) – Claimed by Tr. V. Zamudio
- 6<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 7<sup>th</sup> Race #3 Tainted Love (Tr. J. Mendez) – Entered Back – Stewards. Refund: \$286.45
- 8<sup>th</sup> Race #4 KR Rocket Man- Jockey Ramon Sanchez replaced by Jesus Ayala
- 9<sup>th</sup> Race #3 Mr. Perry Dynasty (Tr. J. Flores) – Stewards. Refund: \$211.33
- 10<sup>th</sup> Race #1 All Ways Jockey Ramon Sanchez replaced by Adrian Loza
- #5 Candy Dice (Tr. H. Taylor) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund: \$256.55

**(7) ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	608	\$96,353.60
Off track	1,179	\$299,389.60
Out of state	N/A	\$950,427.92
Total	1,787	\$1,346,171.12

**Sunday**  
10/16/2022

(1) **SMOOTH CARD**

The ten races on the program progressed smoothly without any noteworthy incidents to report.

(2) **DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Race No Changes
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Race No Changes
- 4<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 5<sup>th</sup> Race #3 Flash Of Sass (Tr. J. Flores) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald. Refund: \$442.20
- 6<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 7<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 8<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 9<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes
- 10<sup>th</sup> Race No Changes

(3) **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	574	\$94,381.00
Off track	1,061	\$240,489.10
Out of state	N/A	\$1,230,390.11
Total	1,635	\$1,565,260.211

**TRACK SAFETY REPORT**

The weekly inspection was conducted on October 16, 2022. There were no equine deaths to report this week. During this reporting period, 6 horses were added to the Veterinarian's List as follows: 1 for soundness, 2 for injury, 2 for sickness, and 1 for EIPH. Three horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list. This report was submitted by Steward Ron Church.

**SUMMARY**

	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat 10/15	Sun 10/16	Week	Meet
<b>Accidents</b>	D			0	0	0	5
<b>Cal-Bred Races</b>	A			0	0	0	16
<b>Claims</b>	R			1	0	1	155
<b>Disqualifications</b>	K			0	0	0	19
<b>Inquiries</b>		D		0	0	0	44
<b>Refunds</b>		A		7	1	8	367
<b>Rulings</b>		Y		1	0	1	131
<b>Voided Claims</b>		S		0	0	0	27

Stewards' Attendance: Stewards Ron Church, Tom Ward, James Dreyer, and Safety Steward Paul Atkinson were in attendance during this reporting period.

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Ron Church, Steward

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Tom Ward, Steward

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James Dreyer, Steward

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Paul Atkinson, Safety Steward