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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS  
LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE  
Cypress, California  
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**Report for the Week of Wednesday, September 4 through Sunday, September 8, 2024.**

**WEDNESDAY**

9/04/24<sup>1</sup>

**ENTRIES**

James Dreyer will have morning responsibilities and record the minutes during this reporting period.

9/04/24<sup>2</sup>

**CAL BRED REPORT**

The first race in the book, maidens two years old, was divided. Both ends went open. Three Cal-Breds.

9/04/24<sup>3</sup>

**THE DRAW**

Saturday evening will feature the \$193,400 Golden State Derby.

**THURSDAY**

9/05/24<sup>1</sup>

**SCRATCHES**

One declaration and one equipment change completed Saturday's program changes.

9/05/24<sup>2</sup>

**CAL BRED REPORT**

The first race in the book, maidens two years old, was used open, zero Cal-Breds.

9/05/24<sup>3</sup>

**THE DRAW**

Entries were a little sparse for Sunday with a mere fifty-seven horses electing to stay up for the evening program.

**FRIDAY**

9/06/24<sup>1</sup>

**SCRATCHES**

Scratch time for Sunday's program resulted in two rider changes.

**SATURDAY**9/07/24<sup>1</sup>**RULING #131****Ruling #131 (Refer 8/31/24 - #4 and 9/1/24 - #3)**

Naughty Niko, the Third-place finisher in the Third race at Los Alamitos Race Course on August 31, 2024 is disqualified and placed last pursuant to California Horse Racing Board Rule #1743 (7) (Thoroughbred and Appaloosa Horses Competing in Quarter Horse Races).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Naughty Niko ran in a Quarter Horse race with a seven-pound apprentice allowance.

9/07/24<sup>2</sup>**GOOD EVENING**

It was a problem free evening and BP Cartel Policy's daylight win in the Golden State Derby was very impressive.

9/07/24<sup>3</sup>**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

7<sup>th</sup> Race #3 Suzy De Capi (Tr. Willis) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald – Refund: \$180.45

8<sup>th</sup> Race #7 Think Again Kev (Tr. Taylor) – Broke through gate and ran off – Stewards – Refund: \$5,920.97

9/07/24<sup>4</sup>**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

<b>ON TRACK</b>	772	\$84,808.00
<b>SCOTWINC</b>	1,067	\$260,711.40
<b>OUT OF STATE + ADW</b>	N/A	\$785,166.31
<b>TOTAL</b>	1,839	\$1,130,685.71

**SUNDAY**9/08/24<sup>1</sup>**STEWARDS' INQUIRY AND DISQUALIFICATION**

The Stewards posted the inquiry following the sixth race to review the start. #2 Royal Eye Special (2<sup>nd</sup> G. Lara) broke and immediately bolted out pushing #3 Specialmiraclerunner (3<sup>rd</sup> O. Peinado) into #4 Luffytaro (5<sup>th</sup> R. Ramirez) and #5 Pepebarbaro (4<sup>th</sup> C. Mendez) taking all of them out of the race. After examining the incident and speaking to the riders the decision was unanimous to disqualify #2 Royal Eye Special.

Original Order 1-(2)-3-5-4

Official Order 1-3-5-4-(2)

9/08/24<sup>2</sup>**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

1<sup>st</sup> Race #1 Des Doigts (Tr. DeLeon) – Sick – Dr. Fitzgerald – Refund: \$263.40

#6 Winning Big (Tr. A. Flores) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald – Refund: \$131.59

2<sup>nd</sup> Race #1 Conquest Celsius (Tr. Aquino) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald – Refund: \$3,200.66

8<sup>th</sup> Race #2 Freedom Fyrst (Tr. Willis) – Injured – Dr. Fitzgerald – Refund: \$437.49

9/08/24<sup>3</sup>**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

<b>ON TRACK</b>	573	\$55,131.40
<b>SCOTWINC</b>	825	\$157,869.30
<b>OUT OF STATE + ADW</b>	N/A	\$636,196.92
<b>TOTAL</b>	1,398	\$849,197.62

**SUMMARY**

	<b>Fri 9/06</b>	<b>Sat 9/07</b>	<b>Sun 9/08</b>	<b>Week</b>	<b>Meet</b>
<b>Accidents</b>	D	0	0	0	2
<b>Cal-Bred Races</b>	A	0	0	0	15
<b>Claims</b>	R	0	1	1	89
<b>Disqualifications</b>	K	0	1	1	20
<b>Inquiries</b>	D	0	1	1	39
<b>Refunds</b>	A	2	4	6	218
<b>Rulings</b>	Y	1	0	1	131
<b>Voided Claims</b>		0	0	0	33

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James Dreyer, Steward

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Ron Church, Steward

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Tom Ward, Steward

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