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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF STEWARDS
DEL MAR THOROUGHBRED CLUB**

To the California Horse Racing Board

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For the period: Tuesday, July 16, 2013, through, Wednesday, September 4, 2013.

GENERAL DATA:

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Dates: Wednesday July 17, 2013 through Wednesday September 4, 2013.
37 racing days. Total number of days or nights racing per week: 5,
Wednesday through Sunday

Races: Eight races weekdays, ten races on Saturday, and nine races on Sunday
unless otherwise designated.

Post time: 2:00 p.m. with the exception of Fridays, when first post will be 4:00 p.m.
Pacific Classic, August 25, 2013 post time 1:00 p.m.

Scratch time: Regular scratch time will be at 10:00 a.m. the previous racing day, unless
otherwise noted. The deadline for scratches for stakes races, with the
exception of overnight stakes races will be prior to the 3rd race or 2 hours
before post time, whichever is longer.

Wagering: Minimum \$2 win, place and show wagering on every race; \$2 Rolling Doubles; \$1 Rolling Pick Threes; \$1 Exactas on all races; \$1 Trifectas; \$1 and 10 cent Superfectas on all qualifying races; \$1 Pick Four on final four races; \$1 Pick Five on final five races; \$2 Pick Six (with carryover) on final six races, and \$1 Place Pick All (no carryover) beginning with first race.

Auxiliary stables: BETFAIR Hollywood Park

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WEEK 1-Tuesday, July 16, 2013-Sunday, July 21, 2013

TUESDAY
07/16/13¹

PRE-MEET-MEETING

This afternoon, as has become the traditional practice, Del Mar hosted a pre-meet meeting the day before opening day. In attendance were: Tom Robbins (Exec. VP Racing DMTC), Josh Rubinstein (Exec. VP, Chief Operating Officer) Joe Morris (TOC), Rick Arthur (Equine Medical Director CHRB), Darrell Haire (Jockeys' Guild), this Board of Stewards, Kim Jacobson (Risk Management DMTC), Luis Jauregui (Safety Steward), Joe Harper (CEO, Pres., GM DMTC), Dr. Dana Stead (Racing Veterinarian), Dr. Tim Grande (Official Veterinarian), Pat Kerins (Director of Security), Lucy Vaillancourt (Stewards' Aid), Alan Balsch (CTT), Bill Westerman (Chief Investigator), Rick Amieva (Supervising Investigator), and Cliff Sise (Paddock Coordinator). CHRB Chairman David Israel attended the latter part of the meeting.

Procedures were discussed and everyone felt appropriate measures have been implemented to run a successful meet. The opening day measures that pertain to crowd control in the paddock were discussed. Paddock Passes will be available to those who qualify to attend the saddling of their horses. Cliff Sise will be in charge of the Paddock occupancy. Of course Del Mar Security will be increased for opening day.

A second Del Mar Paddock sale will occur on Sunday, July 21, 2013, after the last race. There are approximately thirty horses listed to be on the selling block.

WEDNESDAY

07/17/13¹

OPENING DAY

Today is opening day of Del Mar's 76th summer meeting. It will consist of thirty-seven days of racing.

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JOCKEY MEETING

The traditional meeting with the jockeys was held one hour prior to post time. In attendance with the BOS and the jockeys were Jockeys' Guild Representative Darrell Haire, Joe Harper, CHRB Chairman David Israel, Starter Gary Brinson, Investigators' Bill Westermann and Rick Amieva. Also Dr. Dana Stead, Dr. Tim Grande and Kim Jacobson were present for questions and answers. Normal procedures and concerns were discussed. Everyone was welcomed and wished a successful and safe meet.

07/17/13³

VOIDED CLAIMES

In yesterday's seventh race, eight-horse field, seven of the eight horses were claimed. Ironically the winner of the race was not claimed. Three claims were voided after they were placed on the Veterinarian's List. They were #2 Sir Allison (Tr. B. Baffert), #6 Royal Meridian (Tr. M. Puype) and #8 Legal Separation (Tr. J. Sadler).

07/17/13⁴

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES and REFUNDS

1st race- #2 Husband's Folly (Tr. V. Belvoir) claimed by Tr. J. Carava

#4 Go to the Pulpit (Tr. M. Glatt) claimed by Tr. R. Becerra

#8 Sir Bell (Tr. T. Blincoe) ambulance removed (1 mile poly)

Refund \$140.40

2nd race- #2 This One's for Mel (Tr. P. Miller) E. Maldonado replaced G. Gomez (no show)

3rd race- #1 Anita Marie (Tr. F. Lucarelli) claimed by Tr. S. Knapp

#3 Spring Gal (Tr. R. Becerra) claimed by Tr. B. Koriner

#4 Wink and Wish (Tr. B. Spawr) claimed by Tr. P. Gallagher

Refund \$51.00

4th race- #2 Huntsville (Tr. B. Abrams) E. Maldonado replaced G. Gomez (no show) Refund \$60.00

5th race- No Changes Refund \$781.84

6th race- #3 Examen (Tr. T. Proctor) C. Nakatani replaced G. Gomez (no show)

Refund \$557.90

7th race- #1 Magic Beam (Tr. B. Spawr) claimed by Tr. K. Mulhall

#2 Sir Allison (Tr. B. Baffert) CLAIM VOIDED

#3 Guidopanzini (Tr. J. Carava) claimed by Tr. V. Farris

#5 Peacenic (Tr. C. Autery) claimed by Tr. M. Mitchell

#6 Royal Meridian (Tr. M. Puype) CLAIM VOIDED

#7 Chasing the Heat (Tr. I. Hajek) claimed by Tr. G. Piccioni

#8 Legal Separation (Tr. J. Sadler) CLAIM VOIDED

Refund \$468.92

8th race- #9 E K Ruler (Tr. G. Papaprodromou) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande

#10 Senor Snickers (Tr. B. Abrams) Steward-unruly at gate

Refund \$57,345.29

9th race- #8 Olympic Blue (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) A. Delgadillo replaced G. Gomez. (no show)

Refund \$219.40

10th race- #11 Blue Cherokee (Tr. D. O'Neill) Veterinarian-unsound-Dr. Stead
#12 Spring Up E. Maldonado replaced R. Bejarano (2nd call)
Refund \$1,439.06

07/17/13⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	43,030	4,395,595
Off Track	5,632	1,698,872
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	N/A	N/A
Out –of-State	N/A	6,824,348
Total	48,662	12,918,815

THURSDAY

07/18/13¹

O'HARA HEARING CASE #13HP062

The CHRB filed a financial complaint, rule 1876 (Financial Responsibility) against Owner/Trainer John O'Hara for a debt owed to the veterinarian practice of von Bluecher, Blea Hankin Inc. in the amount of \$2,142.25. Mr. O'hara brought a check for the full amount and the complaint was sent back as "paid in full."

07/18/13²

MIYADI HEARING CASE #13HP060

The CHRB filed a complaint against trainer Steven Miyadi for a possible violation of CHRB rule 1853 (Examination Required) and 1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration). In the eighth race on June 29, 2013, the Horseshoe Inspector noticed the entry "Golden Mexico", trained by Mr. Miyadi, did not have hind shoes on. In compliance with rule 1853 this declaration must be made at time of entry; this was not done and therefore the horse was scratched.

RULING #001

Trainer **Steven Miyadi**, pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1629 (Penalty for Late Declaration) is fined **FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$400.00)*** for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule # 1853 (b) ((Examination Required-failure to report no hind shoes at time of entry), which resulted in the late declaration of "Golden Mexico" from the eighth race at Hollywood Park on July 14, 2013.

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FILM REVIEW

Jockey Edwin Maldonado, as directed, met with the Stewards to review the second race yesterday. Mr. Maldonado's mount ducked out near the chute (1 mile turf) approaching the finish. After a review of the video it was apparent that a photographer was located in an inappropriate position and this could have been the reason the horse ducked. Mr. Maldonado was not held responsible. Efforts are being made to sort out this situation and make sure it does not happen again.

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GOOD RACING

The eight race card was completed without notable mishaps; any changes made are listed below.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES and REFUNDS

1st race- #1 Bares Tripper (Tr. P. Miller) J. Talamo replaced G. Gomez
(no show)

#6 Tiz Molly (Tr. E. Kruljac) ambulance removed post race
Refund \$0

2nd race- #1 She's All Yours (Tr. W.E. Morey) claimed by Tr. J. Hollendorfer
#2 Ebony N Ice (Tr. J. Bonde) claimed by Tr. B. Troeger
#5 Frequent Fame (Tr. P. Miller) J. Talamo replaced G. Gomez (no show)
#8 Halfapondarosa (Tr. P. Eurton) claimed by Tr. M. Pender
#10 Igotnosixes (Tr. A. Marquez) claimed by Tr. H. Sanchez
Refund \$34.00

3rd race- #10 Hall of Famer Amy (Tr. D. Warren) DNF (poly) ambulance removed-euthanized
#12 Howdoyoufindthered (Tr. E.G. Harty) ambulance removed post race (poly)
Refund \$108.00

4th race- #1 Joyce and Me (Tr. C. Autery) claimed by Tr. J. Hollendorfer
#4 J and S Express (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. V. Belvoir
#7 Samurai Jess (Tr. D. O'Neill) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
Refund \$836.25

5th race- No Changes
Refund \$170.00

6th race- #10 Blairsden Grey (Tr. S. Miyadi) Steward-racing office error
Refund \$1,275.60

7th race- #2 Magical Band (Tr. Hector Palma)
Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Stead
#4 Reneesgotaip (Tr. P. Miller) E. Maldonado replaced G. Gomez (no show)
Refund \$1,560.40

8th race- #7 So Elite (Tr. N. Drysdale) M. Gutierrez replaced G. Gomez
Refund \$1,991.32

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DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	8,843	1,577,338
Off Track	4,961	1,333,854
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	N/A	N/A
Out -of-State	N/A	4,925,710
Total	13,804	7,836,902

FRIDAY

07/19/13¹

ROUTINE PROCEDURES

The hours in the Stewards office were conducted under normal procedures.

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VOIDED CLAIM

In the second race yesterday, #4 Luz Atticus (Tr. M. Mitchell) was placed on the Veterinarian's List by Dr. Grande after the race. The claim for this horse was voided.

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INQUIRY SEVENTH RACE NO CHANGE (5 ½ Poly)

Following the running of the race the inquiry sign was posted to review the start. Involved were #4 Eddies Curl (C. Nakatani 2nd), #3 Evening

News (M. Pedroza 7th) and #2 Pay the Debt (J. Carreno 6th). At the break #4 ducked in sharply into the path of #3. #3 stumbled and missed the break, then took up when #4 took its path. Although the #4 horse did bump #2, it was unanimous this incident was minor and did not rise to the level of a disqualification. In a majority vote (Ward dissent) the original order of finish was made official. The majority felt that the combination of where the incident occurred (at the start), #3 compromising herself by stumbling at the break before contact and the fact that she failed to gain any ground on the field finishing last, did not warrant a disqualification. The minority felt that the severity of the of the incident was sufficient to cost Evening News a placing.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES and REFUNDS

- 1st race- #4 Toomanytomatoes (Tr. C. Autrey) claimed by Tr. M. Mitchell
 #6 Ms Pianst (Tr. C. O’Callaghan) claimed by Tr. M. Harrington
 #7 Camelia Rose (FR) (Tr. S. Callaghan)
 Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Stead
 Refund \$3,749.30
- 2nd race- #2 Manewal (Tr. C. Autery) claimed by Tr. J. Sadler
 #4 Luz Atticus (Tr. M. Mitchell) CLAIM VOIDED
 #6 Space Runner (Tr. V. Belvoir) claimed by Tr. ???
 Refund \$358.00
- 3rd race- No Changes Refund \$2,866.40
- 4th race- #3 Backintheacademy (Tr. F. Souza)
 Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
 #6 Hard Buns (Tr. T. Yakteen) claimed by Tr. V. Belvoir
 Refund \$3,995.70
- 5th race- #4 Ritual Hills (Tr. E. Moger, Jr.) Steward-loose post parade
 #6 Yodlemesomemagioc (Tr. M. Harrington)
 Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande
 Refund \$14,915.50
- 6th race- No Changes Refund \$4,120.04
- 7th race- #8 Smooove It (Tr. D. O’Neill) Veterinarian-Steward-stake
 Refund \$2,383.58
- 8th race- #4 Major Affair (Tr. R. Ellis) claimed by Tr. H. Palma
 #10 Business Section (Tr. J. Hollendorfer)
 Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
 #11 Raise Ten (Tr. J. Sadler) claimed by Tr. M. Conlon
 #12 Tenkiller Kid (Tr. J. Carava) claimed by Tr. D. O’Neill
 Refund \$15,137.16

07/19/13⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	15,276	1,958,811
Off Track	5,830	1,776,049
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	N/A	N/A
Out –of-State	N/A	4,761,838
Total	21,106	8,495,698

SATURDAY

07/20/13¹

FILM REVIEW

Jockey Mario Gutierrez and Martin Pedroza both met with the Stewards to review the sixth race. Both jockeys were warned of slight movements when riding tight. They both acknowledged the advice and stated they would be more aware in the future.

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NAKATANI RULING

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Nakatani met with the Stewards and explained that after he reported his weight he felt dehydrated and drank a Gatorade; this seemed to have added two pounds. A corrected weight had to be reported late during the race card.

RULING #002

Jockey **Edwin Maldonado** is fined **ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100)*** for failure to make his assigned weight in the sixth race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on July 19, 2013. This constitutes a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1682 (Weighing Out).

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MALDONADO RULING

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Maldonado also met with the Stewards to discuss his weight change in the middle of the race card. Mr. Maldonado said a long break between races and hydrating himself caused the problem. He feels riding more often helps keep the weight off during the day.

RULING #003

Jockey **Corey Nakatani** is fined **ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100)*** for failure to make his assigned weight in the seventh race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on July 19, 2013. This constitutes a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1682 (Weighing Out).

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VOIDED CLAIM

In the third race #5 Pure Blush (Tr. Peter Miller), was placed on the Veterinarian List and the claim was voided. It was stated that the horse was off in her right front leg. Complicating matters, "Pure Blush" was the subject of a 17 way shake, was the prohibitive favorite and pulled up before the wire.

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CAL-BRED REPORT

Six Cal-bred races were used this reporting period.

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DECLARATIONS, CHANGES and REFUNDS

1st race- No Change

2nd race- No Change

3rd race- #5 Pure Blush (Tr. P. Miller) DNF CLAIM VOIDED

#7 Free Range (Tr. H. Dominguez) claimed by Tr. C. Autrey

4th race- #9 Unstopper Topper (Tr. G.F. Almeida) DNF- walked off track

Refund \$1.00

5th race- No Changes

Refund \$115.00

6th race- No Changes
 Refund \$346.00

7th race- #7 Woodlandsway (GB) (Tr. S. Callaghan)
 Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
 Refund \$891.80

8th race- #9 Lucayan (FR) (Tr. N. Drysdale) Steward-stake
 Refund \$6,833.60

9th race- #1 Joe Carl (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. J. Carava
 #3 Would You (Tr. C. Autrey) claimed by Tr. D. Pederson
 #5 Sandys Diamond (Tr. T. Taylor) Veterinarian-sick Dr. Stead
 #6 Fair Dinkum (Tr. T. Proctor) claimed by Tr. D. Greenman
 #8 Dunmore East (Tr. E. Moger) claimed by Tr. C. Autrey
 #9 Chicsdightheshark (B. Spawr) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Stead
 #10 Mr. Candy Bar (Tr. J. Carava) claimed by Tr. G. Sherlock
 Refund \$1,429.12

10th race- No Changes
 Refund \$965.00

07/20/13⁷

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	8,576	3,273,165
Off Track	19,586	2,824,326
TVG/Xpress/Youbet	N/A	N/A
Out -of-State	N/A	7,173,524
Total	28,162	13,271,015

W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

ATTENDANCE REPORT – Except as noted, the full Board of Stewards was in session each day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program.

VETERINARIAN REPORT – WEEK 07/08-13 TO 07/14/13

Horses on Vet List 19
 Horses off Vet List 13
 Shock Wave Therapy 18
 Deceased 3
 Medication 7

SUMMARY

	Wed 07/17	Thurs 07/18	Fri 07/19	Sat 07/20	Week	Meet
Inquiries	0	0	1	0	1	1
Disqualifications	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rulings	0	1	0	2	3	3
Refunds	3	3	6	4	16	16
Accidents	0	0	0	0	0	0
Claims	13	6	8	6	33	33
Cal-Bred Races	2	0	3	1	6	6
Voided Claims	3	0	1	1	5	5

Respectfully submitted,

C. Scott Chaney, Steward

Kim Sawyer, Steward

Tom Ward, Steward

Luis Jauregui, Safety Steward