

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

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

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Report of the Board of Stewards for the week of March 4, 2014 through March 9, 2014.

TUESDAY

03/04/2014

(1) DUTY STEWARD

George Slender will be present for morning duties and shall record the minutes during this reporting period.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Two races in the condition book failed to fill for CAL-BREDS. The second was off with four entries, and sub #4 was off with one entry.

(3) THE DRAW

Eight races were carded for Friday night's program, which consisted of four Thoroughbred and Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 12:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

03/05/2014

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Friday night's program was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The second race in the condition book failed to fill with three CAL-BREDS.

(3) THE DRAW

Eight races were carded for Saturday night's program, which consisted of four Thoroughbred and four Quarter Horse races.

THURSDAY

03/06/2014

(1) SCRATCHES

Scratch time for Saturday night's program was conducted promptly at 9:00 a.m.

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The second race in the condition book failed to fill with one CAL-BRED. Sub #1 was off with no entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Sunday's evening program, which consisted of four Thoroughbred and five Quarter Horse races.

FRIDAY

03/07/2014

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

4th Race - # 1 Hot Sprakie (Tr. R. Viramontes) injured, Dr. Fitzgerald.
Refund: \$100.00.

8th Race - # 5 Runnin For Me (Tr. M. Loza) sick, Dr. Fitzgerald.
Refund: \$480.00.

(2) RULINGS #35-39RULING #35

IN THE MATTER OF: JULIO ENCINAS

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER JULIO ENCINAS ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #34, DATED FEBRUARY 22, 2014, SUSPENDING MR. ENCINAS FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND JULIO ENCINAS IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

RULING #36

IN THE MATTER OF: DIANE M. HEATH

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER DIANE M. HEATH ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #33, DATED FEBRUARY 22, 2014, SUSPENDING MS. HEATH FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND DIANE M. HEATH IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

RULING #37

IN THE MATTER OF: SAMUEL CHRISTENSEN

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER SAMUEL CHRISTENSEN ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #32, DATED FEBRUARY 22, 2014, SUSPENDING MR. CHRISTENSEN FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND SAMUEL CHRISTENSEN IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

RULING #38

IN THE MATTER OF: FERNANDO LISEA

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER FERNANDO LISEA ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #177, DATED DECEMBER 14, 2013, SUSPENDING MR. LISEA FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND FERNANDO LISEA IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

RULING #39

IN THE MATTER OF: TERESA GONZALEZ

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER TERESA GONZALEZ ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #149, DATED JULY 30, 2011, SUSPENDING MS. GONZALEZ FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND TERESA GONZALEZ IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

The above rulings were issued after the Stewards were in receipt of documentation from Sports Equine Medicine that the above subjects paid in full.

(3) BLAKE RULING

RULING #40

OWNER LES BLAKE, HAVING FAILED TO APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON MARCH 7, 2014, TO ANSWER A COMPLAINT REGARDING CASE #14LA0032, ALLEGING VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (A) (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SUSPENDED PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR).

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF LES BLAKE ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS TO SUSPEND OR FINE) SUBJECT IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

The foregoing ruling was issued after Owner Les Blake failed to appear to answer a financial complaint in the amount of \$1,373.47.

(4) DOMINGUEZ RULING

RULING #41

TRAINER ROBERTO DOMINGUEZ IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1530 (CASES NOT COVERED BY RULES AND REGULATIONS – WORKING UNLICENSED PERSONNEL).

The preceding ruling was issued after subject appeared before the Stewards concerning working an unlicensed person in his barn. Mr. Dominguez stated that he was just trying to help her make a few dollars.

(5) THIRD RACE – CLAIM VOIDED

The third race claim of "Big G's Dance" by Trainer Guillermo Morales was voided after being advised by D.V.M. Gary Beck he was placing the horse on the Vet's List. The horse was returned to Trainer Chris O'Dell.

(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	839	On Track Handle:	\$104,593.50
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,034</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$276,625.80
Total:	2,873	Out of State:	<u>\$682,130.22</u>
		Total:	\$1,063,349.52

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$369,333

SATURDAY
03/08/2014

(1) HANSON RULINGS

RULING #42

TRAINER JAMES G. HANSON WHO STARTED THE HORSE "MEMBER OF THE TRIBE" IN THE FIRST RACE ON JUNE 15, 2013 AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$4,000.00)* AND SUSPENDED NINETY (90) DAYS (MARCH 10, 2014 THROUGH JUNE 7, 2014) PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) AND RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1843 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS

AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) (CLENBUTEROL - CLASS III).

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF JAMES G. HANSON ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS TO SUSPEND OR FINE) JAMES G. HANSON IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

RULING #43

TRAINER JAMES G. HANSON WHO STARTED THE HORSE "I TOLD YOU TWICE" IN THE FIFTH RACE ON JUNE 22, 2013 AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE IS FINED FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00)* AND SUSPENDED ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY (120) DAYS (JUNE 8, 2014 THROUGH OCTOBER 5, 2014) PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1887 (TRAINER TO INSURE CONDITION OF HORSE) AND RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULES #1843 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES) (CLENBUTEROL - CLASS III).

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF JAMES G. HANSON ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS TO SUSPEND OR FINE) JAMES G. HANSON IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

After receiving notification of the Daniel Q. Shiffer decision regarding the two Hanson cases, the foregoing rulings were issued.

(2) MONTEMAYOR RULING

RULING #44

OWNER SANTOS N. MONTEMAYOR IS SUSPENDED FOR THIRTY (30) DAYS (MARCH 10, 2014 THROUGH APRIL 8, 2014) FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1843.3 (A,B&D) (MEDICATION, DRUGS AND OTHER SUBSTANCES).

IN ADDITION, OWNER MONTEMAYOR'S HORSE, "MR TR DASHER," MUST PASS A BOARD APPROVED EXAMINATION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1846 BEFORE BECOMING ELIGIBLE TO BE ENTERED AND BE SUBJECT TO DRUG TESTING AT THE OWNER'S EXPENSE AND BE NEGATIVE FOR PROHIBITED DRUG SUBSTANCES AS DEFINED IN CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1843.1.

DURING THE TERM OF SUSPENSION, ALL LICENSES AND LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF SANTOS MONTEMAYOR ARE SUSPENDED AND PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1528 (JURISDICTION OF STEWARDS), SUBJECT IS DENIED ACCESS TO PREMISES IN THIS JURISDICTION.

The above ruling was issued after the California Horse Racing Board accepted the Stewards' proposed decision regarding Mr. Montemayor.

(3) WARREN RULING

RULING #45

IN THE MATTER OF: CLARK WARREN

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER CLARK WARREN ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING #115, DATED AUGUST 9, 2013, SUSPENDING MR. WARREN FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1876 (FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY) IS HEREBY SET ASIDE AND CLARK WARREN IS RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING.

The preceding ruling was issued after receiving confirmation from Sports Equine Medicine

that Mr. Warren's debt to them had been satisfied.

(4) INFORMAL MEETING

The Stewards met with Equine Medical Director Rick Arthur, State Veterinarian Dr. Gary Beck, Investigator Tom Blake, and Safety Steward Randy Winick. At issue was implementing new procedures involving the use of Clenbuterol in out competition testing and forms which must be filled out properly by the practicing veterinarians.

(5) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	1,438	On Track Handle:	\$130,699.50
Off Track Attendance:	<u>2,361</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$323,424.30
Total:	3,799	Out of State:	<u>\$787,696.76</u>
		Total:	\$1,241,820.56

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$393,683

SUNDAY

03/09/2014

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

1st Race - # 3 Di Conti (Tr. M. Pender) sick, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$1,263.00.

2nd Race - # 3 Sibella (Tr. R. Lucas) injured, Dr. Fitzgerald.
Refund: \$1,109.00.

5th Race - # 4 Jo's Approval (Tr. E. Truman) injured, Dr. Beck.
Refund: \$195.00.

7th Race - # 5 Awise Secret (Tr. K. Castaneda) injured, Dr. Fitzgerald.
Refund: \$621.00.

9th Race - # 6 Chickies Royaldasher (Tr. C. Joiner) sick, Dr. Fitzgerald.
Refund: \$297.80

(2) RUSSELL RULING

RULING #46

JOCKEY CHRIS RUSSELL IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)* FOR FAILURE TO FULFILL HIS RIDING ENGAGEMENT AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON SATURDAY, MARCH, 8, 2014. A VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1872 (FAILURE TO FULFILL JOCKEY AGREEMENT).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Russell failed to fulfill his riding engagement in the first race on Saturday, March 8, 2014.

(3) RIDER REPLACED

Jockey Cheryl Charlton complained that her mount, #3 "Sedalia Rose," was acting unruly and she could not control her and wished to be taken off. The Stewards ordered the horse returned to the Paddock for a replacement rider. She was replaced by Guillermo Suarez, who finished fourth.

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

On Track Attendance:	802	On Track Handle:	\$120,275.70
Off Track Attendance:	<u>1,755</u>	Off Track Handle:	\$373,253.30
Total:	2,557	Out of State:	<u>\$909,017.28</u>
		Total:	\$1,402,546.28

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$393,683

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

<u>Date</u>	<u>Race</u>	<u>No</u>	<u>Horse</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Vet</u>	<u>Refund</u>
3/7/2014	4	1	Hot Sprakie	R. Viramontes	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$100
	8	5	Runnin For Me	M. Loza	Sick	Fitzgerald	\$480
3/9/2014	1	3	Di Conti	M. Pender	Sick	Beck	\$1,263
	2	3	Sibella	R. Lucas	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$1,109
	5	4	Jo's Approval	E. Truman	Injured	Beck	\$195
	7	5	Awise Secret	K. Castaneda	Injured	Fitzgerald	\$621
	9	5	Chickies Royaldasher	C. Joiner	Sick	Fitzgerald	\$297

TRACK SAFETY REPORT

The weekly inspection was conducted on March 9, 2014. One equine death was reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period ten horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: three for soundness, four for injury, three for sickness, none for medication, none for bleeding, none for shock wave therapy, and none for coggins. Two horses previously on the Veterinarian's List were examined and removed from the list.

This report was submitted by Steward George Slender.

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD

SUMMARY

	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI 03/07	SAT 03/08	SUN 03/09	WEEK TOTAL	MEET TOTAL
ACCIDENTS	D				0	0	1	1	2
CAL-BRED RACES		A			0	0	0	0	1
CLAIMS			R		6	7	5	18	98
DISQUALIFICATIONS				K	0	0	0	0	3
INQUIRIES	D				0	0	0	0	8
REFUNDS		A			2	0	5	7	65
RULINGS			Y		7	4	1	12	46

Stewards' Attendance: Stewards George Slender, James Dreyer, Ruben Moreno and Safety Steward Randy Winick were in attendance during this reporting period.

George Slender (Steward)

James Dreyer (Steward)

Ruben Moreno (Steward)

Randy Winick (Safety Steward)