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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 April 2, 2013 through April 7, 2013.

**TUESDAY**

04/02/2013

(1) DUTY STEWARD

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

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

The fifth race in the condition book failed to fill and went open. Sub #2 was off with four entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Friday night's program which consisted of five Thoroughbred and four Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 3:00 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**

04/03/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

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

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Sub #1 in the condition book failed to fill with no entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Saturday night's program which consisted of two Thoroughbred and seven Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 1:00 p.m.

**THURSDAY**

04/04/2013

(1) SCRATCHES

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

(2) CAL-BRED REPORT

Sub #4 in the condition book failed to fill with no entries.

(3) THE DRAW

Nine races were carded for Sunday night's program which consisted of five Thoroughbred and four Quarter Horse races. The draw was completed at 2:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY**

04/05/2013

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

3<sup>rd</sup> Race - # 6 Lorenbray (Tr. K. Craigmyle) entered back, Stewards.

Refund: \$741.00.

4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 4 At Last A Wildcat (Tr. L. Espinoza) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$122.00.

6<sup>th</sup> Race - # 1 Rachels Belle (Tr. K. Craigmyle) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$652.00.

(2) HERNANDEZ RULINGRULING #63

IN THE MATTER OF: MARTIN HERNANDEZ

HAVING NOW SATISFIED THE OUTSTANDING FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO EQUINE SPORTS MEDICINE, THE LICENSE PRIVILEGES OF OWNER MARTIN HERNANDEZ ARE RESTORED AND LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE RULING # 60, DATED MARCH 30, 2013, SUSPENDING MARTIN HERNANDEZ FOR VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE # 1547 (FAILURE TO APPEAR), IS HEREBY SET ASIDE.

The foregoing ruling was issued after receiving confirmation that Mr. Hernandez had satisfied his financial obligation to Equine Sports Medicine in the amount of \$835.

(3) ALL CLEAR

This evening's racing program was conducted without noteworthy incident.

(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE

|                       |              |                   |                     |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance:  | 972          | On Track Handle:  | \$138,153.10        |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>2,136</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$370,754.40        |
| Total:                | 3,108        | Out of State:     | <u>\$830,554.26</u> |
|                       |              | Total:            | \$1,339,461.76      |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$424,706

**SATURDAY**

04/06/2013

(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES

1<sup>st</sup> Race - # 3 Raingear (Tr. K. Craigmyle) colic, Dr. Beck.

Refund: \$4,812.00.

# 6 Revitalize (Tr. L. Espinoza) entered back, Stewards.

Refund: \$391.00.

# 7 Strong Suggestion (Tr. L. Espinoza) sick – not on grounds, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$408.00.

2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 1 MTC Aint He Cool (Tr. A. Soto) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$1,180.00.

4<sup>th</sup> Race - # 3 Line Slinger (Tr. M. Gonzalez) sick – not on grounds, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$740.00.

5<sup>th</sup> Race - # 1 Good And Gone (Tr. R. Dominguez) sick, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$1,141.00.

8<sup>th</sup> Race - # 3 A Real Carteltrigger (Tr. M. Skeen) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.

Refund: \$429.00.

9<sup>th</sup> Race - # 6 Without Fault (Tr. S. Willoughby) stake race, Stewards.

Refund: \$216.00.

(2) MEDINA RULINGRULING #64

JOCKEY LUIS MEDINA IS FINED ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00)\* FOR FAILURE TO FULFILL HIS RIDING ENGAGEMENT AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 2013. A VIOLATION OF CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1872 (FAILURE TO FULFILL JOCKEY AGREEMENT).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Medina failed to fulfill his riding engagement on Friday, April 5, 2013 in the first race.

(3) FORMAL HEARING

A formal hearing was conducted to address California Horse Racing Board complaint #13LA0055. The case involves an alleged positive for clenbuterol. The respondent at the hearing was trainer James G. Hanson. The case was presented by Supervising Investigator Kevin Kitashima. Also present were assistant trainer Ryan Hanson, Safety Steward Randy Winick and the three Board of Stewards: Albert Christiansen, James Dreyer and George Slender. The proceedings were transcribed by Court Reporter Michelle Derieg. Argument was presented by both parties; exhibits were marked; examination of witnesses was completed; and the record was closed. Proposed decision will follow.

(4) RULING #65RULING #65

ACTING UPON A REPORT FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA DAVIS, AN OFFICIAL TESTING LABORATORY OF THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD THAT URINE SAMPLE# LA22546, TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "WYLIE N WYATT", THE FIRST PLACE FINISHER IN THE FIRST RACE AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE ON FEBRUARY 1, 2013, TESTED POSITIVE FOR CLENBUTEROL (CLASS III). IT IS ORDERED THAT "WYLIE N WYATT" BE DISQUALIFIED FROM ALL PURSE MONIES EARNED IN SAID RACE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1859.5 (DISQUALIFICATION UPON POSITIVE TEST).

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED THAT ALL PURSE MONIES (\$6,160.00) EARNED BY OWNER JIM AND RYAN HANSON, TRAINER JAMES G. HANSON AND JOCKEY RAMON GUCE BE RETURNED TO THE PAYMASTER OF PURSES AT LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE BY MAY 7, 2013 FOR REDISTRIBUTION PURSUANT TO CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1760 (PURSE AWARD OR PRIZE TO BE WITH HELD)

REVISED ORDER OF FINISH IS AS FOLLOWS:

|     |                    |
|-----|--------------------|
| 1ST | GEORGIA'S FRIEND   |
| 1ST | LINCECUM           |
| 3RD | DIRTY DEED         |
| 4TH | SHERMAN BARTLEBORT |
| 5TH | A BIG SWEET TOOTH  |
| 6TH | WARREN'S CONCEPT   |
| 7TH | BELLA MARINO       |
| 8TH | KID ATLANTIC       |

ALL RECORDS ARE ORDERED TO REFLECT THIS RULING IN ACCORDANCE WITH CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD RULE #1956 (RACE DECLARED OFFICIAL), THIS RULING SHALL NOT AFFECT THE PARI-MUTUEL PAYOFFS.

The foregoing ruling was issued at the conclusion of the formal hearing for trainer James Hanson's clenbuterol positive.

(5) SIXTH RACE – LATE DECLARATION - REFUND

A refund was ordered in the sixth race when #3 "Thisprizeflys" (Tr. R. Orozco – jockey C. De Alba) was declared by the Stewards. Rider refused to ride mount. Refund: \$9,736.00.

**(6) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE**

|                       |              |                   |                     |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance:  | 1,125        | On Track Handle:  | \$144,223.80        |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>2,142</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$377,222.70        |
| Total:                | 3,267        | Out of State:     | <u>\$785,737.24</u> |
|                       |              | Total:            | \$1,307,183.74      |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$430,753.26

**SUNDAY**

04/07/2013

**(1) EARLY PROGRAM SCRATCHES**

2<sup>nd</sup> Race - # 5 American Wildcat (Tr. J. Hanson) injured, Dr. Hackathorn.  
Refund: \$986.00.

**(2) SEVENTH RACE – INQUIRY - DISQUALIFICATION**

The Stewards immediately posted the Inquiry sign following the running of the seventh race (Thoroughbred – 4½ furlongs) to review an incident near the 3/16 pole which involved #6 “Member Ofthe Tribe” (1<sup>st</sup> – jockey A. Jimenez) and #3 “Easy City” (5<sup>th</sup> – jockey R. Guce).

After speaking with the riders involved and reviewing the tape replays, the Stewards unanimously agreed to disqualify #6 from first to fifth position. Tapes reflect #6 crosses over without sufficient clearance, causing #3 to take up to avoid clipping heels and lose an opportunity of better placement.

**(3) EIGHTH RACE – LATE DECLARATION - REFUND**

A refund was ordered in the eighth race as #1 “Truly Censored” (Tr. J. Flores – jockey R. Aceves) became fractious in the starting gate and injured himself. Declared on recommendation of Track Veterinarian Dr. Hackathorn. Refund: \$12,632.00.

**(4) ATTENDANCE AND HANDLE**

|                       |              |                   |                     |
|-----------------------|--------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| On Track Attendance:  | 812          | On Track Handle:  | \$157,407.00        |
| Off Track Attendance: | <u>1,894</u> | Off Track Handle: | \$447,801.10        |
| Total:                | 2,706        | Out of State:     | <u>\$931,450.09</u> |
|                       |              | Total:            | \$1,536,658.19      |

Advanced Deposit Wagering (ADW) Handle: \$527,376.90

**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> |
|-------------|-------------|-----------|----------------------|----------------|--------------------------|------------|---------------|
| 4/5/2013    | 4           | 4         | At Last A Wildcat    | L. Espinoza    | Injured                  | Hackathorn | \$122         |
|             | 6           | 1         | Rachels Belle        | K. Craigmyle   | Sick                     | Hackathorn | \$652         |
| 4/6/2013    | 1           | 3         | Raingear             | K. Craigmyle   | Colic                    | Beck       | \$4,812       |
|             | 1           | 7         | Strong Suggestion    | L. Espinoza    | Sick                     | Hackathorn | \$408         |
|             | 2           | 1         | MTC Aint He Cool     | A. Soto        | Sick                     | Hackathorn | \$1,180       |
|             | 4           | 3         | Line Slinger         | M. Gonzalez    | Sick                     | Hackathorn | \$740         |
|             | 5           | 1         | Good And Gone        | R. Dominguez   | Sick                     | Hackathorn | \$1,141       |
|             | 8           | 3         | A Real Carteltrigger | M. Skeen       | Injured                  | Hackathorn | \$429         |
| 4/7/2013    | 2           | 5         | American Wildcat     | J. Hanson      | Injured                  | Hackathorn | \$986         |
|             | 8           | 1         | Truly Censored       | J. Flores      | Injured in starting gate | Hackathorn | \$12,632      |

**TRACK SAFETY REPORT**

The weekly inspection was conducted April 7, 2013. No equine deaths were reported this week due to racing injuries. During this reporting period seventeen horses were added to the Veterinarian's

List as follows: two for soundness, four for injury, four for sickness, six for medication, none for bleeding, none for shock wave therapy, and one for coggins. Six 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<br>04/05 | SAT<br>04/06 | SUN<br>04/07 | WEEK<br>TOTAL | MEET<br>TOTAL |
|-------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| ACCIDENTS         | D   |     |     |     | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0             | 4             |
| CAL-BRED RACES    |     | A   |     |     | 0            | 0            | 0            | 0             | 0             |
| CLAIMS            |     |     | R   |     | 5            | 3            | 7            | 15            | 254           |
| DISQUALIFICATIONS |     |     |     | K   | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1             | 14            |
| INQUIRIES         | D   |     |     |     | 0            | 0            | 1            | 1             | 27            |
| REFUNDS           |     | A   |     |     | 3            | 8            | 2            | 13            | 105           |
| RULINGS           |     |     | Y   |     | 1            | 2            | 0            | 3             | 65            |

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

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George Slender (Steward)

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James Dreyer (Steward)

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Albert Christiansen (Steward)

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Randy Winick (Safety Steward)