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Santa Anita Park

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WEEK 6-Sunday, October 27, 2013-Sunday, November 3, 2013

SUNDAY

10/27/13¹

ROJAS RULING CASE #12HP057

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Rojas appeared before the BOS along with Investigator Phil Miyazaki. The Investigator recommended that he be licensed and the following ruling was issued:

LATS #022

Jockey **DENIS ROJAS**, having appeared before the Board of Stewards is reinstated. Ruling LATS #081 issued at Santa Anita Race Track on April 6, 2013, is set aside.

10/27/13²

SOTO RULING

The following ruling was issued after confirmation that Dr. John Araujo was satisfied with the debt owed after he received a check from Mr. Soto in the amount of \$2,500.00.

LATS #023

Owner **HERBERT SOTO (dba United Stable)**, having complied with the provisions of California Horse Racing Board rule #1876 (Financial Responsibility-Dr. Araujo \$2,500.00), is restored to good standing. Amended ruling DMTD #028, issued at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on August 19, 2013, is set aside.

10/27/13³

FILM REVIEW

Jockeys Irving Orozco and Edwin Maldonado met with the Stewards to discuss their rides in the sixth race yesterday. After conversation and a review of the DVD, it was confirmed that both of the incidents involved their mounts getting

tipped by another horse. Mr. Orozco leaving the gate and Mr. Maldonado in the stretch drive.

Jockey Martin Pedroza met with the Stewards concerning the first race yesterday. In a 3/4 race on the dirt Mr. Pedroza (#8) leaving the gate drifted inward while not sufficiently clear. This caused the #6 to clip heels off of Mr. Pedroza's horse. Mr. Pedroza was very candid stating he made a mistake and apologized. Ref-10-26-13⁷.

The following ruling was issued:

LATS #024

Jockey **MARTIN PEDROZA** is suspended for **THREE (3) DAYS (November 2, 3, and 7, 2013)** for altering course without sufficient clearance and causing interference while riding "Julio's Gold" in the first race at Santa Anita Park on October 26, 2013. This constitutes a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (Riding Rules-careless riding).

The term of suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1766 (Designated Races).

10/27/13⁴

MUNOZ HEARING CASE #13SA154

This case was filed by the CHRB for trainer Bruce Headley against groom Correa Martin Munoz for a possible violation of CHRB rule 1876 (Financial Responsibility). In attendance before the BOS were Mr. Munoz, Bruce Headley, his counsel Carlo Fisco and Safety Steward Luis Jauregui. Bruce Headley alleges that he has already paid said groom his wages and does not owe him the \$97,943.04 listed in Mr. Munoz's claim to the Labor Commissioner, State of California. After listening to opinions and evidence submitted, the hearing was closed. Decision to follow.

10/27/13⁵

MEETING WITH BREEDERS' CUP

The Stewards met with the Breeders' Cup personnel, Veterinarians, Media, Investigator representation, Security, Mutuels and all others involved with the operations and policies that will be used during the two days of Breeders' Cup racing. Practices used in emergency situations were discussed and it appeared that all procedures are in place.

10/27/13⁶

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race - #2 Stoney Fleece (Tr. J. Sadler) claimed by Tr. E. Moger

2nd race - No Changes

3rd race - No Changes

4th race - No Changes; Refund \$17.10

5th race - No Changes; Refund \$107.00

6th race - No Changes; Refund \$1,023.80

7th race - #4 Take One (Tr. A. Kitchingman) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande
Refund \$1,315.60

8th race - No Changes; Refund \$258.00

9th race - #3 Hitter's Alley (P. Miller) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
Refund \$5,226.65

10/27/13⁷**DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

On track	6,694	\$1,335,341.60
Inter-track	6,291	\$1,800,892.40
Out of state	n/a	\$3,698,078.42
Total	12,985	\$6,834,312.42

THURSDAY10/31/13¹**FILM REVIEW**

Jockey Irving Orozco met with the Stewards to review the seventh race Sunday. Mr. Orozco drifted inward in the stretch drive causing a horse to his inside to take up. He stated that he was trying to correct the drift and win at the same time. He was advised he needs to make a stronger effort to correct first. It was a unanimous decision that Mr. Orozco did not make a proper effort to correct and the following ruling was issued:

LATS #025

Apprentice Jockey **IRVING OROZCO** is suspended for **THREE (3) RACING DAYS** (November 10,11 and 15, 2013) for failure to make the proper effort to maintain a straight course in the stretch, causing interference while riding "Tookmebysurprise" in the seventh race at Santa Anita Park on October 27, 2013. This constitutes a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (Riding Rules-careless riding).

Term of suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races pursuant to California Horse Racing Board Rule #1766(Designated Races).

10/31/13²**INQUIRY/ACCIDENT (1 mile-turf), NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the race, the inquiry sign was posted which involved #6 Square Dance (J. Rosario DNF,) who was rank and ran up on heels near the 5/8s pole, clipping heels, falling and unseating Joel Rosario. After a review of the videos it was unanimous decision that the horse caused its own problem and the race was made official. Accident report attached.

10/31/13³**VOIDED CLAIM**

Following the race, #6 Square Dance, which fell during the race and was then examined by Official Veterinarian Tim Grande in the receiving barn, was placed on the Veterinarians List. The claim was voided and the horse was returned to trainer Peter Miller's barn.

10/31/13⁴**DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS**

- 1st race - #6 Wrinkle Room (Tr. M. Polanco) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande
Refund \$990.20
- 2nd race - #4 Hot Bride (Tr. B. Baffert) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Stead
Refund \$608.05
- 3rd race - #1 Sinfully (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. R. DeLeon
#6 Square Dance (Tr.P. Miller) DNF-claimed by B. Spawr-VOIDED
#7 He's Not Bluffin (Tr. V. Belvoir) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
#8 Under Review (Tr. J. Sadler) claimed by Tr. D. Jacobson
Refund \$2,705.45
- 4th race - #5 Cautious Giant (Tr. C. Gaines) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande
Refund \$1,728.80; Minus Pool \$8,232.73
- 5th race - #2 Hotradamus (Tr. B. Abrams) claimed by Tr. M. Glatt

Refund \$1,662.95
 6th race - #2 Summer Hit (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Grande
 Refund \$1,688.55
 7th race - #9 Vegas Rules (Tr. R. Rosales) Steward-no lasix
 Refund \$4,840.00
 8th race - #14 Uniformly Yours (Tr. H. Zucker) claimed by Tr. L. Powell

10/31/13⁵

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	4,781	\$1,271,568.90
Inter-track	5,060	\$1,423,424.40
Out of state	n/a	\$4,706,526.75
Total	9,841	\$7,401,520.05

FRIDAY

11/01/13¹

JOCKEY MEETING

The Stewards met with the jockey colony in the jockey quarters to reiterate the rules, practices and procedures in our jurisdiction. This meeting included the Paramedics, Veterinarians, Management, Fast Official and it was discussed what the Stewards' expectations pursuant to CHRB rules with respect to riding style and techniques.

11/01/13²

EARLY POST-GOOD RACING

The afternoon card was performed without notable incidents except the changes listed below.

11/01/13³

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race - #1 Rangì (GB) (Tr. J. Bonde) Steward
 #9 Toowindytohaulrox (Tr. P. D'Amato) CW 118
 Refund \$5,266.31
 2nd race - #1 Gab Power (Tr. P. Eurton) Steward
 #3 Basmati (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed Tr. R.B. Hess Jr.
 #8 Kingpin Ryno (Tr. J. Litt) Steward
 Refund \$3,519.80
 3rd race - No Changes
 4th race - No Changes
 5th race - No Changes
 6th race - No Changes; Refund \$540.00
 7th race - No Changes; Refund \$503.00
 8th race - #1 Taptowne (T. Glyshaw) Veterinarian-unsound-Dr. Stead
 Refund \$10,632.65
 9th race No Changes
 10th race - No Changes
 11th race - No Changes

11/01/13⁴

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	35,833	\$7,420,706.00
Inter-track	9,723	\$3,246,532.80
Out of state	n/a	\$30,681,116.40
Total	45,556	\$41,348,355.20

SATURDAY

11/02/13¹

JOCKEY MEETING

A duplicate meeting was held with the jockey colony. The same issues discussed on Friday were repeated and all were wished good luck.

11/02/13²

INQUIRY/DISQUALIFICATION/ACCIDENT/FOURTH RACE (1 1/16-dirt)

Following the running of the race, the inquiry sign was posted to review two incidents. The first was an accident that involved #4 Secret Compass, who went wrong near the 3/8 pole, fell and unseated jockey Johnny Velazquez. There were no other horses involved in this accident. Accident report attached.

The second incident happened inside the 1/16 marker; involved were #10 She's a Tiger (G. Stevens 1st) and #5 Ria Antonia(J. Castellano 2nd). #10 She's a Tiger drifted out bumped #5 Ria Antonia, and impeded her forward momentum. After the contact, #4 regained her run and was beaten a nose for a better placing. After a review of the video, conversation with the Patrol Judges and both riders involved it was a majority vote (Steward Ward dissent) to disqualify #10 and place it second behind #5.

ORIGINAL ORDER OF FINISH

(10)-5-2-9-1-8-3-7-6

OFFICIAL ORDER OF FINISH

5-(10)-2-9-1-8-3-7-6

11/02/13³

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race - No Changes; Refund \$2,952.70

2nd race -No Changes; Refund \$2,466.35; Minus Pool \$37,286.22

3rd race -#7 Ultrasonic (Tr. B. Baffert) Steward-stake

#11 A Time to Love (Tr. T. Yakteen) Steward-stake

Refund \$21,416.80

4th race - #4 Secret Compass (Tr. B. Baffert) DNF-euthanized

5th race - #4 Alterite (FR) (Tr. C. Brown) J. Castellano replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$2,759.35

6th race - #9 Judy the Beauty) (Tr. W. Ward) J.Saez replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$3,713.60

7th race - #5 Caracortado (Tr. M. Machowsky) Veterinarian-unsound-Dr. Grande

#11 Spring to the Sky (Tr. B. Brown) R. Maragh replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$66,354.13

8th race - #7 Cleburne (Tr. D. Romans) Steward-stake

#13 Havana (Tr. T. Pletcher) G. Stevens replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$9,828.82

9th race - #8 Point of Entry (Tr. C. McGaughey) G. Stevens replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$2.40

10th race - #1 Justin Phillip (Tr. S. Asmussen) G. Stevens replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$432.00

11th race - #8 Wise Dan (Tr. C. LePresti) J. Lezcano replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

Refund \$275.00

12th race - #8 Palace Malice (Tr. T. Pletcher) R. Bejarano replaced J. Velazquez (injured)

#11 Ron the Greek (Tr. W. Mott) Veterinarian-injured-Dr. Grande

Refund \$16,270.21

11/02/13⁹

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	58,795	\$14,140,509.20
Inter-track	15,780	\$6,512,173.50
Out of state	n/a	\$67,031,369.84
Total	74,575	\$87,684,052.54

SUNDAY

11/03/13¹

FILM REVIEW

Jockey Rafael Bejarano met with the Stewards to review the eighth race on Friday. Mr. Bejarano had an outside post and was marginally clear when he crossed over and folded into the first turn. The Stewards informed Mr. Bejarano they expect better efforts from him and was given a warning. He stated would be more aware in the future.

Jockey Gary Stevens also met with the Stewards to review the disqualification yesterday (ref 11-2-13²). Mr. Stevens was very candid in explaining how the incident occurred, he stated his mount was stopping after it made the lead, he let his horse drift out to see the horse to his outside and contact occurred. He took a chance and the strategy went a tad too far. It was very refreshing; Mr. Stevens graciously accepted the following ruling. The suspension was a unanimous decision.

11/03/13²

RUSSELL RULING

The following ruling was issued after Mr. Russell dropped his appeal for suspension days that occurred at Ferndale and the ruling was issued at Fresno.

LATS#027

Jockey **CHRIS RUSSELL**, having withdrawn his appeal of ruling #HCF003, issued at the Humboldt County Fair on August 17, 2013, such ruling is re-imposed with the dates of suspension to be as follows: November 9, 10, and 11, 2013. All other terms of the ruling remain intact.

11/03/13³

VOIDED CLAIM

After a report from Official Veterinarian Tim Grande, in the second race # 2 Danderek (GB) was placed on the Veterinarian's List, the claim was voided and the horse was returned to trainer Jerry Hollendorfer's stable.

11/03/13⁴

CAL-BRED REPORT

Four cal-bred were used during this reporting period.

11/03/13⁵

DECLARATIONS, CHANGES AND REFUNDS

1st race - No Changes; Refund \$747.30

2nd race - #1 Key Decision (ARG) (Tr. A.C. Avila) claimed by Tr. S Asmussen

#2 Danderek (GB) (Tr. J. Hollendorfer) claimed by Tr. D. Jacobson CLAIM VOIDED

#3 Insideondoutside (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. P. Miller

Refund \$241.85

3rd race - No Changes; Refund \$2,456.15

4th race - #11 Turn On the Brites (Tr. M. Chew) G. Nickolas replaced I Orozco (sick)

Refund \$253.60
 5th race - #1 Sidepocket Run (Tr. D. Warren) J. Leeparoux replaced I. Orozco (sick) CW 124
 Refund \$174.80
 6th race - No Changes; Refund \$2,740.65
 7th race - #14 Benba (Tr. R. Stein) S. Arias replaced I. Orozco (sick) CW 118
 Refund \$741.30
 8th race - #1 Corlett Drive (Tr. J. Sadler) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Lamparte
 # 8 Conkate (Tr. D. O'Neill) claimed by Tr. R. DeLeon
 #10 Royal Empress (IRE) (Tr. P. Biancone) Veterinarian-sick-Dr. Lamparte
 Refund \$2,716.90
 9th race - No Changes; Refund \$14.00
 10th race - #2Western Seeker (Tr. P. Gallagher) claimed by Tr. D. Greenman
 Refund \$303.90

11/03/13⁷

DAILY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE

On track	7,971	\$1,868,185.90
Inter-track	6,627	\$1,914,929.90
Out of state	n/a	\$4,699,771.41
Total	14,598	\$8,482,887.21

WEEKLY SUMMARY

ATTENDANCE REPORT - 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 OF: 10/28/13-11/03/13

Horses on Vet List 17
 Horses off Vet List **10**
 Shock Wave Therapy 12
 Deceased 1
 Medication 7
 Claims Voided 2

SUMMARY

	Sun 10/27	Thurs 10/31	Fri 11/01	Sat 11/02	Sun 11/03	WEEK	MEET
Inquiries	0	0	0	1	0	1	13
Disqualifications	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Rulings	3	1	0	0	2	6	27
Refunds	2	5	4	5	3	19	118
Accidents	0	0	0	1	0	1	1
Claims	2	4	1	0	5	12	68
Cal-Bred Races	0	2	0	0	2	4	16
Voided Claims	0	1	0	0	1	2	7

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Sawyer, Steward

C. Scott Chaney, Steward

Tom Ward, Steward

Luis Jauregui, Safety Steward