

State of California

**CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD**  
**Official Ruling**  
of the  
**Board of Stewards**

**Del Mar Thoroughbred Club**

(Association)

(Date)

**8/20/09**

DMTD #29

Jockey Victor Espinoza is fined THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300)\* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Whips-causing welts or breaks in the skin) during the running of the fourth race at Del Mar Thoroughbred Club on August 2, 2009.

LIC: 224499 – 05/2011

CASE: 09DM051

\*Rule # 1532 – Fine shall be paid to the Paymaster within seven calendar days from the date of this ruling, or the person upon whom the fine is imposed shall be suspended.

BY ORDER OF THE BOARD  
OF STEWARDS

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C. Scott Chaney

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Tom Ward

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Ingrid Fermin