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**Postmortem Examination Review Summary #2026C02**

Horse Information: Four-year-old Standardbred.

Incident Summary: Shortly after finishing the race the horse collapsed on the track and expired.

Necropsy Summary: A necropsy examination could not determine the cause of death. Lung blood vessels were congested with occasional multifocal hemorrhages. No cardiac lesions were identified that would support the theory of cardiac failure.

Racing/Training History: The horse had 42 lifetime starts. The horse scratched in March 2025 due to illness.

Veterinary History Summary: The horse had blood work completed twice in 2025 and was treated for EPM in March 2025.

Pre-race Examinations: Pre-race examinations noted no abnormalities.

Conclusion: This was a case of an undiagnosed sudden death.