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**Postmortem Examination Review Summary #2025E10**

Horse Information: Two-year-old Quarter Horse.

Incident Summary: While running in a race the horse fell and was unable to stand.

Necropsy Summary: A necropsy examination revealed complete catastrophic fracture of the 5th and 6th lumbar vertebrae.

Racing/Training History: This horse had 3 lifetime starts.

Veterinary History Summary: This horse received wellness and preventative veterinary care.

Pre-race Examinations: Pre-race examinations noted both knees with mild joint effusion.

Conclusion: This horse broke its back and was humanely euthanized.