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**Postmortem Examination Review Summary #2025G07**

Horse Information: Twenty-year-old Thoroughbred.

Incident Summary: The horse was found down in the stall with an open right hind tibia fracture. The left hind had a fractured first phalanx. Due to the grave prognosis the horse was humanely euthanized.

Necropsy Summary: A necropsy examination revealed complete, comminuted, open fractures of the right hind tibia and fibula with severe hemorrhage in the surrounding tissues. The first phalanx (P1) in the left hind leg had a biarticular, severely comminuted and displaced fracture.

Racing/Training History: The pony horse had not worked the day of the fatality.

Veterinary History Summary: The horse received routine wellness veterinary care.

Pre-race Examinations: N/A.

Conclusion: This case was a tragic accident that resulted in catastrophic fractures leading to the fatality.