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Golden Gate Fields
Albany, California

Report of the Board of Stewards

To the California Horse Racing Board

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Report for the period Wednesday, March 7, 2012 through Sunday, March 11, 2012.

Wednesday

03-07-12 **ENTRIES – DECLARATIONS**

Steward John Herbuveaux was on duty Wednesday for entries and declarations and will attend to those duties for the remainder of the week.

Thursday

03-08-12¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

Purse \$10,400. For California bred or California sired four year olds and upward, claiming price \$6,250 at one mile. The race was called off with no entries.

03-08-12² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

2nd race: #2 SOLANA SOLEIL (Tr. R. B. Hess) sick
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 649.00
3rd race: #2 HABIT FORMING (Tr. Steve Sherman) injured
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$ 227.00

The declaration of #2 reduced the field to four wagering interests which resulted in the cancellation and refund of the show pool (\$53.00) pursuant to CHRB rule 1954 (Pari-mutuel Pools).

8th race: #1 SMARTY CORN (Tr. R. B. Hess) injured
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$47,003.77

03-08-12³ **PATRICK GLEASON FINANCIAL**
CHRB complaint 12GG029, filed against trainer **Patrick A. Gleason** for a debt of \$262.00 owed to San Francisco Equine, Inc. for veterinary services, was resolved after payment was made in full.

03-08-12⁴ **RULING NO. 46 – OLSON**
In the Matter of:
Owner **SHARON D. OLSON**
Having satisfied the outstanding financial obligation to San Francisco Equine, the license privileges of Sharon D. Olson are restored to good standing and Pacific Racing Association ruling #29, dated November 18, 2011 suspending Ms. Olson for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1547 (Failure to Appear), is hereby set aside.

The foregoing ruling was issued after notification was received from Rusti, representing San Francisco Equine, Inc., that a debt of \$3,828.72 was paid in full which resolves case 11GG222.

03-08-12⁵ **RULING NO. 47 – DIXON**
Owner/Groom **JAMES E. DIXON**, having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at Golden Gate Fields on or before Sunday, March 4, 2012, to answer charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1489 (h) (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License) and #1902 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing), is hereby suspended pending an appearance for a Hearing before the Board of Stewards for violation of CHRB rule #1547 (Failure to Appear).

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of JAMES E. DIXON are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied Access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

The preceding ruling was issued after Mr. Dixon failed to appear to address alleged violation of CHRB rule 1489(h) (Ground for Denial of Refusal of License) and 1902 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing).

Mr. Dixon was cited after the license background check revealed he was convicted in Alameda Superior Court following his no contest plea to a misdemeanor charge of 11377 (a) H and S – Possession of Controlled Substance (methamphetamine) and was sentenced to 3 years probation, 60 days in jail and a fine.

03-08-12⁶ **RULING NO. 48 – RIVERA**
Owner **ADOLFO RIVERA**, having failed to respond to written notice to appear before the Board of Stewards at Golden Gate Fields on or before Sunday, March 4, 2012, to answer charges alleging violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1489 (a) (c) (g), (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License), #1900 (Grounds for Suspension or Revocation) and #1902 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing), is hereby suspended pending an appearance for a hearing before the Board of Stewards for violation of CHRB rule #1547 (Failure to Appear).

During the term of suspension, all licenses and license privileges of ADOLFO RIVERA are suspended and pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1528 (Jurisdiction of Stewards), subject is denied Access to all premises in this jurisdiction.

The ruling listed above was issued after Mr. Rivera failed to appear to address alleged violation of CHRB rules 1489 (a) (c) (g) (Ground for Denial or Refusal of License), 1900 (Grounds for Suspension or Revocation) and 1902 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing).

Mr. Rivera was cited after the California Department of Justice (CII background check) reported he was convicted in San Joaquin County Superior Court on July 11, 2011, of two felonies, 273.5 (a) PC and 12022.5 (a) PC and received a five year prison sentence.

03-08-12⁷ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1,184	\$	245,956.20
NCOT	2,057	\$	604,620.00
SCOT		\$	259,662.40
Out of State		\$	618,385.07
TOTAL	3,241	\$	1,728,623.67

Friday

03-09-12¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**
Purse \$10,400. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares, four years old and upward, claiming price \$6,250 at one mile. This race was called off with four entries.

03-09-12² **DECLARATION – REFUND**
5th race: #2 LADY LOHR (Tr. Dean Greenman) sick
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$260.40

03-09-12³ **STEVE MIYADI FINANCIAL**
CHRB complaint 12GG024 was filed against trainer **Steve Miyadi** by Running C Ranch (Kris Caiati) for a debt of \$2854.00. The complaint included invoices for the boarding and care of three horses of Mr. Miyadi's. The complaint was dismissed after a check was submitted for the full amount.

03-09-12⁴ **TIMOTEO FERMAN HEARING**
CHRB complaint 12GG025 was filed against security guard **Timoteo Ferman** for alleged violation of 1489 (g) (Grounds for Denial or Refusal of License) and 1902 (Conduct Detrimental to Horse Racing).

Mr. Ferman was cited after a CII positive from the California Department of Justice reported Mr. Ferman was convicted in Alameda County Superior Court on a charge of 166 (c) (1) PC – Contempt of Court Willful Violation of Protective Order – misdemeanor. He was sentenced to 3 years probation, 8 hours community service, attend domestic violence classes and a fine.

After hearing the details of the case, with concurrence of the CHRB investigative staff, Mr. Ferman's license was placed on probation to coincide

with the court ordered probation. He was informed any violation of the court probation was also violation of the terms of probation placed on his license.

03-09-12⁵ **RACING PROGRAM**

The eight races progressed smoothly without noteworthy incident.

03-09-12⁶ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1,064	\$	265,285.00
NCOT	2,171	\$	729,617.20
SCOT		\$	286,265.00
Out of State		\$	724,306.02
TOTAL	3,235	\$	2,005,473.22

Saturday

03-10-12¹ **CAL-BRED RACES**

Purse \$11,400. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares four years old and upward, claiming price \$8,000 at six furlongs. Only four horses made the entry box and the race was called off.

03-10-12² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

3 rd race:	#5 IRISH VIEW	(Tr. R. B. Hess)	injured
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND:	\$206.10
5 th race:	#5 MOOSE HIGH	(Tr. Sheldon Paldanius)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND:	\$644.20
	#7 CAMMY THE JET	(Tr. Ed Moger, Jr.)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND:	\$246.00
8 th race:	#2 EL POCHO (Chi)	(Tr. Kenneth Nettles)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND:	\$ 27.10
9 th race:	#5 GOOFY FOOT	(Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer)	sick
	Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer	REFUND:	\$494.00

03-10-12³ **NORTHERN REGION SUPERVISOR DAN DAILEY**

Dan Dailey, the Northern Regional Supervising Investigator, stopped in to discuss areas of mutual interest. Mr. Dailey, who was recently appointed to that position, has opened a dialog and an open line of communication which is always welcomed.

03-10-12⁴ **ACCIDENT – INQUIRY – Fifth Race**

Following the running of the fifth race the inquiry sign was posted for a review of an accident involving #1 ALICE'S RAHY, ridden by jockey Abel Cedillo, near the 3/16 marker. After reviewing the recordings of the race, the race was made official.

The recorded views of the race show #1 stumbles badly while racing in the clear after sustaining a severe right shoulder injury. Jockey Abel Cedillo fell heavily to the ground after being dislodged and was transported to Highland Hospital for further examination.

The horse was loaded into the horse ambulance and transported back to its stable to be examined by the trainer's attending veterinarian.

03-10-12⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**
GGF 1,975 \$ 556,783.90
NCOT 3,398 \$1,250,639.90
SCOT \$ 528,976.80
Out of State \$1,099,876.69
TOTAL 5,373 \$3,436,277.29

Sunday

03-11-12¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

Purse \$12,400. For California bred or California sired fillies and mares four years old and upward, claiming price \$10,000 at one mile and one sixteenth. The race was called off with four entries.

03-11-12² **DECLARATION – REFUND**

8th race: #4 PRESCIOUS (Tr. Frances Henderson) re-enter
Track Veterinarian Sara Sporer REFUND: \$42.50

03-11-12³ **RULING NO. 49 – SANCHEZ**

Jockey **DIEGO SANCHEZ** is fined the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for failure to be present to ride the horse FLASH CAT in the first race on Saturday, March 10, 2012; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1872 (Failure to Fulfill Jockey Agreement).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Sanchez met with the stewards and failed to offer a valid reason for failing to show up to ride his mount.

03-11-12⁴ **OBJECTION – Seventh Race – NO CHANGE**

Following the running of the seventh race jockey Julien Couton, rider of second place finisher #7 MCALLISTER BOYS, lodged an objection against the winner, #6 BENCH LIGHT, ridden by jockey David Lopez for alleged interference near the 1/16 marker. After talking with the riders involved and reviewing the recordings of the incident, no change was made and the numbers posted were made official.

The recording shows the rider of #7 steady his mount momentarily while racing behind #6 as both horses crossed paths. #7 was not deprived an opportunity of a better placing and also contributed to the incident, therefore no change in placings.

03-11-12³ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**
GGF 3,929 \$ 566,642.70
NCOT 2,765 \$ 922,712.90
SCOT \$ 539,223.70
Out of State \$ 969,433.20
TOTAL 6,694 \$2,998,012.60

W E E K L Y S U M M A R Y

ATTENDANCE REPORT - The full Board of Stewards was in attendance each racing day during this reporting period for both morning business and the afternoon racing program. Steward Herbuveaux was in attendance on the non-racing day (03/07) to handle entries and scratches.

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
8-Mar	2	2	SOLANA SOLEIL	Hess	sick	Sporer	\$649.00
	3	2	HABIT FORMING	Sherman	injury	Sporer	\$227.00
	8	1	SMARTY CORN	Hess	injured in gate	Sporer	\$47,003.77
9-Mar	5	2	LADY LOHR	Greenman	sick	Sporer	\$260.40
10-Mar	3	5	IRISH VIEW	Hess	injured	Sporer	\$206.10
	5	5	MOOSE HIGH	Paldanius	sick	Sporer	\$644.20
		7	CAMMY THE JET	Moger	sick	Sporer	\$246.00
	8	2	EL POCHO (CHI)	Nettles	sick	Sporer	\$27.10
	9	5	GOOFY FOOT	Hollendorfer	sick	Sporer	\$494.00

VETERINARY REPORT**Euthanized / Died**

3-10-12 Alice's Rahy (Tr. O. J. Jauregui) fractured right distal humerus;
Tapeta, racing

3-11-12 Chief Runaway (Tr. William J. Morey) right front fetlock
Condylar fracture; Tapeta, racing

Veterinarian's List

There were sixteen (16) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 7

Injured: 3

Unsound: 3

Medication: 3

There were nineteen (19) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 5

Injured: 2

Unsound: 1

Medication: 11

Shockwave Therapy: There were no shockwave therapy treatments reported.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	88	\$32,259.50
Bakersfield	380	\$107,041.50
Fresno	262	\$60,252.40
Fresno Club One	89	\$75,143.50
Monterey	320	\$104,615.30
Pleasanton	1385	\$539,651.00
Sacramento	1098	\$326,906.30
San Jose	1805	\$504,472.20
San Mateo	2901	\$1,163,230.30
Santa Rosa	724	\$182,890.30
Stockton	821	\$247,406.10
Tulare	189	\$59,240.90
Turlock	363	\$124,223.40
Vallejo	777	\$251,579.80
So. California		\$1,614,127.90
Out of State		\$3,410,989.88

	8-Mar	9-Mar	10-Mar	11-Mar	Week	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	1	0	1	<i>7</i>
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	<i>0</i>
CLAIMS	3	5	3	4	15	<i>114</i>
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	0	0	<i>6</i>
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	0	1	1	2	<i>20</i>
REFUNDS	3	1	5	1	10	<i>127</i>
RULINGS	3	0	0	1	4	<i>49</i>

Respectfully submitted,

Darrel McHargue, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John B. Herbuveaux, Steward

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