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Report of the Board of Stewards

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Report for the period Wednesday, November 4, 2009 through Sunday, November 8, 2009.

Wednesday**11-04-09¹ CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-Bred race for fillies and mares, three years old and older, claiming price \$6,250, was used open with six starters.

11-04-09² DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS

2nd race: #3 CLASSIC DEMAND (Tr. O. J. Jauregui) sick
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 257.70

7th race: #4 I'M ALL OUT (Tr. Jerry Hollendorfer) sick
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 233.00

11-04-09³ RULING NO. 6 – HARVEY (09SW165) (Refer: 10-30-09⁵)

Jockey **BARRINGTON HARVEY** is suspended five (5) racing days (November 13, 14, 15, 18 and 19, 2009) for misuse of the whip while riding FREEDOM EVENT in the seventh race at the Big Fresno Fair on October 9, 2009; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (b) (3) (Use of Whips).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

The foregoing ruling was issued after the Board of Stewards considered the evidence and testimony presented at the hearing held on October 30, 2009.

Three prior whip violations by Mr. Harvey within one year resulted in fines (\$300.00, \$500.00, \$1,500.00) and the Board of Stewards believes this suspension is warranted with stiffer penalties for any further violations.

11-04-09⁴ **RULING NO. 7 – DILLENBECK** (09GG335)

Trainer **BRUCE DILLENBECK**, who started the horse EL GRAN BULL, third place finisher in the third race at Golden Gate Fields on September 30, 2009, is fined the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00) pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1843 (a) & (d) (Medications, Drugs and Other Substances: Prohibited Substance – Dexamethasone – Class 4).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Dillenbeck appeared in response to a complaint filed against him alleging a violation of California Horse Racing Board rules #1843 (a & d), #1844 and #1887 (a).

Mr. Dillenbeck's horse, EL GRAN BULL, who finished third in the third race at Golden Gate Fields on September 30, 2009, showed the presence of Dexamethasone (Class 4) in the post race urine sample (GG07314).

Mr. Dillenbeck waived his right to a formal hearing and acknowledged he had treated his horse with Azium 72 hours prior to the race on September 30, 2009.

11-04-09⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	948	\$ 257,396.70
NCOT	1,982	\$ 646,731.90
SCOT		\$ 360,866.80
Out of State		\$1,080,211.13
TOTAL	2,930	\$2,345,206.53

Thursday11-05-09¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-Bred race for maiden fillies and mares, three years old and older, claiming price \$12,500, one mile, was used with six entries.

11-05-09² **DECLARATION – REFUND**

2 nd race:	#3 GOLDEN NICHOLS	(Tr. Rhoda March)	sick
	Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell		REFUND: \$ 221.70

11-05-09³ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1,658	\$ 267,879.20
NCOT	2,112	\$ 715,004.90
SCOT		\$ 390,759.60
Out of State		\$1,341,044.90
TOTAL	3,770	\$2,714,688.60

Friday11-06-09¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-Bred race for three year olds and older, claiming price \$6,250, six furlongs, was used open with six entries.

11-06-09² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

5 th race:	#2 LANG FIELD	(Tr. Steve Sherman)	sick
	Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell		REFUND: \$ 533.00
	#3 VOTE	(Tr. R. B. Hess)	off turf
	Stewards		REFUND: \$2,601.03
6 th race:	#7 MO'S LIL' INDIAN	(Tr. Bret H. Layne)	sick
	Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell		REFUND: \$ 234.00

11-06-09³ **RULING NO. 8 – COUTON**

Jockey **JULIEN COUTON** is fined the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for reporting late to the jockey's room on Thursday, November 5, 2009; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1680 (Jockeys and Drivers to Report).

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Couton appeared and acknowledged he was remiss in failing to report to the jockey's room at the designated time.

11-06-09⁴ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1,884	\$ 479,782.50
NCOT	4,742	\$1,520,642.90
SCOT		\$ 578,157.30
Out of State		\$1,250,998.87
TOTAL	6,626	\$3,829,581.57

Saturday11-07-09¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-Bred race for fillies and mares, three years old and older, claiming price \$10,500 - \$12,500, failed to fill.

11-07-09² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

7th race: #13 COUNTRY FARMER (Tr. Bud Klokstad) also eligible
Stewards REFUND: \$ 188.66

8th race: #7 NINER GENIUS (Tr. Gil Matos) sick
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell REFUND: \$ 468.30

11-07-09³ **ACCIDENT – INQUIRY – Fifth Race**

The stewards posted the inquiry sign following the fifth race for a review of an accident near 5/16 pole.

#2 HOT TAMALE BABY (Michael Martinez) fell near the 5/16 pole while trailing the field.

Jockey Michael Martinez was uninjured and cleared to ride his remaining mounts on the advice of track physician David Seftel, M.D.

HOT TAMALE BABY suffered a broken left shoulder and was euthanized on the track by track veterinarian Heather Kerr, D.V.M.

11-07-09⁴ **INQUIRY – DISQUALIFICATION – Seventh Race**

The stewards posted the inquiry sign following the seventh race for a review of an incident at the start involving #1 BUCCANEER'S GOLD (Adan Landeros) 7th, and #2 SKY PROSPECTOR (Hector Romero), last.

After reviewing the tapes, interviewing the patrol judges and riders involved, the stewards decided unanimously to disqualify #1 BUCCANEER'S GOLD from seventh to last for coming out into the path of #2 SKY PROSPECTOR, causing the latter to clip heels, stumble and lose all chance of better placing.

11-07-09⁵ **OBJECTION – NO CHANGE – Tenth Race**

The stewards posted the objection sign following the tenth race at the request of jockey Anisete Leon (#2 FRI GUY – 7th) who lodged a claim of foul against #7 ALOTTADAR (Russell Baze) 3rd.

The tapes show #2 FRI GUY steady near the 5/16 pole but were inconclusive as to who was at fault.

The stewards decided unanimously to make no change in the original order of finish.

11-07-09⁶ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	3,801	\$ 973,637.30
NCOT	7,353	\$2,538,612.40
SCOT		\$1,214,160.80
<u>Out of State</u>		<u>\$2,296,838.55</u>
TOTAL	11,154	\$7,023,249.05

Sunday

11-08-09¹ **CAL-BRED REPORT**

The Cal-Bred race for three year olds and older, claiming price \$9,000 - \$10,000, six furlongs, was used open with six entries.

11-08-09² **DECLARATIONS – REFUNDS**

1 st race: #2 STEADY DEMAND	(Tr. Jeff Mullins)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell		REFUND: \$1,009.60
5 th race: #10 PETE'S GLORY GIRL	(Tr. Roy Lumm)	enter back
Stewards		REFUND: \$ 442.90
9 th race: #2 NOE VALLEY	(Tr. Dennis Patterson)	sick
Examining Veterinarian Diane Isbell		REFUND: \$ 307.10
#13 SKIP'S LORRAINE	(Tr. William E. Morey)	also eligible
Stewards		REFUND: \$ 699.20

11-08-09³ **RULING NO. 9 – MARTINEZ**

Jockey **LUIS MARTINEZ** is fined the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00)* for reporting an incorrect weight on Saturday, November 7, 2009; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1682 (Weighing Out).

The above ruling was issued after Mr. Martinez appeared and apologized for failing to do his reported weight.

11-08-09⁴ **RULING NO. 10 – LANDEROS**

Jockey **ADAN LANDEROS**, who rode **BUCCANEER'S GOLD** in the seventh race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, November 7, 2009, is suspended five (5) racing days (November 18, 19, 20, 21 and 22, 2009) for failure to make a proper effort to maintain a straight course leaving the starting gate causing interference resulting in the disqualification of his mount from seventh to twelfth; a violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1699 (d) & (f) (Riding Rules – careless riding).

The term of this suspension shall not prohibit participation in designated races in California.

The foregoing ruling was issued after Mr. Landeros and the stewards reviewed the tapes of the seventh race from November 7, 2009.

Mr. Landeros acknowledged he erred in allowing his mount to wander and cause interference and as this is his second riding offense in less than a month a five day suspension is warranted.

11-08-09⁵ **ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	3,856	\$	563,753.50
NCOT	2,777	\$	857,011.60
SCOT		\$	761,000.30
<u>Out of State</u>			<u>\$1,532,700.77</u>
TOTAL	6,633	\$	\$3,714,466.17

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.

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

Date	Race	No.	Horse	Trainer	Reason	Vet	Refund
4-Nov	2	3	CLASSIC DEMAND	Jauregui	sick	Isbell	\$257.70
	7	4	I'M ALL OUT	Hollendorfer	sick	Isbell	\$233.00
5-Nov	2	3	GOLDEN NICHOLS	March	sick	Isbell	\$221.70
6-Nov	5	2	LANG FIELD	Sherman	sick	Isbell	\$533.00
	6	7	MO'S LILL' INDIAN	Layne	sick	Isbell	\$234.00
7-Nov	8	7	NINER GENIUS	Matos	sick	Isbell	\$468.30
8-Nov	1	2	STEADY DEMAND	Mullins	sick	Isbell	\$1,009.60
	9	2	NOE VALLEY	Winick	sick	Isbell	\$307.10

VETERINARY REPORT**Euthanized / Died**

11-04-09 Northern Punch (Tr. J. Josephson) left hind disarticulated fetlock & condylar fracture; Tapeta, training

11-07-09 Hot Tamale Baby (Tr. J. Josephson) fractured left front shoulder; Tapeta, racing

Veterinarian's List

There were fourteen (14) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick: 8
Injured: 0
Unsound: 3
Bled: 1
Medication: 2

There were nine (9) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick: 3
Injured: 4
Unsound: 1
Bled: 0
Medication: 1

Shockwave Therapy: There were two (2) shockwave therapy treatments reported.

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Anderson	258	\$68,883.80
Bakersfield	687	\$157,249.70
Eureka	0	\$0.00
Fresno	524	\$200,406.60
Fresno Club One	171	\$91,444.90
Monterey	493	\$151,495.70
Pleasanton	2683	\$1,119,665.40
Sacramento	2144	\$648,969.30
San Jose	2659	\$701,234.60
San Mateo	4301	\$1,711,256.50
Santa Rosa	1418	\$338,604.70
Stockton	1457	\$414,999.00
Tulare	366	\$97,569.50
Turlock	713	\$226,378.00
Vallejo	1092	\$349,846.00
So. California		\$3,304,944.80
Out of State		\$7,501,763.22

	4-Nov	5-Nov	6-Nov	7-Nov	8-Nov	WEEK	Meet
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
CAL-BRED RACES	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
CLAIMS	2	1	2	1	1	7	27
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	0	0	3	0	3	8
REFUNDS	2	1	3	2	4	12	47
RULINGS	2	0	1	0	2	5	10

Respectfully submitted,

Dennis Nevin, Steward-----
John B. Herbuveaux, Steward-----
Darrel McHargue, Steward

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