



New Mexico Racing Commission
4900 Alameda NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2016-DAA-1
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/25/2016

Licensee: ALLISON, ROBERT WAYNE
License Type: 2015 1 Year Steward Applicant Id: 2650
Date of Birth: 12/25/1942 License Number: 279476

Ruling # 2016-DAA-1

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

With regard to Robert Allison:

Licensee's New Mexico Racing Steward License # 279476 is hereby rescinded on June 25, 2016, because Robert Allison is no longer working as a Steward.

**This ruling is in accordance with:
16.47.1.8 (M)(2)**

A license is valid only under the condition that the licensee remains eligible to hold such license.

By Order of The Downs at Albuquerque Stewards



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-2
Track: Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/26/2016

Licensee: BELTRAN, JESUS G.
License Type: 2014 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 32966
Date of Birth: 07/13/1966 License Number: 216375

Ruling # 2016-DAA-2

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer/Owner, Jesus G. Beltran, having been duly notified, and having appeared telephonically through attorney Gene Chavez before the Board of Stewards on 6/24/16, regarding a lab report from UC/Davis (official testing laboratory for the NMSRC), for a confirmed positive test for the Class III drug "Clenbuterol", which was found in sample NM19292, after it was collected from the horse "Separate Wild" which finished 1st in the 3rd race, April 24, 2016 at SunRay Park.

(The original lab report indicated a finding of Clenbuterol in urine at 356pg/ml. Split sampling rights, as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC were afforded to, and accepted by, Jesus G. Beltran. The split was confirmed positive by TVMDL with a finding of 308pg/ml +/- 16 pg/ml in urine). With this drug, no level of detection is allowed to be found in a post-race sample.

Jesus G. Beltran is found to be in violation of:

15.2.6.9(D)(1) NMAC: A finding by the commission approved laboratory of a prohibited drug, chemical or other substance in a test specimen of a horse is prima facie evidence that the prohibited drug, chemical or other substance was administered to the horse and, in the case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race. Prohibited substances include: drugs or medications for which no acceptable levels have been established; therapeutic medications in excess of established acceptable levels; substances present in the horse in excess of levels at which such substances could occur naturally; substances foreign to a horse at levels that cause interference with testing procedures.

15.2.6.11(A) NMAC and 16.47.1.10(B)(1) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "The Trainer is the absolute insurer of the condition of horses entered in an official workout or race, and is responsible for the presence of any prohibited drug or medication, or other prohibited substance in such horse. A positive test for a prohibited drug or medication or other prohibited substance or the presence of permitted medication in excess of maximum allowable levels as reported by the commission approved laboratory is prima facie evidence of a violation of this rule. The Trainer is absolutely responsible regardless of the acts of third party."

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assess Jesus G. Beltran a penalty as follows:

(1) A suspension of any/all NMSRC issued licenses for a period of 30 calendar days (July 7, 2016 through August 6, 2016, Inclusive);

(2) A fine in the amount of one-thousand dollars (\$1,000.00.);

(3) Loss of purse of the 3rd race, April 24, 2016, at SunRay Park.

New Order of Finish: 1st Ugo Igo 4th Shesalasting Runner
2nd Raspberry Cola 5th Rabbit Trick
3rd Me Tuff Unplaced: Separate Wild

This is a first offense positive test violation in the past 365 day period, and is issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (C)(2) NMAC. The fine is to be paid on or before any reinstatement date, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(i) NMAC.

During said time of applicable suspension, Jesus G. Beltran is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMSRC, in accordance with 15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(a) NMAC, and 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(f) NMAC.

Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses owned or trained, or under the care of Jesus G. Beltran are ineligible to be entered or start in any race in this jurisdiction, per 15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(c) NMAC.

BY ORDER OF THE DOWNS at ALBUQUERQUE BOARD OF STEWARDS

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An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check.



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-3
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/26/2016

Licensee: BELTRAN, JESUS G.
License Type: 2014 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 32966
Date of Birth: 07/13/1966 License Number: 216375

Ruling # 2016-DAA-3

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer/Owner, Jesus G. Beltran, having been duly notified, and having appeared telephonically through attorney Gene Chavez before the Board of Stewards on 6/24/16, regarding a lab report from UC/Davis (official testing laboratory for the NMSRC), for a confirmed positive test for the Class III drug "Clenbuterol", which was found in sample NM19338, after it was collected from the horse "Miss Tessmocker" which finished 1st in the 6th race, April 29, 2016 at SunRay Park.

(The original lab report indicated a finding of Clenbuterol in urine at 705pg/ml. Split sampling rights, as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC were afforded to, and accepted by, Jesus G. Beltran. The split was confirmed positive by TVMDL with a finding of 614pg/ml +/- 14 pg/ml in urine). With this drug, no level of detection is allowed to be found in a post-race sample.

Jesus G. Beltran is found to be in violation of:

15.2.6.9(D)(1) NMAC: A finding by the commission approved laboratory of a prohibited drug, chemical or other substance in a test specimen of a horse is prima facie evidence that the prohibited drug, chemical or other substance was administered to the horse and, in the case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race. Prohibited substances include: drugs or medications for which no acceptable levels have been established; therapeutic medications in excess of established acceptable levels; substances present in the horse in excess of levels at which such substances could occur naturally; substances foreign to a horse at levels that cause interference with testing procedures.

15.2.6.11(A) NMAC and 16.47.1.10(B)(1) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "The Trainer is the absolute insurer of the condition of horses entered in an official workout or race, and is responsible for the presence of any prohibited drug or medication, or other prohibited substance in such horse. A positive test for a prohibited drug or medication or other prohibited substance or the presence of permitted medication in excess of maximum allowable levels as reported by the commission approved laboratory is prima facie evidence of a violation of this rule. The Trainer is absolutely responsible regardless of the acts of third party."

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assess Jesus G. Beltran a penalty as follows:

- (1) A suspension of any/all NMSRC issued licenses for a period of 90 calendar days, following suspension per 2016-DAA-2 (August 7, 2016 through November 5, 2016, Inclusive);
- (2) A fine in the amount of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500.00.);
- (3) Loss of purse of the 6th race, April 29, 2016, at SunRay Park. New Order of Finish:
1st Swiss Star 5th Teller Im Working
2nd Leo's Storm 6th Maken Dinero
3rd Mitey Mystery Man 7th Danzatleca
4th Dc Milk Shake Unplaced: Miss Tessmocker

This is a second offense positive test violation in the past 365 day period, and is issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (C)(2) NMAC. The fine is to be paid on or before any reinstatement date, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(l) NMAC.

During said time of applicable suspension, Jesus G. Beltran is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMSRC, in accordance with 15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(a) NMAC, and 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(f) NMAC.

Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses owned or trained, or under the care of Jesus G. Beltran are ineligible to be entered or start in any race in this jurisdiction, per 15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(c) NMAC.

BY ORDER OF THE DOWNS at ALBUQUERQUE BOARD OF STEWARDS

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-4
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/26/2016

Licensee: GUTIERREZ, TAURINO GONZALEZ
License Type: Trainer Applicant Id: 33130
Date of Birth: 01/04/1956 License Number: 81840

Ruling # 2016-DAA-4

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Taurino Gutierrez, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment: (Blinkers) , on the horse "Jp Pendleton" that ran in the 1st race, June 25, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Taurino Gutierrez, is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Taurino Gutierrez, a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before July 25, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

By Order of The Downs at Albuquerque Stewards

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-5
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/26/2016

Licensee: ROMAN, SERGIO P
License Type: 2015 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 19056
Date of Birth: 09/25/1969 License Number: 278978

Ruling # 2016-DAA-5

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Sergio Roman, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment: (Flipping Halter) , on the horse "James D Man" that ran in the 4th race, June 25, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Sergio Roman is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Sergio Roman a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before July 25,2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-6
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/26/2016

Licensee: BLEA,III ANTHONY R.
License Type: 2014 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 4852
Date of Birth: 03/12/1964 License Number: 205827

Ruling # 2016-DAA-6

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Anthony Blea III, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment: (Blinkers) , as entered on the horse "Docs Last Kiss" that ran in the 5th race, June 25, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Anthony Blea III is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Sergio Roman a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before July 25, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-7
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 6/29/2016

Licensee: REYNOLDS, CODY

License Type: 2013 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 34144

Date of Birth: 07/23/1981 License Number: 42698

Ruling # 2016-DAA-7

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Cody L. Reynolds, having been duly notified for a scheduled hearing and waving his rights to a hearing appeared before the Board of Stewards on this date, June 29, 2016, regarding a lab report from UC/Davis (official testing laboratory for the NMSRC) for a confirmed overage of allowable limits for the Class IV drug "Phenylbutazone" which was found in sample NM19265, after it was collected from the horse, "Unfinished Biz" which finished 1st in the 8th race, on April 22, 2016, at SunRay Park .

(The original lab report indicated a finding of Phenylbutazone at 3.00 ug/ml in blood/plasma, which exceeds the authorized limit of 2.00ug/ml. Split sampling rights, as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC were offered and confirmed at 2.68ug/ml +/- 0.08ug/ml by TVMDL Texas A&M.

Cody L. Reynolds is found to be in violation of:

15.2.6.9(D)(1-2-3) NMAC: Which states that "A finding by the Commission approved laboratory of a prohibited drug, chemical or other substance in a test specimen of a horse is prima facie evidence that the prohibited drug, chemical or other substance was administered to the horse and, in the case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race (b) therapeutic medications in excess of established acceptable levels".

15.2.6.9 (E)(1) NMAC: Which states "The permitted quantitative test level of Phenylbutazone shall be administered in such dosage amount that the official test sample shall not exceed 2 micrograms per milliliter of plasma".

15.2.6.11(A) NMAC and 16.47.1.10(B)(1) NMAC: Which states that "The Trainer is the absolute insurer of the condition of horses entered in an official workout or race, and is responsible for the presence of any prohibited drug or medication, or other prohibited substance in such horse. A positive test for a prohibited drug or medication or other prohibited substance or the presence of permitted medication in excess of maximum allowable levels as reported by the commission approved laboratory is prima facie evidence of a violation of this rule. The Trainer is absolutely responsible regardless of the acts of third party."

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed Cody Reynolds a penalty as follows;

1. A fine in the amount of One Thousand Dollars (\$1000.00);
2. NO CHANGE IN ORDER OF FINISH

This is a third positive test violation for the trainer and the second for the owner in the past 365 day period, and is issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (C)(3) NMAC. The fine is to be paid on or before July 29, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

By Order of The Albuquerque Board of Stewards

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B) (9) (b) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-8
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/1/2016

Licensee: VAN CULIN, CHRISTOPHER FRANCIS
License Type: 2015 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 2856
Date of Birth: 09/21/1963 License Number: 277396

Ruling # 2016-DAA-8

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Christopher Van Culin, having been notified at his last known address, signed but failed to appear, on 6/29/2016 before the Board of Stewards for the scheduled financial responsibility hearing.

As a result the hearing was held in absents of Christopher Van Culin, the Board of Stewards found licensee to be in violation of Commission rules and ordered that any/all New Mexico Racing Commission license (s) issued to Christopher Van Culin be suspended and that he be deemed ineligible for any future licensing in New Mexico until such time that full payment to Sherry Finch is made in the amount of \$2, 273.50 dollars (Two thousand, Two hundred Seventy Three dollars, and Fifty cents) plus 8.75% interest per year until the judgment is paid.

During said time of suspension Christopher Van Culin is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New Mexico Racing Commission in accordance with 15.2.1.9(C)(21)(a) NMAC.

Narrative: A default judgment was issued by Judge Barry D. Sharer in San Juan County Magistrate Court in Aztec on May 12, 2016.

This ruling is in accordance with:

16.47.1.8 GENERAL PROVISIONS:

L. GROUNDS FOR REFUSAL, DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF LICENSE

(1) The commission may refuse to issue a license to an applicant, or may suspend or revoke a license issued, or order disciplinary measures, if the applicant

(i) demonstrates a lack of financial responsibility by accumulating unpaid obligations, defaulting on obligations or issuing drafts or checks that are dishonored, or payment refused; for the purpose of this sub-section, non-compliance with the Parental Responsibility Act shall be considered grounds for refusal, denial, suspension, or revocation of a license; the application, or license as applicable, shall be reinstated if within thirty (30) days of the date of the notice, the applicant provides the commission with a certified statement from the department that they are in compliance with a judgment and order for support;

16.47.1.8 (I) (1) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that " All persons engaged in racing shall maintain financial responsibility in matters pertaining to racing and the Parental Responsibility Act."

By Order of The Downs at Albuquerque Stewards



New Mexico Racing Commission
4900 Alameda NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2016-DAA-9
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/1/2016

Licensee: ARROYO, JR NORBERTO

License Type: Jockey Applicant Id: 45918
Date of Birth: 07/19/1976 License Number: 80749

Ruling # 2016-DAA-9

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Norberto Arroyo Jr. having appeared before the Board of Stewards on this date July 1, 2016 for careless riding, that resulted in the disqualification while aboard Tijuana in the 9th race, June 26, 2016, at The Downs at Albuquerque is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

15.2.5.13 RUNNING OF THE RACE: (2) Interference, jostling or striking.

(a) A jockey shall not ride carelessly or willfully so as to permit his/her mount to interfere with, impede or intimidate any other horse in the race.

(b) No jockey shall carelessly or willfully jostle, strike or touch another jockey or another jockey's horse or equipment.

(3) Maintaining a straight course.

(a) When the way is clear in a race, a horse may be ridden to any part of the course, but if any horse swerves, or is ridden to either side, so as to interfere with, impede or intimidate any other horse, it is a foul.

(b) The offending horse may be disqualified, if in the opinion of the stewards, the foul altered the finish of the race, regardless of whether the foul was accidental, willful or the result of careless riding.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards have assessed a penalty of Seven (7) calendar days suspension starting on July 10, 2016 running through July 16, 2016. Mr. Arroyo Jr. is eligible to accept mounts for July 17, 2016.

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(c) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "If the Stewards determine the foul was intentional, or due to careless riding, they may fine or suspend the guilty jockey."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(a) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "When the way is clear in a race, a horse may be ridden to any part of the course, but if any horse swerves, or is ridden to either side, so as to interfere with, impede, or intimidate any other horse, it is a foul."

15.2.5.13(E)(2)(a) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "A jockey shall not ride carelessly or willfully so as to permit his/her mount to interfere with, impede or intimidate any other horse in the race."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-10
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/2/2016

Licensee: REYNOLDS, CODY

License Type: 2013 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 34144

Date of Birth: 07/23/1981 License Number: 42698

Ruling # 2016-DAA-10

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer/Owner, Cody L. Reynolds, having been duly notified for a scheduled hearing and waiving his rights to a hearing appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards on this date, July 1, 2016, regarding a lab report from UC/Davis (official testing laboratory for the NMSRC) for a confirmed overage of allowable limits for the Class IV drug "Phenylbutazone" which was found in sample NM19373, after it was collected from the horse, "Master Time" which finished 1st in the 6th race, on May 1, 2016, at SunRay Park.

(The original lab report indicated a finding of Phenylbutazone at 3.33ug/ml in blood/serum, which exceeds the authorized limit of 2.00ug/ml. Split sampling rights, as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC were offered and confirmed at 2.99ug/ml +/- 0.13 by TVMDL Texas A&M.

Cody L. Reynolds is found to be in violation of:

15.2.6.9 (D)(1-2-3) NMAC: Which states that "A finding by the Commission approved laboratory of a prohibited drug, chemical or other substance in a test specimen of a horse is prima facie evidence that the prohibited drug, chemical or other substance was administered to the horse and, in the case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race (b) therapeutic medications in excess of established acceptable levels".

15.2.6.9 (E)(1) NMAC: Which states "The permitted quantitative test level of Phenylbutazone shall be administered in such dosage amount that the official test sample shall not exceed 2 micrograms per milliliter of plasma".

15.2.6.11(A) NMAC and 16.47.1.10(B)(1) NMAC: Which states that "The Trainer is the absolute insurer of the condition of horses entered in an official workout or race, and is responsible for the presence of any prohibited drug or medication, or other prohibited substance in such horse. A positive test for a prohibited drug or medication or other prohibited substance or the presence of permitted medication in excess of maximum allowable levels as reported by the commission approved laboratory is prima facie evidence of a violation of this rule. The Trainer is absolutely responsible regardless of the acts of third party."

15.2.6.9 (C)(3) NMAC

This is treated as the 3rd offense in a 365-day period in any jurisdiction in the following levels, the penalty is disqualification, loss of purse and horse must pass a commission-approved examination before being eligible to run:

phenylbutazone (2.1-5.0 mcg/ml) (mcg/ml or ug/ml are the same)

For this violation the Board of Stewards assess Cody Reynolds a penalty as follows;

1. A fine in the amount of \$1000.00
2. Loss of purse in the 6th Race, May 1, 2016 at SunRay Park.
3. New Order of Finish:

1. Giant Prospector
2. Bullfight
3. Elusive
4. Quick Time

5. Points Alert
 6. Klassey Saint
- Unfinished = Master Time

This is a 5th (treated same as a third) positive test violation in the past 365-day period, and is issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (C)(3) NMAC. The fine is to be paid on or before August 1, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

By Order of the Board of Stewards at Albuquerque



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-11
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/2/2016

Licensee: MEDELLIN, ALEJANDRO HERRERA
License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey Applicant Id: 31173
Date of Birth: 01/23/1978 License Number: 280673

Ruling # 2016-DAA-11

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Alejandro Medellin having appeared before the Board of Stewards on July 1, 2016 for careless riding, while aboard Valiant Meltdown in the 3rd race, June 25, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty in the amount of Two Hundred dollars (\$200.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(1) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(E)(4)(a) NMAC:

Which states that "When the Stewards determine that a horse shall be disqualified for interference, they may place the offending horse behind such horse as in their judgment it interfered with, or they may place it last."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(d) NMAC:

Which states that "In a straightaway race, every horse must maintain position as nearly as possible in the lane in which it starts. If a horse is ridden, drifts or swerves out of its lane in such a manner that it interferes with, impedes or intimidates another horse, it is a foul and may result in the disqualification of the offending horse."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(b) NMAC:

Which states that "The offending horse may be disqualified, if in the opinion of the Stewards, the foul altered the finish of the race, regardless of whether the foul was accidental, willful or the result of careless riding."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-12
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/2/2016

Licensee: MEDRANO, ALBERT T.

License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey Applicant Id: 20151
Date of Birth: 10/09/1990 License Number: 280564

Ruling # 2016-DAA-12

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Albert T Medrano having appeared before the Board of Stewards on this July 1, 2016 for careless riding, while aboard Bummer No Corona in the 2nd race, June 25, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque, is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty of 3 calendar days. Days to start on July10, 2016 running through July12, 2016. Mr. Medrano may accept mounts on July 13, 2016

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(d) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "In a straightaway race, every horse must maintain position as nearly as possible in the lane in which it starts. If a horse is ridden, drifts or swerves out of its lane in such a manner that it interferes with, impedes or intimidates another horse, it is a foul and may result in the disqualification of the offending horse."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(c) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "If the Stewards determine the foul was intentional, or due to careless riding, they may fine or suspend the guilty jockey."

15.2.5.13(E)(2)(a) NMAC:

which states in pertinent part that "A jockey shall not ride carelessly or willfully so as to permit his/her mount to interfere with, impede or intimidate any other horse in the race."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-13
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/2/2016

Licensee: ESTRADA, SR SALVADOR Z
License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 12209
Date of Birth: 09/22/1940 License Number: 281449

Ruling # 2016-DAA-13

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Salvador Z. Estrada Sr., having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment as entered: (Blinkers) , on the horse "Tef's Little Cat" that ran in the 1st race, June 29, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Salvador Z. Estrada Sr. is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Salvador Z. Estrada Sr a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-14
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/2/2016

Licensee: CHAVEZ, ARTURO

License Type: 2015 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 23940
Date of Birth: 10/09/1957 License Number: 279870

Ruling # 2016-DAA-14

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Arturo Chavez, having appeared by telephone before the Board of Stewards on July 2, 2016, for failure to appear in paddock with his horse, Upper Canyon, which resulted in a late scratch in the 5th race June 29, 2016, at the Downs at Albuquerque.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed Trainer, Arturo Chavez a penalty in the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

16.47.1.10 (C) (22) presenting his/her horse in the paddock at least 20 minutes before post time or at a time otherwise appointed before the race in which the horse is entered.

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-15
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/3/2016

Licensee: GONZALEZ, JOSE A
License Type: 2015 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 29031
Date of Birth: 11/29/1965 License Number: 246836

Ruling # 2016-DAA-15

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee having appeared before the Board of Stewards on this July 3, 2016 for failure to declare equipment "Blinkers on" at time of entry on the horse Autumn's Girl, entered in the 9TH race, on June 26 2016, at The Downs at Albuquerque. Licensee is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty in the amount of Fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to paid on or before August 3, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8 (B)(9) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that " Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry."Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

16.47.1.8(L)(1)(h) NMAC:

Which states that "The Commission may refuse to issue a license to an applicant, or may suspend or revoke a license issued or order disciplinary measures, if the applicant is a person whose conduct or reputation may reflect on the honesty and integrity of horse racing or interfere with the orderly conduct of a race meet. Interfering with the orderly conduct of the race meet shall include, but not limit to, disruptive or intemperate behavior or behavior which exposes otherS to danger anywhere on the racetrack grounds. The fact that the race meet was not actually interrupted is not a defense to the imposition of discipline under this rule."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-16
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/3/2016

Licensee: ALDAVAZ, SR JAIME G.
License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 19631
Date of Birth: 05/01/1971 License Number: 281163

Ruling # 2016-DAA-16

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Jaime Aldavaz Sr having been duly notified, and having appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards on July 2, 2016 regarding a lab report from UC/Davis (official testing laboratory for the NMSRC) for a confirmed overage of allowable limits for the Class IV drugs "Phenylbutazone" and "Flunixin" which was found in sample NM19520, after it was collected from the horse, "Zuellas Heat" which finished first in the 7th race, May 15, 2016, at SunRay Park;

(The original lab report indicated a finding of Phenylbutazone at 1.88 mcg/ml and Flunixin at 23.0 ng/ml in blood. Split sampling rights, as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC were afforded, and confirmed by TVMDL at 1.39 +/- 0.09 mcg/ml and 19.88 +/- ng/ml respectively .

Jaime Aldavaz Sr is found to be in violation of:

15.2.6.9(D)(1-2-3) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "A finding by the Commission approved laboratory of a prohibited drug, chemical or other substance in a test specimen of a horse is prima facie evidence that the prohibited drug, chemical or other substance was administered to the horse and, in the case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race (b) therapeutic medications in excess of established acceptable levels".

15.2.6.11(A) NMAC and 16.47.1.10(B)(1) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "The Trainer is the absolute insurer of the condition of horses entered in an official workout or race, and is responsible for the presence of any prohibited drug or medication, or other prohibited substance in such horse. A positive test for a prohibited drug or medication or other prohibited substance or the presence of permitted medication in excess of maximum allowable levels as reported by the commission approved laboratory is prima facie evidence of a violation of this rule. The Trainer is absolutely responsible regardless of the acts of third party."

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed Jaime Aldavaz a penalty as follows;

**A fine in the amount of one thousand dollars (\$1,000);
NO CHANGE IN ORDER OF FINISH**

This is a 4th positive test violation in the past 365 day period, and is issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (C)(3)(c) NMAC. The fine is to be paid on or before any reinstatement date, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

BY ORDER OF THE DOWNS AT ALBUQUERQUE BOARD OF STEWARDS

Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.



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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-17
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/3/2016

Licensee: MORENO, TOMAS DOMINGUEZ
License Type: Trainer Applicant Id: 23314
Date of Birth: 03/07/1942 License Number: 81853

Ruling # 2016-DAA-17

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Tomas D. Moreno, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment as entered: (Blinkers) , on the horse "Quickie in Corona" that ran in the 1st race, July 2, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Tomas D. Moreno is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Salvador Z. Estrada Sr a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-18
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/3/2016

Licensee: DANLEY, FRED IKE
License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 24866
Date of Birth: 07/17/1942 License Number: 280582

Ruling # 2016-DAA-18

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Fred I. Danley having appeared via his representative Emilio Cadena III before the Board of Stewards on July 3, 2016, for necessitating the late scratch of the horse I Am Dandy from the 5th race on July 2, 2016 without the approval of the Board of Stewards. Licensee is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty in the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of: NMAC

16.47.1.10 C. OTHER RESPONSIBILITY: A trainer is responsible for

(17) representing an owner in making entries and scratches and in all other matters pertaining to racing; horses entered as to eligibility and weight or other allowances claimed;

(18) horses entered as to eligibility and weight or other allowances claimed

15.2.5.9 B

(2) The scratch of a horse after closing shall be made by the owner, trainer or their licensed designee, with permission from the stewards

(4) No horse may be scratched from an overnight race without approval of the stewards

16.47.1.8(L)(1)(h) NMAC:

Which states that "The Commission may refuse to issue a license to an applicant, or may suspend or revoke a license issued or order disciplinary measures, if the applicant is a person whose conduct or reputation may reflect on the honesty and integrity of horse racing or interfere with the orderly conduct of a race meet. Interfering with the orderly conduct of the race meet shall include, but not limit to, disruptive or intemperate behavior or behavior which exposes others to danger anywhere on the racetrack grounds. The fact that the race meet was not actually interrupted is not a defense to the imposition of discipline under this rule."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-19
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/3/2016

Licensee: DENNISON, DANIEL H
License Type: Trainer Applicant Id: 20492
Date of Birth: 01/24/1952 License Number: 81838

Ruling # 2016-DAA-19

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Dan Dennison, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment as entered: (Blinkers) , on the horse "Kays T K O" that ran in the 10th race, July 2, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Dan Dennison is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

16.47.1.10 (B)(17) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for representing an Owner in making entries and scratches, and in all other matters pertaining to racing, horses entered as to eligibility, and weight or other allowances claimed".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Salvador Z. Estrada Sr a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 2, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-20
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/8/2016

Licensee: VAN CULIN, CHRISTOPHER FRANCIS
License Type: 2015 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 2856
Date of Birth: 09/21/1963 License Number: 277396

Ruling # 2016-DAA-20
Action Type: Initial Ruling
Ruling:

Licensee Christopher Van Culin having fulfilled his financial obligations on July 7, 2016 and having documentation provided before the Board of Stewards on July 8, 2016 and having fulfilled the conditions required in Ruling #2016-DAA-8, is hereby reinstated, and restored to good standing

(This ruling to supersede Ruling# 2016-DAA-8 issued on July 1, 2016.)

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-21
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/8/2016

Licensee: MORENO, TOMAS DOMINGUEZ
License Type: Trainer Applicant Id: 23314
Date of Birth: 03/07/1942 License Number: 81853

Ruling # 2016-DAA-21

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee having appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards on July 8, 2016 for failure to declare equipment "Blinkers On" at time of entry on the horse "Quickie in Corona" entered in the 1ST race on July 2, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.. Licensee is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty in the amount of Fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to paid on or before August 8, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(l) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8 (B)(9) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that " Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry."Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

16.47.1.8(L)(1)(h) NMAC:

Which states that "The Commission may refuse to issue a license to an applicant, or may suspend or revoke a license issued or order disciplinary measures, if the applicant is a person whose conduct or reputation may reflect on the honesty and integrity of horse racing or interfere with the orderly conduct of a race meet. Interfering with the orderly conduct of the race meet shall include, but not limit to, disruptive or intemperate behavior or behavior which exposes otherS to danger anywhere on the racetrack grounds. The fact that the race meet was not actually interrupted is not a defense to the imposition of discipline under this rule."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-22
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/8/2016

Licensee: KAUFFMANN, PAUL JOHN
License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 33923
Date of Birth: 07/28/1944 License Number: 282352

Ruling # 2016-DAA-22

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee's New Mexico Racing Commission License # 282352 is hereby rescinded having terminated employment and no longer working in this licensed capacity.

Explanation of license situation: Mr. Kauffmann is presently not training horses in the state of New Mexico.

The License of Mr. Paul Kauffmann is hereby rescinded without prejudice

This ruling is in accordance with:
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16.47.1.8 GENERAL PROVISIONS

(2) A license is valid only under the condition that the licensee remains eligible to hold such license

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-23
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/9/2016

Licensee: COX, SHAE LARA

License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 6315
Date of Birth: 07/26/1987 License Number: 282198

Ruling # 2016-DAA-23

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Shae Cox, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment as entered: (Flipping Halter) , on the horse "Hit the Rainbow" that ran in the 1st race, July 4, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Shae Cox is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Shae Cox a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-24
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/9/2016

Licensee: TAPIA, ADAM A

License Type: Trainer

Applicant Id: 19262

Date of Birth: 02/16/1934

License Number: 163990

Ruling # 2016-DAA-24

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Adam A. Tapia, having telephonically appeared, before the Board of Stewards on this date for failure to provide equipment as entered: (Flipping Halter) , on the horse "Eyes Here First" that ran in the 4th race, July 4, 2016 at The Downs at Albuquerque.

Adam A. Tapia, is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.8(B)(10) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the Stewards.

15.2.5.13(A)(7) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "No licensee may change any equipment on a horse in its last race without approval of the Paddock Judge or Stewards".

For this 1st violation at this meeting, the Board of Stewards assessed Adam A. Tapia, a penalty of a fine in the amount of fifty dollars (\$50.00). The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Appeal Filing Deadline: 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b)NMAC: Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days from the date of the ruling. The appeal must be filed at the main Commission offices, or with the Stewards who issued the ruling.

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-25
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/9/2016

Licensee: STEPHENS, RONALD L
License Type: 2014 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 21093
Date of Birth: 10/09/1943 License Number: 206312

Ruling # 2016-DAA-25

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Ronald L. Stephens, having appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards on this date, for failure to be excused from, or to be in attendance to saddle his horse, "Genuine High" prior to the 3rd race, July 6, 2016, at the Downs at Albuquerque.

Ronald L. Stephens is found to be in violation of;

16.47.1.10 (C)(23) NMAC: Which states in pertinent part "The Trainer is responsible for personally attending his/her horse in the paddock, and supervising the saddling thereof, unless excused by the Stewards".

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assess Ronald L. Stephens a penalty in the amount of \$200.00.

The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC.

Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main Commission offices or with the Stewards who issued the ruling

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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-26
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/10/2016

Licensee: PARGA-LEOS, JAIME
License Type: Jockey Applicant Id: 30593
Date of Birth: 01/01/1981 License Number: 80735

Ruling # 2016-DAA-26

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Jaime Parga-Leos having been duly notified **appeared** telephonically before the Board of Stewards on July 9, 2016, for failure to honor his/her riding engagement on June 26, 2016.

Narrative: Mr. Parga-Loes accepted mounts for June 26, 2016 and failed to appear and/or notify the stewards that he would not be present to ride, which resulted in a late change of riders.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed licensee a penalty in the amount of Two Hundred dollars \$200.00. The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(C)(3) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "Except as otherwise provided by this subsection, a jockey engaged for a certain race or for a specified time may not fail or refuse to abide by the engagement agreement, unless excused by the Stewards."

15.2.5.13(C)(1) NMAC:

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15.2.1.9(b):

Which states in pertinent part that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

By Order of The Downs at Albuquerque Stewards



New Mexico Racing Commission
4900 Alameda NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2016-DAA-27
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/10/2016

Licensee: PARGA-LEOS, JAIME

License Type: Jockey Applicant Id: 30593

Date of Birth: 01/01/1981 License Number: 80735

Ruling # 2016-DAA-27

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Jaime Parga-Leos having been duly notified **appeared** telephonically before the Board of Stewards on July 9, 2016, for failure to honor his/her riding engagement on July 2, 2016.

Narrative: Mr. Parga-Loes accepted mounts for July 2, 2016 and failed to appear and/or notify the stewards that he would not be present to ride, which resulted in a late change of riders.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed licensee a penalty in the amount of Two Hundred dollars \$200.00. The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(C)(3) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "Except as otherwise provided by this subsection, a jockey engaged for a certain race or for a specified time may not fail or refuse to abide by the engagement agreement, unless excused by the Stewards."

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New Mexico Racing Commission
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Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2016-DAA-28
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/10/2016

Licensee: PARGA-LEOS, JAIME

License Type: Jockey Applicant Id: 30593

Date of Birth: 01/01/1981 License Number: 80735

Ruling # 2016-DAA-28

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Jaime Parga-Leos having been duly notified **appeared** telephonically before the Board of Stewards on July 9, 2016, for failure to honor his/her riding engagement on July 6, 2016.

Narrative: Mr. Parga-Loes accepted mounts for July 6, 2016 and failed to appear and/or notify the stewards that he would not be present to ride, which resulted in a late change of riders.

For this rule violation, the Board of Stewards assessed licensee a penalty in the amount of Two Hundred dollars \$200.00. The fine is to be paid on or before August 9, 2016 in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(l) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(C)(3) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "Except as otherwise provided by this subsection, a jockey engaged for a certain race or for a specified time may not fail or refuse to abide by the engagement agreement, unless excused by the Stewards."

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New Mexico Racing Commission
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Ruling #: 2016-DAA-29
Track Downs at Albuquerque
Ruling Date: 7/13/2016

Licensee: MEDRANO, ALBERT T.

License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey Applicant Id: 20151
Date of Birth: 10/09/1990 License Number: 280564

Ruling # 2016-DAA-29

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Licensee Albert Medrano having appeared before the Board of Stewards on July 13, 2016 for careless riding, while aboard Celebratist in the 5th race, July 9, 2016, at The Downs at Albuquerque. After a Stewards Inquiry and a claim of foul by the rider Jose Enriquez Ortiz of the #2 horse Cautiously and after reviewing the race we found evidence to warrant the disqualification of #7 Celebratist from 1st and placed 4th behind the #3 horse No Playing Games.

Mr. Medrano striking his horse Celebratist right handed with the riding crop caused his horse Celebratist to veer left interfering with the #3 No Playing Games, and the #2 Cautiously.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed a penalty of Three (3) racing days.
July 22, 23, 24, 2016

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(E)(4)(a) NMAC:

Which states that "When the Stewards determine that a horse shall be disqualified for interference, they may place the offending horse behind such horse as in their judgment it interfered with, or they may place it last."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(d) NMAC:

Which states that "In a straightaway race, every horse must maintain position as nearly as possible in the lane in which it starts. If a horse is ridden, drifts or swerves out of its lane in such a manner that it interferes with, impedes or intimidates another horse, it is a foul and may result in the disqualification of the offending horse."

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(b) NMAC:

Which states that "The offending horse may be disqualified, if in the opinion of the Stewards, the foul altered the finish of the race, regardless of whether the foul was accidental, willful or the result of careless riding."

15.2.1.9(b):

Which states that "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the date of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, the period is extended to include the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday. The appeal must be received by noon, at the main commission offices or with the stewards who issued the ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$500. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

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