



New Mexico Racing Commission  
4900 Alameda NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2018-RUI-15  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/11/2018

Licensee: VICKERY, BRET N

License Type: 2017 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 21339  
License Number: 286796

Ruling # 2018-RUI-15

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer **Bret Vickery** waived his rights to a 10 day notice and formal hearing before the Board of Stewards on **June 11, 2018**. The hearing was in regard to **Bret Vickery** failing to have the owner licensed for entry "**REIGN N CHASH**", which resulted in a late scratch from **the 4th race on May 28, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs Racetrack**.

The Board of Stewards hereby fine **Bret Vickery** in the amount **of two hundred dollars (\$200.00)**. The fine is to be paid on or before **July 11, 2018**, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(8) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

**Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

**15.2.5.12(X) Horse ineligible** Which states in pertinent part "A horse shall be ineligible to start in a race when its Owner, Lessor, and /or Trainer have not completed the licensing procedures required by the Commission".

**16.47.1.10 (C)(17) Trainer Responsibility:** 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".

**16.47.1.10 (C)(16) Trainer Responsibility** The Trainer is responsible for disclosure of the true and entire ownership of each horse in their care, custody or control; any change in ownership must be reported immediately to, and approved by, the stewards and recorded by the racing secretary

**15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d)Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-16  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/11/2018

Licensee: EPLEY, CARY LEE

License Type: 2015 3 Year Owner      Applicant Id: 158115  
License Number: 279553

Ruling # 2018-RUI-16  
Action Type: Initial Ruling  
Ruling:

**Owner Cary Lee Epley** was duly notified, failed to appear, and had his hearing held in absentia, in accordance with **15.2.1.9(B)(4)(d)non-appearance**, before the Board of Stewards on **June 11, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs**. The hearing was in regards to a **court default judgment issued by The State of New Mexico County of Lincoln Twelfth Judicial Court awarded to Trainer Harvey Baeza in the amount of \$13,841.89 (\$11,732.64 for training fees and \$2,109.25 for attorney fees)**.

The Board of Stewards hereby order that any/all New Mexico Racing Commission licenses issued to **Cary Lee Epley** be suspended starting **June 11, 2018**, and that **he** be deemed ineligible for any future licensing in New Mexico until such time that full payment is made to **Harvey Baeza in the amount of \$13,841.89 for training and attorney fees**.

During said time of applicable suspension **Cary Lee Epley** is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMRC, in accordance with **15.2.1.9 (C)(21)**. Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses **owned, or under the care of Cary Lee Epley** are ineligible to be entered or start in any race in this jurisdiction, per **15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(c)**. All transfers and sales of horses **owned by or in the care and custody of Cary Lee Epley** must be done in accordance with **15.2.6.9A(12)(a)(b) Medication and Prohibited Substances** and **15.2.1.9(B)(8)(b) DUE PROCESS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION**.

**Licensee is found in Violation of and this ruling in written in accordance with:**

**16.47.1.8 L (1)(J) NMAC: Grounds For Refusal, Denial, Suspension, or Revocation of License**

**16.47.1.8 (I): Financial Responsibility**

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(i) – CONDUCT 15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d)Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority 16.47.1.8 (A)(1)(2) License Required /16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address/ 16.47.1.8(L)(1)(e) Grounds For Disciplinary Measures/ 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(a)Failure to Appeal/

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-17  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/11/2018

Licensee: CRAWFORD, CLINTON TYLER

License Type: 2017 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 12039  
License Number: 288255

Ruling # 2018-RUI-17

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Trainer Clinton Crawford** was duly notified, failed to appear, and had **his** hearing held in absentia, in accordance with **15.2.1.9(B)(4)(d)non-appearance**, before the Board of Stewards on **June 11, 2018**. The hearing was in regard to **Clinton Crawford** failing to declare equipment (**Flipping Halter ON**) at time of entry for **"SEIS SOUTHERN LADY"** entered in **15th race on May 25, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs Racetrack**.

The Board of Stewards hereby fines **Clinton Crawford** in the amount of **two hundred dollars (\$200.00)**. The fine is to paid on or before **July 11, 2018**, 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 and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

**15.2.5.8 (B)(10) Procedure For Entries** Any approved change of equipment must be declared at time of entry. Any changes after that time must be approved by the stewards.

**15.2.5.8 (B)(6) Procedure For Entries** No alteration may be made in any entry after the closing of entries, but an error may be corrected with permission of the stewards

**15.2.5.13 (A)(6) Equipment For The Running Of The Race:** No licensee may add blinkers to a horse's equipment or discontinue their use without the prior approval of the starter, the paddock judge, and the stewards.

**15.2.6.11(E)(10)Trainer Responsibility** The trainer is responsible for ensuring proper bandages, equipment and shoes.

**15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d)Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-18  
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Ruling Date: 6/15/2018

Licensee: BECERRA, JR SERGIO

License Type: 2017 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 32539  
License Number: 284870

Ruling # 2018-RUI-18

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Sergio Becerrera Jr.** was summoned **and appeared** before the Board of Stewards **June 15, 2018**, for careless riding during the running of the **1st race on June 10, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs**, while **aboard "BIG GRAY LETS DANCE"**.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess **Sergio Becerrera Jr.** a suspension of **7 calendar days (June 23, 2018, through June 29, 2018)**. **Sergio Becerrera Jr.** is allowed to ride designated races.

**Licensee is found in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

**15.2.5.13(E)(2)(a) NMAC: Post to Finish** 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."

**15.2.5.13(E)(3)(d) NMAC: Post to Finish (d)** 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: Post to Finish** 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."

**15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A) Notice of Hearing for Jockeys** 15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d) Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority 16.47.1.8 (A)(1)(2) License Required /16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address/ 16.47.1.8(L)(1)(e) Grounds For Disciplinary Measures/ 15.2.1.9(B)(9) (a) Failure to Appeal/ 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b): Appeal Procedures 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 #: 2018-RUI-19  
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Ruling Date: 6/15/2018

Licensee: BECERRA, JR SERGIO

License Type: 2017 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 32539  
License Number: 284870

Ruling # 2018-RUI-19

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Sergio Becerrera Jr.** was summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on **June 15, 2018**, for failure to make sufficient effort to control his mount **"RUSTYS MIRACLE"** in the **9th race on June 10, 2018, Ruidoso Downs.**

The Board of Stewards hereby assess **Sergio Becerrera Jr.** a fine in the amount of **two hundred dollars, (\$200.00).** This fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, 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 in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

15.2.5.13(E)(3)(d) NMAC: Post to Finish 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.

15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A) Notice of Hearing for Jockeys

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Licensee: SALCEDO, MAURO

License Type:

Applicant Id: 137075  
License Number:

Ruling # 2018-RUI-20

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Mauro Salcedo** was summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on **June 15, 2018**, for failure to make sufficient effort to control his mount "**HIGH MOONFLASH**" in the **1st race on June 10, 2018, Ruidoso Downs.**

The Board of Stewards hereby assess **Mauro Salcedo**, a fine in the amount of **two hundred dollars, (\$200.00)**. This fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, 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.

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15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A) Notice of Hearing for Jockeys

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-21  
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Licensee: FUENTES, JR MIGUEL

License Type: 2017 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 4259  
License Number: 287685

Ruling # 2018-RUI-21

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Miguel Fuentes Jr.** was summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on **June 15, 2018**, for failure to make sufficient effort, **at the break**, to control his mount "**KNOWLEDGE IS POWER**", in the **5th race on June 10, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs**.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess, **Miguel Fuentes Jr.**, a fine in the amount of **two hundred dollars, (\$200.00)**. This fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, 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.

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15.2.5.13(E)(3)(a) NMAC: Post to Finish 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)(3)(c) NMAC: Post to Finish 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."

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-22  
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Licensee: SHEPHARD, JUSTIN T

License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 5334  
License Number: 284478

Ruling # 2018-RUI-22

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Justin Shephard** was summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on **June 15, 2018**, for failure to make sufficient effort, **at the break**, to control his mount "**SILVER SECRET R F**", in the **5th race on June 10, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs**.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess, **Justin Shephard**, a fine in the amount of **two hundred dollars, (\$200.00)**. This fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, 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.

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-23  
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Licensee: PARGA-LEOS, JAIME

License Type: 2017 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 30593  
License Number: 284865

Ruling # 2018-RUI-23

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Jockey Jaime Parga Leos, was summoned and failed to appear or send a jockey guild's representative for film review regarding the 9th race on June 10, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs.**

The Board of Stewards hereby fines **Jaime Parga Leos** in the amount of **one hundred dollars (\$100.00)**. The fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, in accordance with **15.2.3.8(B)(3)(I)**. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

**Licensee is found in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

15.2.1.9(B)(4)(d) Nonappearance Of A Summoned Party Which states in pertinent part that "Nonappearance of a summoned party after adequate notice shall be construed as a waiver of the right to a hearing before the board of stewards.

15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A) Notice Of Hearing- Jockey Except as provided by these rules regarding summary suspension, jockey riding infractions and trial races, the stewards or a racing commission designee shall provide written notice, at least 10 days before the hearing, to a person who is the subject of a disciplinary hearing. The person may waive their right to 10 days notice by executing a written waiver.

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-24  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/15/2018

Licensee: PARGA-LEOS, JAIME

License Type: 2017 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 30593  
License Number: 284865

Ruling # 2018-RUI-24

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey **Jaime Parga Leos**, was summoned, failed to appear, and had **his** hearing held in absentia, in accordance with **15.2.1.9(B)(4)(d) non-appearance**, before the Board of Stewards on **June 15, 2018**, for failure to make sufficient effort to maintain his lane while aboard "**EM BODACIOUS CHICK**", in the **9th race on June 10, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs**.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess, **Jaime Parga Leos**, a fine in the amount of **two hundred dollars, (\$200.00)**. The fine is to be paid on or before **July 15, 2018**, in accordance with **15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(I)**. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

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By Order of The Ruidoso Downs Stewards



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4900 Alameda NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: 2018-RUI-25  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/16/2018

Licensee: ORONA, SR MARTIN RODRIGUEZ

License Type: 2016 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 19384  
License Number: 284004

Ruling # 2018-RUI-25  
Action Type: Initial Ruling  
Ruling:

**Trainer Martin Orona Sr.** was duly notified and waived his rights to a 10 day notice and formal hearing before the Board of Stewards on **June 16, 2018**, for working unlicensed help **on June 11, 2018**, **at Ruidoso Downs.**

The Board of Stewards hereby fines **Martin Orona Sr.** in the amount of **two hundred dollars (\$200).** This fine is to be paid on or before **July 16, 2018**, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(l) NMAC. Failure to pay this fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

**Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:**

16.47.1.8 (G)(1) Which states in pertinent part "The employment of any unlicensed person under the jurisdiction of the Commission is prohibited".

15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d) Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority  
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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 #: 2018-RUI-26  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/18/2018

Licensee: ORTIZ, JOSE ENRIQUE

License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 35364  
License Number: 281100

Ruling # 2018-RUI-26

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey Jose Enrique Ortiz was duly notified, failed to appear, and had his hearing held in absentia, in accordance with 15.2.1.9(B)(4)(d)non-appearance, before the Board of Stewards on June 18, 2018. The hearing was in regard to Jose Enrique Ortiz failing to make his assigned weight, which resulted in late rider changes on May 25, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs.

The Board of Stewards hereby fines Jose Enrique Ortiz in the amount of two hundred dollars (\$200.00). The fine is to be paid on or before July 18, 2018, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(l) NMRC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.5.13(C)(1)** Which states in pertinent part that "Jockeys shall report to the Jockey's quarters at the time designated by the association. Jockeys shall report their engagements and any overweight to the clerk of scales. Jockeys shall not leave the Jockeys' quarters, except to ride in scheduled races, until all of their riding engagements of the day have been fulfilled except as approved by the Stewards."

**15.2.5.13(C) (12)** Seven pounds is the limit of overweight any horse is permitted to carry.

15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A) Notice of Hearing for Jockeys, 15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d)Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority ,16.47.1.8 (A)(1)(2) License Required /16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address/ 16.47.1.8(L)(1)(e) Grounds For Disciplinary Measures/ 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(a)Failure to Appeal/

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-27  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/18/2018

Licensee: MEDELLIN, ALEJANDRO HERRERA

License Type: 2016 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 31173  
License Number: 280673

Ruling # 2018-RUI-27

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

issued in error

**15.2.3.8(B)(1)(e) Stewards Authority** The stewards shall have the authority to amend, revoke, rescind or modify any ruling that they issued in error in accordance with the laws of this state and these rules.

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Ruling #: 2018-RUI-28  
Track Ruidoso Downs  
Ruling Date: 6/18/2018

Licensee: WILLOUGHBY, KYLE C

License Type: 2017 1 Year Exercise P Applicant Id: 5125  
License Number: 287555

Ruling # 2018-RUI-28

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Exercise Rider Kyle Willoughby was duly notified and waived his rights to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Board of Stewards on June 18, 2018, for wearing a non-approved helmet during training hours on June 7, 2018, at Ruidoso Downs.

The Board of Stewards hereby fines Kyle Willoughby in the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100.00). The fine is to be paid on or before July 18, 2018, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(1) NMRC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension

Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with:

15.2.5.13 (A)(8)(a) SAFETY REQUIREMENTS Any licensed assistant starter and any licensee mounted on a horse or stable pony on the association grounds must wear a properly fastened New Mexico racing commission approved protective helmet and safety vest. (a) The approved protective helmet and safety vest shall be worn when: (i) racing, parading or warming up a horse prior to racing; or (ii) jogging, training or exercising a horse at any time.

15.2.5.13 (A)(8)(B) HELMET Any licensed assistant starter and any licensee mounted on a horse or stable pony on the association grounds must wear a properly fastened New Mexico racing commission approved protective helmet and safety vest. The helmet worn must comply with one of the following minimum safety standards or later revisions: (i) American society for testing materials (ASTM 1163); or (ii) UK standards (EN-1384 and PAS-015); or (iii) Australian/New Zealand standard (AS/NZ 3838)

15.2.1.8(B)(1) COMMISSION GENERAL AUTHORITY/15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action/15.2.3.8 B (1) (a)(c)(d)Stewards General Authority/16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority

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