



New Mexico Racing Commission
4900 Alameda NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: **2018-ZIA-42**
Track: Zia Park
Ruling Date: 10/13/2018

Licensee: **SANCHEZ, JACKIE EMILY**
License Type: **2016 3 Year Trainer** Applicant Id: **31778**
License Number: **280903**

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RE: 2018-ZIA-42 - Ruling Final Outcome

Trainer **Jackie Sanchez** was summarily suspended on October 13, 2018 and appeared for a summary suspension hearing, before the Board of Stewards on October 16, 2018, where she waived her rights to a 10-day notice and formal hearing. The hearing was in regards to a certificate of analysis from **Industrial Laboratories** (official testing laboratory for the NMRC) for a confirmed positive for the therapeutic medication "Methylprednisolone" (class 4 penalty C Major) and the controlled substance and prohibited drug (class 3 penalty B) "clenbuterol" detected in the urine of horse "**CLASSEE**" (Test Sample #: **E290286**), who finished **second place in the 4th race on September 29, 2018, at Zia Park Racetrack.**

The original lab report indicated a finding of Methylprednisolone at **228±21 pg/ml in the blood**, which exceeds the authorized medication limit of 100 pg/ml in the blood (**15.2.6.9 Attachment #2, Page 5**). Split sample rights as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC, were afforded to and declined by **Jackie Sanchez**.

Ivan Nunez is the **owner** of record for horse "**CLASSEE**" and this is **his FIRST Class 4C Major and Class 3B medication violation in a 365-day period.**

For Jackie Sanchez's FIRST Class 4C Major and Class 3B medication violation in a 365-day period, the Board of Stewards hereby assess a penalty, issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (B)(2) Penalty Recommendations, as follows:

1. **A 60 day suspension** of all NMRC licenses retroactive from the summary suspension, **October 13, 2018, through December 11, 2018, inclusive.**
2. (Clenbuterol) A (1,000.00) one thousand dollar fine to paid on or before **November 16, 2018**, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3) (I). Failure to pay the fine in the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension.
3. (Methylprednisolone) A (1,000.00) one thousand dollar fine to paid on or before **November 16, 2018**, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(I). Failure to pay the fine in the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension.
4. **Per 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(j)**, the Board of Stewards hereby refer **Jackie Sanchez** to the New Mexico Racing Commission for further action if deemed appropriate

During said time of applicable suspension **Jackie Sanchez** 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 trained by, or under the care of Jackie Sanchez** 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 **trained or owned by, or in the care and custody of Jackie Sanchez** must be done in accordance with **15.2.6.9A(12)(a)(b) Medication and Prohibited Substances, 15.2.1.9(B)(8)(b) DUE PROCESS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION, and 16.47.1.10(D)(5) Assistant Trainers.**

Licensee is found in violation of and ruling written in accordance with: 15.2.3.8(B)(1)(3)(f)(g)(j)Stewards/ 15.2.6.9(C)(1)(4)Medication Restrictions/ 15.2.6.11(A) Trainer Responsibility/ 15.2.6.9(B)(2) Penalty Recommendations /16.47.1.8(T)Knowledge Of The Rules/ 16.47.1.8(U)(1) Protection of Horses/ 16.47.1.10(B) (1)(2)(3)Absolute Insurer/ 15.2.6.11 (A)(B)Trainer Responsibility **15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b): Appeal Procedures** 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.