



New Mexico Racing Commission  
4900 Alameda NE  
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: **2023-SUN-13**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 1/24/2023

Licensee: **NAYEN, CARLOS MIGUEL**

License Type: Applicant Id: **4523**  
License Number:

Ruling # 2023-SUN-13

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

In reference to rulings Delta Downs Ruling 25083 and in accordance with **16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (e) Reciprocity**, the **Owner/Stable Licenses (Red Sea Racing and Two O Five Racing)** issued to **Carlos Miguel Nayan-Borbolla (NMRC Applicant ID #4523 & 164635)** are hereby revoked until such time the ruling has been cleared and is in good standing with Delta Downs Racetrack.

During said time of applicable suspension, **Carlos Miguel Nayan-Borbolla** is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMRC, in accordance with **15.2.1.9 (C)(21) Exclusion**. Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses owned, trained, or under the care of, **Carlos Miguel Nayan-Borbolla** are ineligible to be entered or start in any race in this jurisdiction, per **15.2.1.9 (C)(21)(c) Exclusion**.

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

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (h) Reciprocity** 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 has had a license denied, suspended, or revoked by any racing jurisdiction.

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**15.2.1.9(C)(22)(a) Reciprocity** The stewards shall honor the rulings issued by other pari-mutuel racing commissions.

**15.2.1.9(C)(22)(b) Reciprocity** Appeals of reciprocal rulings. Persons subject to rulings in other jurisdictions shall have the right to request a hearing before the commission to show cause why such ruling should not be enforced in this jurisdiction. Any request for such hearing must clearly set forth in writing the reasons for the appeal.

**15.2.1.9(B)(8)(c) Effect of Rulings** The stewards shall honor the rulings issued by other pari-mutuel racing commissions.

**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



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License Type: Applicant Id: 4523  
License Number:

ruling and must be accompanied by a fee in the amount of \$400. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check."

By Order of The Sunland Park Stewards

*Connie Estes* *M. [Signature]* *Paul C Lopez*



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-14**  
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Ruling Date: 1/24/2023

Licensee: NAYEN-BORBOLLA, CARLOS MIGUEL  
License Type: 2022 3 Year Owner      Applicant Id: 164635  
License Number: 305417

Ruling #            2023-SUN-14

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

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*Alfredo*

*Paul C. Syco*



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-15**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 1/28/2023

Licensee: FLORES, MARCO A.

License Type: 2021 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 33697  
License Number: 301923

Ruling # 2023-SUN-15

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Marco A Flores having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on January 28, 2023, for failure to have a flipping rig on the horse "Queen Charlize" in the 6th race on January 27, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before February 27, 2023.

Trainer

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority
- 16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:
- 16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority
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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-16**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 1/29/2023

Licensee: **SOTO, SALVADOR RENTERIA**  
License Type: **2022 1 Year Trainer**      Applicant Id: **7872**  
License Number: **306243**

Ruling #            2023-SUN-16

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Salvador R. Soto having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on January 29, 2023, for failure to have a flipping rig on the horse "A Candy Moon" in the 6th race on January 20, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before February 28, 2023.

Trainer

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority**

**16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:**

**16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required**

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**16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address**

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-17**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/4/2023

Licensee: **MCARTHUR, DONNA W**

License Type: 2021 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 25771  
License Number: 300437

Ruling # 2023-SUN-17

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Trainer: Donna McArthur.** having been duly notified and waived her right to a ten (10) day notice of hearing before the Board of Stewards on February 3, 2023, for failure to have at least two (2) official workouts within 60 days prior to entry for horses that have not started within 6 months of entry, prior to entering horse "Triggered" into the 5th race February 3, 2023 at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses **Trainer: Donna McArthur** a fine in the amount of **Two hundred Dollars and Fifty (\$ 250.00)**. The fine is to be paid on or before March 6, 2023, 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:**

**15.2.5.11 WORKOUTS: A. Requirements: (2) Any horse which has started, but not within 60 days, must have at least one workout within 60 days prior to time of entry. Horses that have not started within six months of entry must have at least two approved workouts within the 60 days prior to time of entry.**

**This ruling is written in accordance with:**

**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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Licensee: MCARTHUR, DONNA W

License Type: 2021 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 25771  
License Number: 300437



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-18**  
Track Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/4/2023

Licensee: JUNGERS, MARC E

License Type: 2021 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 3711  
License Number: 301020

Ruling # 2023-SUN-18

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Marc E Jungers having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on February 3, 2023, for failure to have a flipping rig on the horse "Mighty Revenant" in the 8th race on February 3, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before March 6th, 2023.

Trainer

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority**

**16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:**

**16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required**

**16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address**

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-19**  
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Ruling Date: 2/5/2023

Licensee: MENDOZA, RAMON  
License Type: 2021 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 159104  
License Number: 303429

Ruling # 2023-SUN-19

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Ramon Mendoza having been duly notified, appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on February 5, 2023, for failure to have a flipping rig on the horse "Los Mas Menudos" in the 2nd race on February 4, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before March 7th, 2023.

Trainer

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority**

**16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:**

**16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required**

**16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address**

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-20**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/5/2023

Licensee: **CHACON, SEBEDEO ROSENALDO**  
License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 24761  
License Number: 299971

Ruling #            2023-SUN-20

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer **Sebedeo Chacon** the owner and trainer of the horse "Discreet Tiger" having been duly notified appeared before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards (1200 Futurity Drive Sunland Park, New Mexico 88063) on February 5, 2023. Mr. Sebedeo Chacon waived his right to a formal hearing and his right to send a split sample. regarding a lab report from Industrial Laboratories (the Official testing laboratory for the NMRC) for positive test for the drug Methocarbamol confirmed in the blood at a level of 1855 ng/ml (Class 4 penalty C) from test sample E585268, taken from the horse "Discreet Tiger", the 2nd place finisher in the 4th race on January 17, 2022, at Sunland Park. The horse "Discreet Tiger" is hereby disqualified from 2nd place and the purse is to be redistributed. The horse must pass a commission -approved examination before being eligible to race.

Aggravating Factors:

1. Failure to guard.
2. The allowable limit for Methocarbamol is 1ng/ml

Mitigating Factors

None

Considering all Mitigating and Aggravating factors the Sunland Park Board of Stewards determined the following.

1. Mr. Chacon is hereby fined **\$1,500.00 (One thousand five hundred dollars)**. Fine to be paid on or before **March 7, 2023**, in accordance with 15.2.1.9 (B)(7)(f). Failure to pay the fine in the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension.
2. A suspension of 15 days. The term of this suspension will start February 6, 2023 and ending **February 20, 2023**.
3. In addition, **Sebedeo Chacon** has accumulated "0.0" points prior to this ruling and ".5" points in connection with this ruling for a current total of ".5", under the multiple medication violation point system. No additional days given.

In accordance with **15.2.1.9 (C)(21)**, **Sebedeo Chacon** will be excluded from all areas and grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMRC. Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses **owned, trained, or under the care of Sebedeo Chacon 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, owned, or in the care and custody of Sebedeo Chacon** must be done in accordance with **15.2.6.9A(12)(a)(b) Medication and Prohibited Substances**.

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 (F) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES /16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority **Last Day to Appeal: February 16, 2023.**



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-20**  
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License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 24761  
License Number: 299971

15.2.6.9(D)(1) 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 case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race."

15.2.5.13(E)(4)(d) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "The Stewards may determine that a horse shall be unplaced for purpose of the purse distribution and trial qualification."

15.2.3.8(B)(3)(k) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that " Purses, prizes, awards and trophies shall be redistributed if the Stewards or Commission order a change in the official order of finish."

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 #: **2023-SUN-21**  
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Ruling Date: 2/10/2023

Licensee: RIVERA, REUBEN ELIAS

License Type: 2022 1 Year Clerk of S Applicant Id: 12375  
License Number: 307226

Ruling # 2023-SUN-21

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

### Letter of Reprimand

Reuben Elias Rivera licensed and approved as clerk of scales for the 2022/2023 Sunland Park race meet is hereby given a letter of reprimand for conduct defrimental to the honesty and integrity of horseracing on Tuesday, Feb 7, 2023 at Sunland Park Racetrack, Sunland New Mexico.

In summary;

Horses came out for Race 5 at 9MTP. #5-Allergic to Logic Rider: Jose M Vazquez had the wrong saddle when lers were called up.

At 7 MTP all other horses returned to Paddock.

At 5 MTP all horses exited the paddock and #5- Allergic to Logic Rider: Jose M Vazquez paraded in front of the Stewards then joined the other riders in post parade.

The board of stewards contacted Clerk of Scales, Mr. Rivera to inquire how and what happened. Mr. Rivera stated Reyes Gomez and Jose M Vazquez have saddles that look the same except Mr. Vazquez has his initials on his. Mr. Vazquez wanted his saddle. The one initially used was absent the initials.

Mr. Rivera allowed the saddle to be changed. However, Mr. Rivera failed to have Mr. Vazquez weigh out again, underning the integrity of the race. Mr. Rivera contended the two saddles were the same type.

#### 15.2.3.8 FLAT RACING OFFICIALS GENERAL PROVISIONS:

G. Clerk of scales: The clerk of scales shall: verify the presence of all jockeys in the jockeys' room at the appointed time; verify that all such jockeys have a current jockey's license issued by the commission; verify the correct weight of each jockey at the time of weighing out and weighing in and report any discrepancies to the stewards immediately; oversee the security of the jockeys' room including the conduct of the jockeys and their attendants; promptly report to the stewards any infraction of the rules with respect to weight, weighing, riding equipment or conduct; record all required data on the scale sheet and submit that data to the horsemen's bookkeeper at the end of each race day; maintain the record of applicable winning races on all apprentice certificates at the meeting; release apprentice jockey certificates, upon the jockey's departure or upon the conclusion of the race meet; assume the duties of the jockey room custodian in the absence of such employee

#### 15.2.5.13 RUNNING OF THE RACE:

Jockey requirements:

(8) Jockeys shall be weighed out for their respective mounts by the clerk of scales not more than 30 minutes before post time for each race

(9) A jockey's fee shall be considered earned when the jockey is weighed out by the clerk of scales. In the event an owner or trainer elects to remove a jockey from his or her mount after naming a rider at the time of draw, the stewards may require a double jockey fee to be paid. The fee to be paid is equal to that earned by



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Licensee: RIVERA, REUBEN ELIAS

License Type: 2022 1 Year Clerk of S Applicant Id: 12375  
License Number: 307226

the jockey who rode the horse. The fee shall not be considered earned when a jockey(s), of their own free will, take themselves off their mounts, where injury to the horse or rider is not involved. Any conditions or considerations not covered by the above rule shall be at the discretion of the stewards. All jockey protests must be filed prior to the race.

(10) Only valets employed by the association shall assist jockeys in weighing out.

(11) A jockey's weight shall include their clothing, boots, saddle and its attachments and any other equipment except the whip, bridle, bit or reins, safety helmet, safety vest, blinkers, goggles and number cloth. Upon the stewards' approval, jockeys may be allowed up to three pounds more than published and announced weights to account for inclement weather clothing and equipment when weighing in.

(12) Five pounds is the limit of

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Ruling Date: 2/10/2023

Licensee: RIVERA, REUBEN ELIAS

License Type: 2022 1 Year Clerk of S Applicant Id: 12375  
License Number: 307226

the jockey who rode the horse. The fee shall not be considered earned when a jockey(s), of their own free will, take themselves off their mounts, where injury to the horse or rider is not involved. Any conditions or considerations not covered by the above rule shall be at the discretion of the stewards. All jockey protests must be filed prior to the race.

(10) Only valets employed by the association shall assist jockeys in weighing out.

(11) A jockey's weight shall include their clothing, boots, saddle and its attachments and any other equipment except the whip, bridle, bit or reins, safety helmet, safety vest, blinkers, goggles and number cloth. Upon the stewards' approval, jockeys may be allowed up to three pounds more than published and announced weights to account for inclement weather clothing and equipment when weighing in.

(12) Five pounds is the limit of

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-22**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/11/2023

Licensee: **MUNIZ, JR JUAN MANUEL**  
License Type: **2022 3 Year Trainer**      Applicant Id: **18605**  
License Number: **307016**

Ruling #            2023-SUN-22

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer: **Juan Manuel Muniz Jr.**, having been duly notified appeared before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on February 11, 2023, and waived his right to a formal hearing, regarding a lab report from Industrial Laboratories (The official testing laboratory for the NMRC), for a confirmed positive for the drug, **Methylprednisolone** (class 4C-Major penalty drug) found in test sample E585281 taken from the 1st place finisher "Jess King Max" following the 2nd race, on January 20, 2023.

The original lab report indicated a finding of Methylprednisolone at 385 pg/ml +/-19 pg/ml in the blood, the allowable limit for Methylprednisolone is 100 pg/ml in the blood for a 4-C Major violation (15.2.6.9 Attachment 2).

Split sample rights as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC, were afforded to the trainer, and declined by trainer.

**Juan Luis Muniz is the owner of record for horse "Jess King Max" this is Mr. Jose Muniz's first violation of this classification.**

**For this violation the horse "Jess King Max" is disqualified and the horse must pass a commission -approved examination before being eligible to enter.**

**This is Juan Manuel Muniz Jr.'s first 4C-Major medication violation, in a 365-day period, issued in accordance with 15.2.6.9 (B)(4). The Board of Stewards assessed a penalty as follows:**

**Aggerating circumstances:**

- 1. The allowable limit for Methylperone is 100 pg/ml the horse "Jess King Max" tested positive at a level of 385 pg/ml almost four times the allowable limit.**

**Mitigating curmstances:**

**This is trainer Juan Manuel Muniz Jr.'s first violation of this classification.**

**For this violation Mr. Juan M. Muniz Jr. is fined \$1,500.00 (fifteen-hundred dollars) and suspended 10 days, February 12, 2023 – February 22, 2023.**

**During the term of this suspension Juan Luis Muniz Jr. 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, trained, or under the care of Juan Luis Munoz Jr., 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 by, owned by, or in the care and custody of**



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Licensee: **MUNIZ, JR JUAN MANUEL**

License Type: **2022 3 Year Trainer**      Applicant Id: **18605**  
License Number: **307016**

**Juan Luis Munoz Jr., must be done in accordance with 15.2.6.9A(12)(a)(b) Medication and Prohibited Substances.**

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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of a money order, cashier's check or a corporate check. **Last date for appeal: February 22, 2023.**

15.2.6.9(D)(1) 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 case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race."

15.2.6.9(C) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "recommended penalties for a Category violation of this level is ."

15.2.5.13(E)(4)(d) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "The Stewards may determine that a horse shall be unplaced for purpose of the purse distribution and trial qualification."

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 #: **2023-SUN-23**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/11/2023

Licensee: MUNIZ, JOSE LUIS

License Type: 2021 3 Year Owner      Applicant Id: 29823  
License Number: 302407

Ruling # 2023-SUN-23

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Owner: Jose Muniz., having been duly notified and was represented by his trainer Juan Muniz Jr before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on February 11, 2023, and waived his right to a formal hearing, regarding a lab report from Industrial Laboratories (The official testing laboratory for the NMRC), for a confirmed positive for the drug, Methylprednisolone (class 4C-Major penalty drug) found in test sample E585281 taken from the 1st place finisher "Jess King Max" following the 2nd race, on January 20, 2023.

The original lab report indicated a finding of Methylprednisolone at 385 pg/ml +/-19 pg/ml in the blood, the allowable limit for Methylprednisolone is 100 pg/ml in the blood for a 4-C Major violation (15.2.6.9 Attachment 2).

Split sample rights as provided in 15.2.6.10 (D) NMAC, were afforded to the Owner, and declined by Owner.

**For this violation, Owner, Jose Muniz:**

1. Disqualification: The horse "Jess King Max" is disqualified from 1st place and Unplaced in the 2nd race on January 20, 2023 at Sunland Park.

1. Mi Dos
2. Dashing Muse
3. Jess One Hot Chick
4. Ice Muss
5. Dasharoo
6. DQ – FS Big Daddys Jane
7. El Llantero
8. Na Coronas Gift

UNPLACED: Jess King Max

2. The horse "Jess King Max" must pass a commission-approved examination before becoming eligible to be entered.

Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(1)(3)(f)(g)(j) Stewards /15.2.6.9(C)(1) Medication Restrictions / 15.2.6.9(F)Permissible/ 15.2.6.9 NMAC Attachment 2/ Medications with Acceptable Levels /15.2.6.9(B)(4) Penalty Recommendations/ 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(k) Redistribution of Prizes/ 15.2.5.13(E)(4)(d) NMAC

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 \$400.00. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check, money order." The last day to file an appeal: April 22, 2023



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-23**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/11/2023

Licensee: **MUNIZ, JOSE LUIS**  
License Type: **2021 3 Year Owner**      Applicant Id: **29823**  
License Number: **302407**

15.2.6.9(D)(1) 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 case of a post-race test, was present in the horse's body while it was participating in a race."

15.2.6.9(C) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "recommended penalties for a Category violation of this level is ."

15.2.5.13(E)(4)(d) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that "The Stewards may determine that a horse shall be unplaced for purpose of the purse distribution and trial qualification."

15.2.3.8(B)(3)(k) NMAC:

Which states in pertinent part that " Purses, prizes, awards and trophies shall be redistributed if the Stewards or Commission order a change in the official order of finish."

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 #: **2023-SUN-24**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/11/2023

Licensee: **LOPEZ SAINZ, JOSE ALONZO**  
License Type: 2022 1 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 163887  
License Number: 307201

Ruling #            2023-SUN-24

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Jockey Jose A. Lopez, having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards at Sunland Park on Saturday, February 11, 2023, for careless riding and failure to maintain a straight course, while aboard "Jess a Fast Prize" in the 8th race, Friday, February 10, 2023, at Sunland Park Racetrack, is found to be in violation of Commission rules.**

**For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed Jose A. Lopez is fined in the amount of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00) and suspended seven (7) calendar days, February 12, 2023 – February 19, 2023.**

**The fine is to be paid on or before March 13, 2023, 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.**

**This ruling is in accordance with:**

**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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal check." Fine must be paid on or before March 13, 2023.

**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."

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Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/11/2023

Licensee: LOPEZ SAINZ, JOSE ALONZO  
License Type: 2022 1 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 163887  
License Number: 307201

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-25**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/12/2023

Licensee: **ORONA,SR MARTIN RODRIGUEZ**  
License Type: **2022 3 Year Trainer**      Applicant Id: **19384**  
License Number: **306901**

Ruling #            2023-SUN-25

Action Type:        Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Martin Orona Sr. having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on February 12, 2023, for failure to have a flipping rig on the horse "Jamming" in the 2nd race on February 11, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before March 14, 2023.

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority**

**16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:**

**16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required**

**16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address**

**15.2.1.9(B)(9)(A) FAILURE TO APPEAL 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(B): APPEAL PROCEDURES**, which states "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the day of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, the period is extended to 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 \$400.00 dollars. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check or a money order. Last day to file an appeal is February 21, 2023.

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-26**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/12/2023

Licensee: JARAMILLO, ANGELIQUE RENEE  
License Type: 2023 1 Year Groom      Applicant Id: 162473  
License Number: 307446

Ruling # 2023-SUN-26

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Groom, Angelique Renee Jaramillo**, having been duly notified appeared before the Board of Stewards on February 11, 2023, at Sunland Park Racetrack, for failure to disclose information required on her NMRC application (January 20, 2023 at Sunland Park) regarding criminal background and activate outstanding warrants from Alamogordo and Hobbs New Mexico.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards hereby revoke the license of **Angelique Renee Jaramillo** as of February 12, 2023, until proof is provided to the NMRC showing all pending court matters have been settled.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1) GROUNDS FOR REFUSAL, DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF A LICENSE.

This ruling is written in accordance with:

15.2.3.8 Flat Racing Officials General Provisions:

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

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(d) GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY MEASURES T

16.47.1.8(L)(1)(F) CONDUCT

This ruling is written in accordance with:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(i) – CONDUCT Which states in pertinent part “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.”

15.2.1.9 DUE PROCESS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION:

(9) Appeals. (a) A person who has been aggrieved by a ruling of the stewards may appeal to the commission. A person who fails to file an appeal by the deadline and in the form required by this section waives the right to appeal the ruling. (b) 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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of a money order, cashier's check or a corporate check. **Last day to appeal February 22, 2023.**

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-26**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/12/2023

Licensee: JARAMILLO, ANGELIQUE RENEE

License Type: 2023 1 Year Groom      Applicant Id: 162473  
License Number: 307446

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-27**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/12/2023

Licensee: OLIVAS-GOMEZ, EZEQUIEL  
License Type: 2023 1 Year Groom      Applicant Id: 165055  
License Number: 307388

Ruling # 2023-SUN-27

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

**Groom, Ezequiel Olivas-Gomez**, having been duly notified, appeared before the Board of Stewards on February 11, 2023, at Sunland Park Racetrack, for failure to disclose information required on his NMRC application (January 10, 2023 at Sunland Park) regarding criminal background and activate outstanding warrants from El Paso Texas and Los Lunas New Mexico.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards hereby revoke the license of **Ezequiel Olivas-Gomez**, as of February 12, 2023, until proof is provided to the NMRC showing all pending court matters have been settled.

**Licensee is found to be in violation of:**

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1) GROUNDS FOR REFUSAL, DENIAL, SUSPENSION, OR REVOCATION OF A LICENSE.**

**This ruling is written in accordance with:**

**15.2.3.8 Flat Racing Officials General Provisions:**

**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**

**Licensee is found to be in violation of:**

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(d) GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY MEASURES T**

**16.47.1.8(L)(1)(F) CONDUCT**

**This ruling is written in accordance with:**

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(i) – CONDUCT** Which states in pertinent part “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.”

**15.2.1.9 DUE PROCESS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION:**

(9) Appeals. (a) A person who has been aggrieved by a ruling of the stewards may appeal to the commission. A person who fails to file an appeal by the deadline and in the form required by this section waives the right to appeal the ruling. (b) 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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of a money order, cashier's check or a corporate check. **Last day appeal February 22, 2023.**

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-27**  
Track Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/12/2023

Licensee: OLIVAS-GOMEZ, EZEQUIEL  
License Type: 2023 1 Year Groom      Applicant Id: 165055  
License Number: 307388

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-28**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: **MONTOYA, ANTHONY PHILLIP**  
License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 28421  
License Number: 298515

Ruling #            2023-SUN-28

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Anthony Montoya having been duly notified and having waived his 10-day notice and formal hearing appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards on February 17, 2023, for failing to be present in the paddock to saddle his horse "Flash N Blaze" in the 1ST race on February 4, 2023, at Sunland Park Racetrack.

**16.47.1.10 TRAINERS: C. Other responsibility: (23)** personally attending to their horses in the paddock and supervising the saddling thereof, unless excused by the stewards; if the trainer is excused, the trainer must secure another trainer or assistant trainer who is licensed by the commission to assume those duties.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) which must be paid on or before March 19, 2023.

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

15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b): Appeal Procedures, which states "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the day of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, the period is extended to 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 \$400.00 dollars. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check or a money order. **Last day to file is February 27, 2023.**

This ruling is written in accordance with:

- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority
- 16.47.1.8. T. KNOWLEDGE OF RULES:
- 16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority
- 16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required
- 16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required
- 16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-28**  
Track Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: MONTROYA, ANTHONY PHILLIP

License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 28421  
License Number: 298515

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-29**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: **RODRIGUEZ, MANUEL RODOLFO**  
License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 9846  
License Number: 300108

Ruling #            2023-SUN-29

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Manuel R. Rodriguez having been duly notified and having waived his 10-day notice and formal hearing appeared in person before the Board of Stewards on February 17, 2023, for failing to be present in the paddock to saddle his horse "Politics Gone Wild" in the 3rd race on February 4, 2023, at Sunland Park Racetrack.

**16.47.1.10 TRAINERS: C. Other responsibility: (23)** personally attending to their horses in the paddock and supervising the saddling thereof, unless excused by the stewards; if the trainer is excused, the trainer must secure another trainer or assistant trainer who is licensed by the commission to assume those duties.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) which must be paid on or before March 19, 2023.

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

15.2.1.9(B)(9)(b): Appeal Procedures, which states "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the day of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, the period is extended to 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 \$400.00 dollars. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check or a money order. **Last day to file is February 27, 2023.**

This ruling is written in accordance with:

- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action
- 15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority
- 16.47.1.8. T. KNOWLEDGE OF RULES:
- 16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority
- 16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required
- 16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required
- 16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address



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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-29**  
Track Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: RODRIGUEZ, MANUEL RODOLFO

License Type: 2020 3 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 9846  
License Number: 300108

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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-30**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: SOTO, SALVADOR RENTERIA  
License Type: 2022 1 Year Trainer      Applicant Id: 7872  
License Number: 306243

Ruling #            2023-SUN-30

Action Type:      Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Salvador Soto having been duly notified, appeared telephonically before the Board of Stewards and waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing before the Sunland Park Board of Stewards on January 28, 2023, for failure to have the horse "Attacking Boy" in paddock at proper time in the 1st race on February 7, 2023, causing a late program scratch at Sunland Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses penalty as follows:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before March 19, 2023.

Trainer

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

This ruling is written in accordance with:

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action**

**15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority**

**16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:**

**16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required**

**16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required**

**16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address**

**15.2.1.9(B)(9)(A) FAILURE TO APPEAL 15.2.1.9(B)(9)(B): APPEAL PROCEDURES**, which states "An appeal under this section must be filed not later than 10 days after the day of the ruling. If the deadline falls on a Sunday or a legal holiday, the period is extended to 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 \$400.00 dollars. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check or a money order. Last day to file an appeal is February 27, 2023.

By Order of The Sunland Park Stewards





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Ruling #: **2023-SUN-31**  
Track: Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/17/2023

Licensee: **ARELLANO, RAFAEL**

License Type: Applicant Id: **31124**  
License Number:

Ruling # 2023-SUN-31

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

In accordance with **16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (e) Reciprocity**, the **Pony Person( Rafael Arellano) (NMRC Applicant ID #164635)** all licenses are hereby revoked until such time Mr. Arellano has been restored to good standing by the Texas Racing Commission. Texas Racing Commission - Lone Star Park Ruling # 32211 Dated: December 6, 2022 summarily suspended Mr. Arellano's TXRC license for working under, the influence of alcohol on December 03, 2022. Mr. Arellano failed to request a hearing and remains suspended by the Texas Racing Commission.

During said time of applicable suspension, **Rafael Arellano** is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMRC, in accordance with **15.2.1.9 (C)(21) Exclusion**.

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

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (h) Reciprocity** 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 has had a license denied, suspended, or revoked by any racing jurisdiction.

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (e) Reciprocity** 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 has been found in violation of rules governing racing in this state or other jurisdictions

**16.47.1.8 (L)(1) (g) Reciprocity** 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 has been or is currently excluded from association grounds by a recognized racing jurisdiction.

**15.2.1.9(C)(22)(a) Reciprocity** The stewards shall honor the rulings issued by other pari-mutuel racing commissions.

**15.2.1.9(C)(22)(b) Reciprocity** Appeals of reciprocal rulings. Persons subject to rulings in other jurisdictions shall have the right to request a hearing before the commission to show cause why such ruling should not be enforced in this jurisdiction. Any request for such hearing must clearly set forth in writing the reasons for the appeal.

**15.2.1.9(B)(8)(c) Effect of Rulings** The stewards shall honor the rulings issued by other pari-mutuel racing commissions.

**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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of cash, a cashier's check, money order or personal



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Ruling #: 2023-SUN-32  
Track Sunland Park  
Ruling Date: 2/19/2023

Licensee: ALDRETE, HECTOR

License Type: 2022 3 Year Jockey      Applicant Id: 35261  
License Number: 303505

Ruling # 2023-SUN-32

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey Hector Aldrete, having been summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on February 18, 2023, for striking the horse on the head, while aboard "Next Star" in the 5th Race on February 17, 2023 at Sunland Park Racetrack, is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed, Hector Aldrete, a fine in the amount of **Five Hundred dollars, (\$500.00)**. This fine is to be paid on or before March 21, 2023 in accordance with **15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(I)**. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed shall result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13(E)(6)(A) Use of riding crops. Although the use of a riding crop is not required, any jockey who uses a riding crop during a race shall do so only in a manner consistent with exerting his or her best efforts to win.

15.2.5.13(E)(6)(e) Use of riding crops. Indiscriminate use of the whip is prohibited including whipping a horse: on the head, flanks or on any other part of its body other than the shoulders or hind quarters except when necessary to control a horse; during the post parade or after the finish of the race except when necessary to control the horse; excessively or brutally causing welts or breaks in the skin; when the horse is clearly out of the race or has obtained its maximum placing; persistently even though the horse is showing no response under the riding crop; or striking another rider or horse.

This ruling is written in accordance with:

15.2.1.9(B)(4)(A)NMAC Notice 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.

15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) Stewards Disciplinary Action

15.2.3.8 B (3)(A) Stewards Disciplinary Action

15.2.3.8 B (1) (d) Stewards General Authority

16.47.1.8. T. KNOWLEDGE OF RULES:

16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority

16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required

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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 \$400. The fee must be in the form of a cashier's check or money order." The last day to file an appeal is March 1, 2023

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