

## **New Mexico Racing Commission** 4900 Alameda NE Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #:

2023-DAA-55

Track

Downs at Albuquerque

Ruling Date:

10/18/2023

Licensee:

RAMOS, CHRISTIAN

License Type:

2023 3 Year Jockey

Applicant Id:

163067

License Number: 309115

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Action Type:

Modified Ruling

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RE: 2023-DAA-55 - Modified Ruling

Jockey Christian Ramos, having been summoned and appeared before the Board of Stewards on October 18, 2023, for failure to give best effort (standing up before the wire and costing his mount the opportunity of a better placing) while aboard "Diabolical Ruler" in the 4th Race October 15, 2023, at The Downs at Albuquerque Racetrack is found to be in violation of Commission rules.

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assessed, Christian Ramos, a fine in the amount of One Thousand Dollars, (\$1000.00) and a 14-day suspension starting 10/26/2023 thru 11/08/2023 cannot ride in designated races This fine is to be paid on or before November 17, 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 and this ruling is written in accordance with: 15.2.5.13(E)(5) A Jockey shall not ease up, or coast to the finish, without adequate cause, even if a horse has no apparent chance to win prize money.

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

16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required

16.47.1.8(N) Last Known Address

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 October 28, 2023

By Order of The Downs at Albuquerque Stewards