



New Mexico Racing Commission
4900 Alameda NE
Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #: **2024-SUN-1**
Track: Sunland Park
Ruling Date: 1/7/2024

Licensee: GILES, FRANCISCO GUILLERMO
License Type: 2023 3 Year Jockey Applicant Id: 31073
License Number: 310624

Ruling # 2024-SUN-1

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

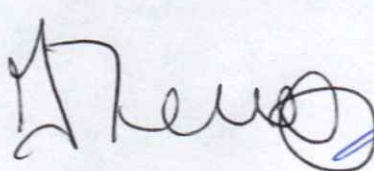

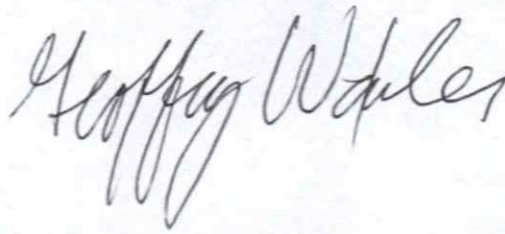
Jockey Francisco Giles was duly notified and was relieved of his mounts and required to present himself before the Board of Stewards prior to returning to ride after he tested positive for a random BAT (Breath Alcohol Test) on January 6th, 2024. Francisco Giles appeared before the Board of Stewards on January 7th, 2024, at Sunland PARK.

For Francisco Giles **FIRST** violation in a 365-day period, the Board of Stewards hereby issues the following:

1. Written Warning

Licensee is found in violation of, and this ruling is written in accordance with: 15.2.3.8(B)(1)(3)(f)(g) (j) Stewards/ 16.47.1.8(T)Knowledge of the Rules/ 16.47.1.17 (A)(C)(3)(7)/16.47.1.18 (A)(1)(2)(3) Testing Procedures

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 or cashier's check. **Last date for appeal: January 17, 2024**

By Order of The Sunland Park Stewards



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Ruling #: **2024-SUN-2**
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Licensee: LEYVA, JOEL

License Type: 2023 3 Year Jockey Applicant Id: 163131
License Number: 309770

Ruling # 2024-SUN-2

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Jockey Joel Leyva, having been duly notified, and waived his right to a 10-day notice and hearing and having appeared before the Board of Stewards on Sunday January 7, 2024, concerning failure to make his assigned weight on Saturday January 6, 2023 at Sunland Park Racetrack for the 3rd 4th 5th 8th races, resulting in late jockey change.

The Board of Stewards hereby assesses Joel Leyva a penalty in the amount of **Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00)**. The fine is to be paid on or before February 6, 2024, in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(3)(1) NMAC. Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed will result in immediate suspension.

Licensee is found to be in violation of:

15.2.5.13 (C)(1)(11)(12) RUNNING OF THE RACE:

C. Jockey Requirements:

(1) Jockeys shall report to the jockeys' 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.

(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 overweight any horse is permitted to carry.

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
- 15.2.3.8 B (1) (a) Stewards General Authority
- 15.2.3.8 B (1) (c) Stewards General Authority
- 16.47.1.8 (T) KNOWLEDGE OF RULES
- 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)(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.



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