

# New Mexico Racing Commission 4900 Alameda NE

Albuquerque, NM 87113

Ruling #:

2024-SRP-35

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/11/2024

Licensee:

CABRERA, JOSE ALEJANDRO

License Type:

2024 1 Year Owner

Applicant Id: 166245

License Number: 311881

Ruling #

2024-SRP-35

Action Type:

Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Owner Jose Cabrera having been duly notified and having failed to appear for his hearing at 9:00 a.m. May 11, 2024, in the offices of the Sunray Park Board of Stewards. This hearing was held in absentia before the Board of Stewards regarding failure to disclose felony drug charges on his license application.

For this violation the stewards assess the following penalty:

Owner Jose Cabrera's license is hereby revoked and must appear before the New Mexico Racing Commission for review of felony convictions and future licensing consideration.

Licensee is found to be in violation of NMAC:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(d) GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINARY MEASURES 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 failed to disclose or falsely states any information required in the application.

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(a)(l)

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

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(a)(b)(f)(i) Conduct

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(a)(d)(i) Grounds for Disciplinary Measures

16.47.1.8.2 (M)(2) Duration of License: (2) A license is valid only under the condition that the licensee remains eligible to hold such license

This ruling is written in accordance with NMAC:

15.2.1.9. (A)(4)(c) Last Known Address

15.2.3.8 B (3)(f) 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)(2) License Required

16.47.1 M (2) Duration of License

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(a)(i) Grounds for Disciplinary Action

16.47.1.8(L)(2) Written Notice of Suspension or Revocation to Licensee and Other Jurisdictions

By Order of The SunRay Park Stewards

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Ruling #:

2024-SRP-36

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/11/2024

Licensee:

TELFORD, JAMES, CARLYLE

License Type:

2024 1 Year Starter

Applicant Id: 13768

License Number: 311738

Ruling #

2024-SRP-36

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Starter James Telford having been duly notified and having appeared before the Board of Stewards at Sunray Park on May 11, 2024, waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal hearing regarding leaving the horse "Tatas Joe Mark" behind the starting gate and causing the Stewards to declare the horse a nonstarter and issue pari-mutuel refunds.

Licensee is found to be in violation of NMAC:

15.2.5.13 (E)(a)(c) Post to Finish (a) The starter is responsible for assuring that each participant receives a fair start. (c) Should a horse, not scratched prior to the start, not be in the starting gate stall thereby causing it to be left when the field is dispatched by the starter, the horse shall be declared a non-starter by the stewards.

For this violation the Board of Stewards assess the following penalty:

A fine of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before May 24, 2024, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule 15.2.1.9 (A)(7)(f) All fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

This notice is written in accordance with the following Commission Rules NMAC:

15.2.1.8 (B)(1)(2) Commission General Authority

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

15.2.3.8 (B)(1)(a)(b)(c) Stewards General Authority

15.2.1.9 (A)(4)(c) Last Known Address

16.47.1.8 (T) Knowledge of Rules

16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority

16.47.1.3.(L)(1)(f)(i)

16.47.1.6.(A)(1)(2) License Required

16.47.1.8. (N) Changes in Application Information

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 May 20, 2024.



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-37

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/12/2024

Licensee:

CASTELLANOS, ARMANDO

License Type:

2023 1 Year Trainer

Applicant Id:

30417

License Number: 308671

Ruling #

2024-SRP-37

Action Type:

Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer, Armando Castellanos is hereby summarily suspended, effective immediately. May 12th, 2024, pending the outcome of his summary suspension hearing scheduled Friday, May 17th, 2024, at 11:00 am in the office of the board of Stewards at SunRay Park. (39 Road 5568 Farmington, NM 87401), per 15.2.1.9 (B)(3)(b) Summary Suspension. The summary suspension is regarding the confirmed positive of the Class 3 penalty A drug, Albuterol, found in the blood in test sample E546340 taken from the Quarter Horse "Fly Through Winter", who finished in 3rd place in the 2nd race on April 26, 2024, at SunRay Park Racetrack.

There is no permissible concentration of Albuterol allowed to appear in any official sample.

In accordance with 15.2.1.9 (C)(21), Armando Castellanos is hereby excluded from all areas of the grounds under the jurisdiction of the NMRC. Additionally, effective upon applicable suspension dates, all horses owned, trained, or under the care of Armando Castellanos are ineligible to be entered or start in any race in this jurisdiction, per 15.2.1.9 (C)(21). All transfers and sales of horses trained, owned, or in the care and custody of Armando Castellanos must be done in accordance with 15.2.6.9A(12)(a)(b) Medication and Prohibited Substances, 16.47.1.10 (D)(5) Assistant Trainers and 15.2.1.9(B)(8)(b) DUE PROCESS AND DISCIPLINARY ACTION.

Licensee is found in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with: 15.2.6.9 NMAC Attachment #1 ARCI Uniform Classification of Substances-Version 14.4-December 2020- 15.2.6.9(C)(8)(a)(9)(10)(a)(b)(c)(d) Medication Restrictions 15.2.6.9(B)(1) Penalty Recommendations 15.2.1.7(C)(8) "Controlled substance" is any substance included in the five classification schedules of the (U.S.) Controlled Substance Act of 1970. 15.2.6.9(C)(4) There is no permissible concentration of . Albuterol that is allowed to appear in any official sample. 16.47.1.8 (U)(1)(2) PROTECTION OF HORSES 16.47.1.10(B)(1)(2)Absolute Insurer 16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(i) Grounds for disciplinary measures for a licensee, and refusal, denial, suspension, or



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Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/12/2024

Licensee:

CASTELLANOS, ARMANDO

License Type:

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2023 1 Year Trainer

Applicant Id:

30417

License Number:

308671

revocation of a license15.2.1.9(B)(3)(a) Proceedings Before The Stewards: Summary Suspension If the Stewards determine that a licensee's action constitute an immediate danger to the public health, safety, or welfare, the Stewards may summarily suspend the licensee pending a hearing.

15.2.1.9(B)(3)(b) Proceedings Before the Stewards: Summary Suspension A licensee whose license has been summarily suspended is entitled to a hearing on the summary suspension not later than the 10th day after the license was summarily suspended. The licensee may waive their right to a hearing on the summary suspension within the 10-day limit

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 allowed to appear in any official sample.



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-38

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/12/2024

Licensee:

ORTEGA-LOPEZ, JORGE

License Type:

2024 1 Year Track Mai Applicant Id: 163435

License Number: 311744

Ruling #

2024-SRP-38

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Track Maintenance Employee Jorge Ortega-Lopez having been duly notified and having appeared before the Sunray Park Board of Stewards at 9:30 a.m. on May 11, 2024, for his hearing concerning a citation he received for being disrespectful towards NMRC State Investigator Elizabeth Garcia.

Licensee is found to be in violation of NMAC:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(i)(l) Grounds for disciplinary measures for a licensee: (i) is a person whose conduct or reputation may adversely reflect on the honesty and integrity of horse racing or interfere with the orderly conduct of a race meeting; interfering with the orderly conduct of a race meeting shall include, but is not limited to, disruptive or intemperate behavior or behavior which exposes others to danger anywhere on the racetrack grounds; the fact that the race meet was not actually interrupted is not a defense to the imposition of discipline under this rule; (I) is disrespectful or intimidates any official, commissioner, or commission staff or any other licensee:

For this violation, the Board of Stewards assess the following penalty:

A fine of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00). This fine is to be paid on or before May 26, 2024. in accordance with NMAC 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(I). Failure to pay the fine within the time prescribed may result in immediate suspension. Pursuant to NMAC 15.2.1.9 (A)(7)(f) all fines imposed by the Board of Stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

This rule is written in accordance with NMAC:

15.2.1.9 (A)(4)(c) Last Known Address

15.2.3.8 B (3)(a)(f) 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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16.47.1.8 (A)(1)(2) License Required

15.2.1.9 (B)(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 a money order or personal check." The last day to file an appeal is May 22, 2024. Herpon Wahle



## New Mexico Racing Commission 4900 Alameda NE

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Ruling #:

2024-SRP-39

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/13/2024

Licensee:

MARTINEZ, FRANKIE HAROLD

License Type:

2021 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 16525

License Number: 302456

Ruling #

2024-SRP-39

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Trainer Frankie Marinez having been duly notified and having appeared for his formal hearing before the Board of Stewards at 9:00 a.m. on Monday May 13, 2024, at Sunray Park (39 Road 5568 Farmington, NM 87401) for failure to provide proper care to his entry "Indy Moon" following the running of race 5 on April 27, 2024. (Vanned off lame)

The Board of Stewards hereby assess the following penalties:

1. A fine of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) and a 60-day suspension to be served from May 14, 2024 through July 13, 2024. This fine must be paid on or before May 27, 2024, in accordance with NMAC 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time may result in immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule NMAC 15.2.1.9 A(7)(f) all fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

Licensee is found to be in violation of NMAC:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(f)(i)(o) General Provisions: Grounds for disciplinary measures for a licensee, and refusal, denial, suspension, or revocation of a license; (o) Has engaged in conduct unbecoming or detrimental to the best interests of racing.

16.47.1.8 (U)(2) Protection of horses: No licensee or other person under the jurisdiction of the commission shall subject or permit any animal under their control, custody or supervision to be subjected to or to incur any form of cruelty, mistreatment, neglect or abuse or abandon, injure, maim or kill or administer any noxious substance to or deprive any animal of necessary care or sustenance, shelter or veterinary care.

15.2.1.9 (B)(21)(a)(b)(c) Exclusion: (a) The steward, agency director, or commission may order an individual ejected or excluded from all or part of any premises under the regulatory jurisdiction of the commission if the stewards, agency director, or commission determine that the individual's presence on association grounds is inconsistent with maintaining the honesty and integrity of racing. (b) An exclusion may be ordered separately or in conjunction with other disciplinary action taken by the stewards or commission. If exclusion is ordered separately, the excluded individual is entitled to a hearing before the stewards or commission. A hearing on exclusion shall be conducted in the same manner as other hearings conducted by the stewards or commission. (c) If an individual is excluded under this section, a race animal owned or trained by or under the care or supervision of the individual is ineligible to be entered or to start in a race in this jurisdiction.

This ruling is written in accordance with the following Commission Rules NMAC: 15.2.1.8 (B)(1) Commission General Authority



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2024-SRP-39

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/13/2024

Licensee:

MARTINEZ, FRANKIE HAROLD

License Type:

2021 3 Year Trainer

Applicant Id:

16525

License Number:

302456

15.2.1.9 (A)(4)(c) Last Known Adress

15.2.3.8 (B)(1)(a)(c)(d) Stewards General Authority

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

16.47.1.8 (T) Knowledge of Rules

16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority

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16.47.1.8 (A)(1)(2) License Required

16.47.1.8 (N) Changes in Application Information

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, money order." The last day to file an appeal is May 23, 2024 yeoffy Wafle



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-39

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/13/2024

Licensee:

MARTINEZ, FRANKIE HAROLD

License Type:

2022 3 Year Owner Applicant Id: 16525

License Number: 305232

Ruling #

2024-SRP-39

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Trainer Frankie Marinez having been duly notified and having appeared for his formal hearing before the Board of Stewards at 9:00 a.m. on Monday May 13. 2024, at Sunray Park (39 Road 5568 Farmington, NM 87401) for failure to provide proper care to his entry "Indy Moon" following the running of race 5 on April 27, 2024. (Vanned off lame)

The Board of Stewards hereby assess the following penalties:

1. A fine of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$2,500.00) and a 60-day suspension to be served from May 14, 2024 through July 13, 2024. This fine must be paid on or before May 27, 2024, in accordance with NMAC 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time may result in immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule NMAC 15.2.1.9 A(7)(f) all fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

Licensee is found to be in violation of NMAC:

16.47.1.8 (L)(1)(f)(i)(o) General Provisions: Grounds for disciplinary measures for a licensee, and refusal, denial, suspension, or revocation of a license: (o) Has engaged in conduct unbecoming or detrimental to the best interests of racing.

16.47.1.8 (U)(2) Protection of horses: No licensee or other person under the jurisdiction of the commission shall subject or permit any animal under their control, custody or supervision to be subjected to or to incur any form of cruelty, mistreatment, neglect or abuse or abandon, injure, maim or kill or administer any noxious substance to or deprive any animal of necessary care or sustenance, shelter or veterinary care.

15.2.1.9 (B)(21)(a)(b)(c) Exclusion: (a) The steward, agency director, or commission may order an individual ejected or excluded from all or part of any premises under the regulatory jurisdiction of the commission if the stewards, agency director, or commission determine that the individual's presence on association grounds is inconsistent with maintaining the honesty and integrity of racing. (b) An exclusion may be ordered separately or in conjunction with other disciplinary action taken by the stewards or commission. If exclusion is ordered separately, the excluded individual is entitled to a hearing before the stewards or commission. A hearing on exclusion shall be conducted in the same manner as other hearings conducted by the stewards or commission. (c) If an individual is excluded under this section, a race animal owned or trained by or under the care or supervision of the individual is ineligible to be entered or to start in a race in this jurisdiction.

This ruling is written in accordance with the following Commission Rules NMAC: 15.2.1.8 (B)(1) Commission General Authority



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-39

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/13/2024

Licensee:

MARTINEZ, FRANKIE HAROLD

License Type:

2022 3 Year Owner

Applicant Id:

16525

License Number: 305232

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15.2.1.9 (A)(4)(c) Last Known Adress

15.2.3.8 (B)(1)(a)(c)(d) Stewards General Authority

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

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) Changes in Application Information

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, money order." The last day to file an appeal is May 23, 2024



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-40

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/16/2024

Licensee:

RONDAN, JR JESUS

License Type:

2023 3 Year Trainer

Applicant Id:

12714

License Number: 307525

Ruling #

2024-SRP-40

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Trainer Jesus Rondan Jr. having been duly notified and having appeared on May 16, 2024, at 9:30 a.m. telephonically before the Sunray Park Board of Stewards, having waived his 10-day notice and formal hearing on the matter of a medication violation for a confirmed positive for Phenylbutazone (0.382mcg/ml) in blood sample E546364 for the horse "Apollitical Iceman" on April 28,2024, race #1 and finished 1st at Sunray Park Racetrack.

Mitigating circumstances:

- 1. Level slightly above allowable limit. (0.3 mcg/ml)
- 2. No previous medication violations.

Esgar Martinez was the owner of record for the horse "Apollitical Iceman" at the time of the violation.

For this violation the Board of Stewards have issued the following penalties. A written warning letter was issued pursuant to 15.2.6 (B)(6) (6) If the trainer has not had more than one violation involving a drug that carries a category C penalty within the previous two years, the stewards are encouraged to issue a warning in lieu of a fine provided the reported level in phenylbutazone is below 3.0 micrograms per milliliter absent of aggravating factors.

By Order of The SunRay Park Stewards

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Ruling #:

2024-SRP-41

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/16/2024

Licensee:

MARTINEZ, ESGAR F

License Type:

2024 3 Year Owner

Applicant Id: 6636

License Number: 311630

Ruling #

2024-SRP-41

Action Type:

Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Owner Esgar Martinez having been duly notified and having responded by phone on May 16, 2024. at 9:30 a.m. before the Sunray Park Board of Stewards and having been represented by trainer Jesus Rondan Jr., waived his 10-day notice and formal hearing for the confirmed positive for Phenylbutazone found in blood sample E546364 at (0.382mcm/m) for the horse "Apollitical Iceman" who finished first in race one on April 28, 2024, at Sunray Park Racetrack. Farmington New Mexico. Jesus Rondan Jr. was the trainer of record for the horse "Apollitical Iceman".

The Stewards hereby order the purse redistributed as follows: (pursuant to NMAC 15.2.3.8 B (3)(i)

- 1-Alcala Eye
- 2- Space Cowwboyy
- 3- Jess Ace Fortunes
- 4- Moonin the Candy
- 5-Firstdown Junebug
- 6- El Embajador
- 7- Buffalos Moments
- 8- Easy Five Corona
- 9- Dragula

Apollitical Iceman is hereby disqualified and unplaced for all but pari-mutuel wagering.

Licensee found in violation of, and this ruling is written) in accordance with NMAC: 15.2.3.8(B)(1)(3) (f)(g)(j) Stewards.

15.2.6.9(C)(1)(4) Medication Restrictions

15.2.6.9 Medications and Prohibited Substances

15.2.6.9(B)(3) Penalty Recommendations

15.2.6.11(A)Trainer Responsibility

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

15.2.1.9. (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 15.2.1 NMAC 14 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 of appeal: Last date of appeal May 26, 2024. uper Warler

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Ruling #: 2024-SRP-42

Track SunRay Park

Ruling Date: 5/17/2024

Licensee: PEREZ, MARTIN N

License Type: 2023 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id: 19644

License Number: 310368

Ruling # 2024-SRP-42

Action Type: Initial Ruling

Ruling:

Trainer Martin Perez having been properly summoned and having appeared before the Board of Stewards at Sunray Park on May 17, 2024, and having waived his right to a 10 day **notice and formal hearing** for failure to have a current Pyro certificate on file in the racing office for the horse "Roll the Five" for the 9th race on May 17, 2024 at Sunray Park which resulted in a late scratch.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess the following penalty:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before May 31, 2024, in accordance with NMAC 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time may result in immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule NMAC 15.2.1.9 A(7)(f) all fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

Licensee is found to be in violation of and this ruling is written in accordance with 15.2.3.8(B)(1)(d) Stewards:

This ruling in written in accordance with NMAC:

15.2.,1.9 A (4)(c) Last Known Address

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

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". The last day to file is May 27, 2024.



Ruling #:

2024-SRP-42

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/17/2024

Licensee:

PEREZ, MARTIN N

License Type:

2023 3 Year Trainer

Applicant Id:

19644

License Number: 310368

By Order of The SunRay Park Stewards

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Ruling #:

2024-SRP-43

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/17/2024

Licensee:

VEGA, MANUEL ALBERTO

License Type:

2021 3 Year Trainer Applicant Id:

20356

License Number: 301206

Ruling #

2024-SRP-43

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Trainer Manuel A. Vega having been properly summoned and having appeared before the Sunray Park Board of Stewards on May 17, 2024, waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal disciplinary hearing for his horse "Emmys Silver" who was late to the paddock for the 8th race on May 12, 2024. necessitating a late scratch and pari - mutuel refunds at SunRay Park Racetrack. Pursuant to Rule 15.2.4.8(C)(1) Any horse entered in a claiming race that is not present in the paddock at least 10 minutes to post will be scratched.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess the following penalty:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before May 31, 2024, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule 15.2.1.9 (A)(7)(f) All fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

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

15.2.1.9 A (4)(c) Last Known Address

15.2.1.9.A (8)(c) Due Process Displinary Action

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

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. The last day to file an appeal is May 27, 2024.

By Order of The SunRay Park Stewards

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Ruling #:

2024-SRP-44

Track

SunRay Park

Ruling Date:

5/19/2024

Licensee:

GUTIERREZ, JOEL

License Type:

2023 3 Year Trainer

Applicant Id: 32861

License Number: 309262

Ruling #

2024-SRP-44

Action Type:

**Initial Ruling** 

Ruling:

Trainer Joel Gutierrez having been properly notified and having appeared telephonicaaly before the Sunray Park Board of Stewards on May 19, 2024, waived his right to a 10-day notice and formal disciplinary hearing for his horse "Talent Not Luck" who failed to show up to the paddock for the 10th race on May 17, 2024, necessitating a late scratch and pari - mutuel refunds at SunRay Park Racetrack.

The Board of Stewards hereby assess the following penalty:

1. A fine of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) which must be paid on or before June 2, 2024, in accordance with 15.2.3.8 (B)(3)(e)(i). Failure to pay the fine within the prescribed time shall result in an immediate suspension. Pursuant to Rule 15.2.1.9 (A)(7)(f) All fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the commission within 14 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered.

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

15.2.1.9 A (4)(c) Last Known Address

15.2.1.9.A (8)(c) Due Process Displinary Action

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

15.2.6.11 (E)(12) Trainers Responsibilty

16.47.1.8. T. Knowledge of Rules:

16.47.1.3 Statutory Authority

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16.47.1.8 (A)(1) License Required

16.47.1.8 (A)(2) License Required

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. The last day to file an appeal is May 29, 2024. My Wash