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April 17, 2025

Dear Horsemen and New Mexico Racing Commission staff,

At the April 17, 2025, New Mexico Racing Commission (NMRC) monthly meeting the Commissioners unanimously voted to grant a 3-month grace period regarding the penalties contained in newly adopted Rule 15.2.6.9 (B) 5 (trainer suspensions for out of competition testing violations). This grace period will in no way affect the penalties that are imposed upon horses for any out of competition testing violations pursuant to Rule 15.2.6.9 (J) in its entirety. Furthermore, Stewards may still sanction a trainer for out of competition testing violations under the conduct detrimental to racing Rule 16.47.1.8. L.(i). **This grace period is effective April 17, 2025.**

Respectfully,

Ismael Trejo

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