**RULING #51** 

NAME: EDDIE CLOUSTON

DOB: 7/2/1965

PERMIT: # 21628 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER EDDIE CLOUSTON IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-23.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "SNAKE PIT" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 2ND RACE ON SUNDAY, MAY 29, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

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**RULING #52** 

NAME: EDUARDO CARAMORI

DOB: 12/8/1958

PERMIT: # 22928 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER EDUARDO CARAMORI IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING FOR HAVING PAID HIS FINE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #53** 

NAME: KEVIN PATTERSON

DOB: 1/13/1960

PERMIT: CT# 10699 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER KEVIN PATTERSON IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-51.1.b.16 FAILURE TO HAVE HIS HORSE "KARFAGEN" PROPERLY SHOD FOR THE TURF COURSE. RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 2ND RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 2, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

**RULING #54** 

NAME: ADAM INGRAM

DOB: 2/26/1962

PERMIT: #20677 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER ADAM INGRAM IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING FOR HAVING PAID HIS FINE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

**Chief Steward** 

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #55** 

NAME: NOEL SANCHEZ

DOB: 7/5/1981

PERMIT: # 21627 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

HAVING WAIVED HIS RIGHT TO A HEARING IN REGARDS TO A POSITIVE SAMPLE REPORTED BY INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS FIND THE FOLLOWING:

THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE E189514 TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "RADIANT DANCER" WHICH FINISHED 1ST IN THE 3RD RACE ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2016 DID CONTAIN "BETAMETHASONE" WHICH IS A CONTROLLED THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION WHICH IS A CLASS 4 DRUG CARRYING A C PENALTY. AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF 34.0/2.0 pg/ml WHICH WAS CONFIRMED IN THE BLOOD. MR. SANCHEZ ELECTED NOT TO SEND A SPLIT SAMPLE.

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MR. SANCHEZ HAS ONE (1) PRIOR CLASS 4 MEDICATION VIOLATION FROM OCTOBER 19, 2015. HE HAD A PHENYLBUTAZONE OVERAGE.

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

CLASS 4 DRUGS GENERALLY HAVE A MORE LIMITED ABILITY TO INFLUENCE THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

#### "BETAMETHASONE" IS LEGALLY AVAILABLE

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG OR INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

MR. SANCHEZ WAS AWARE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

THE HORSES ARE STABLED AT THE OWNER'S FARM AND ARE BROUGHT INTO HIM AT THE RACETRACK.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO HUMAN DRUG USE.

NONE

G.) THE PURSE MONEY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11, 2016 RACE #3 \$6,200.00

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

**NOT AVAILABLE** 

I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE.

NONE

- J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE
  IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

  MR. SANCHEZ SAID THE HORSE WAS TREATED AT THE FARM.
- K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NONE.

#### Wednesday, May 11, 2016 3rd Race

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- 2) DEVILS MATCH
- 3) DOLCE LUSSO
- 4) BOOGALOO GEORGE
- 5) OLD ABE

BASED ON THE ABOVE THE STEWARDS CONCLUDED THAT MR. SANCHEZ HAS VIOLATED SECTION'S AND 178-1-49.4a.1

AND 178-1-49.4a.1 OF THE THOROUGHBRED RACING RULE WVA C.S.R.1

MR. SANCHEZ IS HEREBY FINED ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS AND THE PURSE OF THE SAID RACE WILL BE REDISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS: MR SANCHEZ WILL ASSESSED ONE (1) POINT UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM. MR. SANCHES HAS ONE (1) POINT FROM A PRIOR VIOLATION IN 2015. GIVING HIM A TOTAL OF TWO (2) POINTS.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #56** 

NAME: JUAN M. RUVALCABA

DOB: 10/20/1963

PERMIT: # 23129 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

HAVING WAIVED HIS RIGHT TO A HEARING REGARDING A REPORT FROM INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES. THE STEWARDS FIND THE FOLLOWING:

THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE E189588 TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "STRATEGIC DIVA" WHICH FINISHED 1ST IN THE 4TH RACE ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 2016 DID CONTAIN "DEXAMETHSONE" AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF 76.4+/- pg/ml WHICH IS A 49.4a.2 CONTROLLED THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION WHICH IS A CLASS 4 DRUG CARRYING A CLASS C PENALTY. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS CONCLUDE: THAT MR. RUVALCABA HAS VIOLATED SECTIONS 178-1-49.4a AND 178-1-49.4a.1 OF THE THOROUGHBRED RULE 178- W WVA C.S.R. 1

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MR. RUVALCABA HAS NO PRIOR MEDICATION VIOLATIONS UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM.

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

CLASS 4 DRUGS HAVE LESS OF AN ABILITY TO INFLUENCE THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

THERAPEUTIC MEDICATIONS ARE LEGALLY AVAILABLE.

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG OR INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

MR, RUVALCABA ADMITTED TO KNOWING OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

THIS INFORMATION IS NOT AVAILABLE SINCE MR, RUVALCABA WAIVED HIS RIGHTS TO A HEARING.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO HUMAN DRUG USE.

NO PROBABILITY

G.) THE PURSE MONEY

MONDAY, MAY 11, 2016 \$6,300.00

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

THIS INFORMATION IS NOT AVAILABLE.

I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE.

NO SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN

J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

MR. RUVALCABA WAS NOT ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A LICENSED VETERINARIAN.

K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NO OTHER FACTORS.

#### Monday, May 16, 2016 4th Race

- 1) ANITA VACATION
- 2) POLO IS CHEAPER
- 3) PUNTEADA
- 4) VEREDA TROPICAL

amount of \$100.00

5) GIDDYUPMYFOURONINE

BASED ON THE ABOVE THE STEWARDS IMPOSE THE FOLLOWING PENALTY UNDERLYING OFFENSE.

MR. RUVALCABA IS HEREBY FINED ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS AND THE SAID HORSE "STRATEGIC DIVA"

IS DISQUALIFIED FROM ALL PURSE MONEY. MR. RUBALCABA WILL BE ASSESSED ONE (1) POINT UNDER THE MULTIPLE

MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM. 49.3.m.3

THE REDISTRIBUTION OF THE SAID RACE IS AS FOLLOWS.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

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### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #57** 

NAME: RICHARD ZIELINSKI

DOB: 8/28/1964

PERMIT: #20131 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER RICHARD ZIELINSKI IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-26.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "P TOWN BOO" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK. RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 9TH RACE ON MONDAY, JUNE 6, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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**RULING #58** 

NAME: PAVEL MATEJKA

DOB: 11/13/1976

PERMIT: #22959 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER PAVEL MATEJKA IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING FOR HAVING PAID HIS FINE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #59** 

**NAME: SHAWN FAIRMAN** 

DOB: 6/24/1969

PERMIT: #22841 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER SHAWN FAIRMAN IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45-26.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "MASHPIE POND" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 9TH RACE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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**RULING #60** 

NAME: DONALD T. BLANKENSHIP

DOB: 8/1/1985

PERMIT: #21743 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER DONALD T. BLANKENSHIP IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45-26.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "VICTORY COURTS" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 9TH RACE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #61** 

NAME: ERIC R. REED

DOB: 9/12/1964

PERMIT: #22891 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER ERIC R. REED IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-44.1 FAILURE TO HAVE REGISTRATION PAPERS FOR "PHRASE" RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 2ND RACE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2016. THIS IS MR. REED'S FIRST (1ST) OFFENSE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

June 12, 2016

#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #62** 

NAME: MONICA KRUMMEN

DOB: 10/13/1963

PERMIT: # 23187 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

THE BOARD OF STEWARDS CONDUCTED A TAPED PHONE HEARING WITH OWNER/TRAINER MONICA KRUMMEN ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 2016 IN REGARDS TO A POSITIVE SAMPLE REPORTED BY INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES.

THE BOARD OF STEWARDS FIND THE FOLLOWING:

THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE #E189525 TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "FOREST WARRIOR" WHICH FINISHED 1ST IN THE

9th RACE ON TUESDAY, MAY 17, 2016 DID CONTAIN "KETOPROFEN" (178-1-49.2.d) WHICH IS A CONTROLLED

THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION WHICH IS A CLASS 4 DRUG CARRYING A C PENALTY AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF

113/+/- ng/ml WHICH WAS CONFIRMED IN THE BLOOD. MS. KRUMMEN ELECTED NOT TO SEND A SPLIT SAMPLE.

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MS. KRUMMEN HAS NO PRIOR MEDICATION VIOLATIONS UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM.

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

CLASS 4 DRUGS GENERALLY HAVE A MORE LIMITED ABILITY TO INFLUENCE THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

"KETOPROFEN" IS LEGALLY AVAILABLE.

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

MS. KRUMMEN SAID SHE DID NOT KNOW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

MR. KRUMMEN IS STABLED AT HER FARM.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO

**HUMAN DRUG USE.** 

NO PROBABILTY OF CONTAMINATION.

G.) THE PURSE MONEY

\$6,200.00

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

ACCORDING TO MS. KRUMMEN THE HORSE "FOREST WARRIOR" WAS NOT TREATED BY A VETERINARIAN

I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE.

THERE WAS NO SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN.

J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

MR. KRUMMEN SAID "FOREST WARRIOR" WAS NOT TREATED BY A WVRC PRACTICING VETERINARIAN.

K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NONE.

TUESDAY, MAY 17, 2016

- 1) UNLIKELY SCENARIO
- 2) HURRICANE BOB
- 3) SHADOWS OF LOVE
- 4) SUNDAY ROBBERY

- 5) ENDURING
- 6) SPACKENKILL
- 7) BIG BUBBA
- 8) MY VISION

BASED ON THE ABOVE THE STEWARDS CONCLUDED THAT MS. KRUMMEN HAS VIOLATED SECTIONS 178-1-49.4a.1 AND 178-49.4.a.2 OF THE THOROUGHBRED RACING RULE OF WVA C.S.R.1

MS. KRUMMEN IS HEREBY FINED ONE THOUSAND (\$1,000.00) DOLLARS AND THE PURSE OF THE SAID RACE WILL BE REDISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS: MS. KRUMMEN WILL BE ASSESSED (49.3.m.1) ONE (1) POINT UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #63** 

NAME: CHRISTIAN JACKSON

DOB: 7/27/1993

PERMIT: #21383 HOUSEKEEPING

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

HOUSEKEEPER CHRISTIAN JACKSON IS HEREBY SUMMARILY SUSPENDED PENDING A HEARING FOR TESTING POSITIVE FOR "THC" ON ASSOCIATION GROUNDS ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 2016.

MR. JACKSON PRESENTLY HAS DRUGS (CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE) IN HIS BODY A VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-24.3.b.6

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #64** 

NAME: LARRY REED

DOB: 4/22/1941

PERMIT: #20194 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER LARRY REED IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION

OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-26.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "STOP HUNTING" PRESENT IN THE

PADDOCK RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 4TH RACE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2016

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #65** 

NAME: RYAN PARTEE

DOB: 2/4/1985

PERMIT: #22607 MAINTENANCE

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

RYAN PARTEE IS HEREBY SUMMARILY SUSPENDED PENDING A HEARING IN REGARDS TO VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-24.3.i REFUSAL OF TESTING AS REQUESTED ON THURSDAY, MAY 26, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

June 14, 2016

## MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK RULING

**RULING #66** 

NAME: EDDIE JURADO

DOB: 6/19/1989

PERMIT: #21833 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY EDDIE JURADO IS HEREBY SUSPENDED FOR SEVEN (7) DAYS BEGINNING THURSDAY, JUNE 16, 2016 THROUGH AND INCLUDING WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2016 FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-45.7.b.1 AND 178-1-45.1.c.2. HIS MOUNT #1 "S S MUCHO ADO" DRIFTED OUT UNDER LEFT HANDED ENCOURAGEMENT DURING THE STRETCH RUN OF THE FIRST (1st) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8, 2016 CAUSING INTERFERENCE TO #2 "COURT ADJOURNED". THE BOARD OF STEWARDS CONCLUDED THAT MR. JURADO FAILED TO CORRECT HIS MOUNT IN A TIMELY MANNER RESULTING IN A DISQUALIFICATION. HIS MOUNT WAS DISQUALIFIED FROM 1ST AND PLACED 3RD.

WHILE SUSPENDED MR. JURADO MAY GALLOP UNDER WV RULE OF RACING 178-1.f

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #67** 

NAME: EDDIE CLOUSTON

DOB: 7/2/1965

PERMIT: #21628 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER EDDIE CLOUSTON IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-26.3.g FAILURE TO HAVE "SNAKE PIT" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK RESULTING IN A LATE SCRATCH FROM THE 2ND RACE ON MONDAY, JUNE 14, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #68** 

NAME: NICK JOSEPH CARUSO

DOB: 9/17/1989

PERMIT: #27016 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER NICK J. CARUSO IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING FOR HAVING PAID HIS FINE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

June 25, 2015

## MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK RULING

RULING #78

NAME: LEANDRO MORENO

DOB: 2/20/1986

PERMIT: #20147 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER LEANDRO MORENO IS HEREBY SUMMARILY SUSPENDED PENDING A HEARING FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-24.3.b.6. BEING OVER THE LIMIT ON THE BREATHALYZER WHILE ON ASSOCIATION GROUNDS ON SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward `

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June 25, 2016

#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #80** 

NAME: MARCUS KOCIJAN

DOB: 7/9/1974

PERMIT: # 21723 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER MARCUS KOCIJAN HAVING WAIVED HIS RIGHTS TO A HEARING A POSITIVE SAMPLE REPORTED BY INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS FIND THE FOLLOWING:

THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE #E204336 TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WHICH FINISHED FOURTH (4) IN THE SEVENTH (7) RACE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016 DID CONTAIN 'CLENBUTEROL" 178-1-49.2.d A CONTROLLED THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION. CLENBUTEROL IS A CLASS 3 DRUG CARRYING A B PENALTY CLENBUTEROL WAS CONFIRMED AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF 25 pg/ml. MR. KOCIJAN ELECTED NOT TO SEND A SPLIT SAMPLE.

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MR. KOCIJAN HAS NO PRIOR MEDICATION VIOLATIONS

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

MANY CLASS 3 DRUGS AFFECT THE CARDIOVASCULAR PULMONARY AND AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM.

THEY ALL HAVE THE POTENTIAL OF AFFECTING THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

THIS CLASS THREE (3) DRUG IS LEGALLY AVAILABLE.

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

YES, HE WAS AWARE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

MR. KOCIJAN ROTATES HIS HORSES FROM HIS FARM TO THE RACETRACK.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO HUMAN DRUG USE.

NONE

G.) THE PURSE MONEY

\$6200.00 RACE #7 ON SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

THE HORSE "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WAS NOT RECEIVING TREATMENT FROM A VETERINARIAN.

I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE.
NONE

J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

MR. KOCIJAN SAID HE WAS NOT ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE FROM A LICENSED VETERINARIAN IN WEST VIRGINIA.

K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NONE.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016** 

1) DAISY FUZZ

2) DANNA GOLD

3) BROADWAY KATE

4) SUITA MUSIC

5) MYPENNYFROMHEAVEN

6) PRINCESS PUFF

7) SMITTENWITHSMARTEN

BASED ON THE ABOVE THE STEWARDS CONCLUDED THAT MR. KOCIJAN HAS VIOLATED SECTIONS 178-1-49.4.a.1

AND 178-49.4.a.2 OF THE THOROUGHBRED RACING RULE OF WVA C.S.R.1

MR. KOCIJAN IS SUSPENDED FIFTEEN (15) DAYS BEGINNING SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2016 THROUGH AND INCLUDING SATURDAY, JULY 9, 2016. HE IS FINED FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS ANY PURSE MONEY FROM "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WILL BE REDISTRIBUTED. UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM 178-1-49.2.c AND 178-1-49.3.m.1. MR. KOCIJAN WILL BE ASSESSED TWO (2) POINTS. WHILE SUSPENDED MR. KOCIJAN IS DENIED THE GROUNDS.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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NAME: FRANK PRAINITO

DOB: 7/15/1956

**PERMIT: #21812 TRAINER** 

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER FRANK PRAINITO IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING FOR HAVING PAID HIS FINE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #80** 

NAME: MARCUS KOCIJAN

DOB: 7/9/1974

PERMIT: # 21723 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER MARCUS KOCIJAN HAVING WAIVED HIS RIGHTS TO A HEARING A POSITIVE SAMPLE REPORTED BY INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS FIND THE FOLLOWING:

THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE #E204336 TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WHICH FINISHED FOURTH (4) IN THE SEVENTH (7) RACE ON SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016 DID CONTAIN 'CLENBUTEROL" 178-1-49.2.d A CONTROLLED THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION. CLENBUTEROL IS A CLASS 3 DRUG CARRYING A B PENALTY CLENBUTEROL WAS CONFIRMED AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF 25 pg/ml. MR. KOCIJAN ELECTED NOT TO SEND A SPLIT SAMPLE.

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MR. KOCIJAN HAS NO PRIOR MEDICATION VIOLATIONS

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

MANY CLASS 3 DRUGS AFFECT THE CARDIOVASCULAR PULMONARY AND AUTONOMIC NERVOUS SYSTEM.

THEY ALL HAVE THE POTENTIAL OF AFFECTING THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

THIS CLASS THREE (3) DRUG IS LEGALLY AVAILABLE.

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

YES, HE WAS AWARE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

MR. KOCIJAN ROTATES HIS HORSES FROM HIS FARM TO THE RACETRACK.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO HUMAN DRUG USE.

NONE

**G.) THE PURSE MONEY** 

\$6200.00 RACE #7 ON SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

THE HORSE "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WAS NOT RECEIVING TREATMENT FROM A VETERINARIAN.

- I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE.
  NONE
- J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

  MR. KOCIJAN SAID HE WAS NOT ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE FROM A LICENSED VETERINARIAN IN WEST VIRGINIA.
- K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NONE.

**SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 2016** 

1) DAISY FUZZ

2) DANNA GOLD

3) BROADWAY KATE

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BASED ON THE ABOVE THE STEWARDS CONCLUDED THAT MR. KOCIJAN HAS VIOLATED SECTIONS 178-1-49.4.a.1

AND 178-49.4.a.2 OF THE THOROUGHBRED RACING RULE OF WVA C.S.R.1

MR. KOCIJAN IS SUSPENDED FIFTEEN (15) DAYS BEGINNING SATURDAY, JUNE 25, 2016 THROUGH AND INCLUDING SATURDAY, JULY 9, 2016. HE IS FINED FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS ANY PURSE MONEY FROM "ELEVENSIXTYSEVEN" WILL BE REDISTRIBUTED. UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM 178-1-49.2.c AND 178-1-49.3.m.1. MR. KOCIJAN WILL BE ASSESSED TWO (2) POINTS. WHILE SUSPENDED MR. KOCIJAN IS DENIED THE GROUNDS.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #84** 

NAME: ALEX M. CRUZ

DOB: 5/31/1993

PERMIT: #22844 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY ALEX M. CRUZ IS HEREBY SUSPENDED SEVEN (7) DAYS STARTING THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 2016 THROUGH AND INCLUDING WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 2016 FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45.7.c.1

AFTER MOVIE REVIEW THE BOARD OF STEWARDS HAVE DETERMINED THAT MR. CRUZ FAILED TO CORRECT HIS MOUNT IN THE STRETCH ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22, 2016 RACE 7 #4 "SHENANDOAH QUEEN" DRIFTED OUT UNDER LEFT HANDED URGING AND DID INTERFER WITH #2 "VALOREN" RIDDEN BY AGUSTIN BRACHO. MR. CRUZ'S MOUNT WAS DISQUALIFIED FROM 2ND AND PLACED 4TH.

UNDER WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-28-1.f WHILE SUSPENDED MR. CRUZ MAY GALLOP.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #90** 

NAME: AGUSTIN BRACHO

DOB: 4/21/1972

PERMIT: #20235 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY AGUSTIN BRACHO IS HEREBY FINED SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY (\$750.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45.7.c.2 "THE OFFENDING HORSE MAY BE DISQUALIFIED, IF IN THE OPINION OF THE STEWARDS THE FOUL ALTERED THE FINISH OF THE RACE, REGARLESS OF WHETHER THE FOUL WAS ACCIDENTAL, WILLFUL OR THE RESULT OF CARELESS RIDING." FAILURE TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE DURING THE RUNNING OF THE THIRD (3) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 2016. HIS MOUNT #3 "RIVA'S RUN" DRIFTED IN SLIGHTLY TO #4 "VIALBLE OPTION."

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

**RULING #91** 

NAME: ERIK BARBARAN

DOB: 4/19/1992

PERMIT: #20029 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY ERIK BARBARAN IS HEREBY FINED SEVEN FIFTY HUNDRED (\$750.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45.7.c.2 "THE OFFENDING HORSE MAY BE DISQUALIFIED, IF IN THE OPINION OF THE STEWARDS, THE FOUL ALTERED THE FINISH OF THE RACE, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE FOUL WAS ACCIDENTAL, WILLFUL OR THE RESULT OF CARELESS RIDING." FAILURE TO MAINTAIN A STRAIGHT COURSE DURING THE RUNNING OF THE THIRD (3) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 2016. HIS MOUNT #2 "JUPITER" DRIFTED IN SLIGHTLY TO #4 "VIALBLE OPTION."

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #92** 

NAME: LUIS A. PEREZ

DOB: 12/27/1980

PERMIT: CT #16003 EXPIRED JOCKEY LICENSE

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY LUIS A. PEREZ IS HEREBY RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING HAVING FULFILLED HIS FINANCIAL OBLIGATION.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #93** 

NAME: GABRIEL LAGUNES

DOB: 9/26/1976

PERMIT: #22703 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY GABRIEL LAGUNES IS HEREBY SUSPENDED SEVEN (7) DAYS EFFECTIVE MONDAY, JULY 11,2016 THROUGH AND INCLUDING SUNDAY, JULY 17, 2016 FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-45.7.b.1 "A JOCKEY SHALL NOT RIDE CARELESSLY OR WILLFULLY SO AS TO PERMIT HIS OR HER MOUNT TO INTERFERE WITH, IMPEDE OR INTIMIDATE ANY OTHER HORSE IN THE RACE." HIS MOUNT #1 "EYE TO THRILL" DRIFTED IN UNDER RIGHT HANDED WHIP CAUSING INTERFERENCE TO #3 "INCLUDE VISION" FORCING THE RIDER TO TAKE UP SHARPLY DURING THE STRETCH RUN OF THE FIFTH (5) RACE ON SUNDAY, JULY 3, 2016. HIS MOUNT "EYE TO THRILL" WAS DISQUALIFIED FROM SECOND (2) AND PLACE THIRD (3).

178-1-28.1.f. WHILE SUSPENDED MR. LAGUNES MAY GALLOP.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #94** 

NAME: ODIN LONDONO

DOB: 12/4/1981

PERMIT: #22736 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER ODIN LONDONO IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-44.1 "ITS BREED REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE IS NOT ON FILE WITH THE ASSOCIATION'S RACING SECRETARY ONE-HALF (1/2) HOUR BEFORE POST TIME FOR THE FIRST RACE; THE STEWARDS MAY WAIVE THIS REQUIREMENT IF THE INFORMATION CONTAINED ON THE REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE IS OTHERWISE AVAILABLE AND THE HORSE IS OTHERWISE CORRECTLY INDENTIFIED TO THE STEWARDS' SATISFACTION; PROVIDED THAT THE STEWARDS SHALL NOT WAIVE THIS REQUIREMENT IF THE HORSE IS SCHEDULED TO START IN A CLAIMING RACE." FAILURE TO HAVE REGISTRATION PAPERS ON FILE FOR "GUNG HO" FOR THE RUNNING OF THE THIRD (3) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 2016. THIS IS MR. LONDONO'S FIRST OFFENSE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of Imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #95** 

NAME: JENNIFER JOHNSON

DOB: 1/24/1960

PERMIT: #20499 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER JENNIFER A. JOHNSON IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-26.3.g "EACH TRAINER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PRESENTING HIS OR HER HORSE AND BEING PRESENT IN THE PADOCK AT A TIME APPOINTED BEFORE POST TIME OF THE RACE IN WHICH THE HORSE IS ENTERED." FAILURE TO HAVE "HEARTS FOREVER" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK FOR THE EIGHTH (8) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 6, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the

amount of \$100.00

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #96** 

NAME: JAMI C. POOLE

DOB: 5/28/1971

**PERMIT: #21764 TRAINER** 

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER JAMI POOLE IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-26.3.g "EACH TRAINER IS RESPONSIBLE FOR PRESENTING HIS OR HER HORSE AND BEING PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK AT A TIME APPOINTED BEFORE POST TIME OF THE RACE IN WHICH THE HORSE IS ENTERED." FAILURE TO HAVE "PA'S LITTLE SISTER" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK FOR THE RUNNING OF THE EIGHTH (8) RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 6,2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

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#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION RULING

**RULING #97** 

NAME: JUAN RUVALCABA

DOB: 10/20/1963

PERMIT: # 23129 OWNER/TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

A POSTIVE SAMPLE REPORTED BY INDUSTRIAL LABORATORIES. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

FIND THE FOLLOWING: THE OFFICIAL BLOOD SAMPLE "E204417" TAKEN FROM THE HORSE "HOME ON SATURDAY"

WHICH FINISHED FIRST (1) IN THE FIRST RACE ON SATURDAY, JUNE 21,2016 DID CONTAIN "DEXAMETHASONE"

WHICH IS A CONTROLLED THERAPEUTIC MEDICATION 178-1-4.a.2 IT IS A CLASS 4 DRUG CARRYING A C PENALTY,

THE SAID SAMPLE #E204417 WAS REPORTED AT A CONCENTRATION LEVEL OF 47.0+/-3.8 pg/ml.

MR. RUVALCABA ELECTED NOT TO SEND A SPLIT SAMPLE. THE BOARD OF STEWARDS CONCLUDE THAT Mr.

RUVALCABA VIOLATED SECTIONS 178-1-49.4.a AND 178-1-49.4.1 OF THE W.V.R.C CODE

A.) THE PERMIT HOLDER'S PAST RECORD.

MR. RUVALCABA HAD A "PHENYLBUTAZONE" OVERAGE IN 2014. HE HAS ALSO HAD ONE CLASS 4 VIOLATION IN 2016, IN WHICH HE WAS ASSESSED ONE (1) POINT UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM.

B.) THE POTENTIAL OF THE DRUG TO INFLUENCE THE HORSE'S PERFORMANCE.

CLASS 4 DRUGS GENERALLY HAVE A MORE LIMITED ABILITY TO INFLUENCE THE PERFORMANCE OF A RACEHORSE.

C.) THE LEGAL AVAILABILITY OF THE DRUG.

LEGALLY AVAILABLE

D.) WHETHER THERE IS REASON TO BELIEVE THE PERMIT HOLDER KNEW OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF INTENTIONALLY ADMINISTERED THE DRUG.

THE TRAINER DENIES ANY KNOWLEDGE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.

E.) THE STEPS TAKEN BY THE TRAINER TO SAFEGUARD THE HORSE.

MR. RUVALCABA SHIPS IN TO MULTIPLE TRACKS.

F.) THE PROBABILITY OF ENVIROMENTAL CONTAMINATION OR INADVERTENT EXPOSURE DUE TO HUMAN DRUG USE.

NONE

G.) THE PURSE MONEY

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2016 RACE 1 PURSE \$6,200.00

H.) WHETHER THE DRUG FOUND WAS ONE FOR WHICH THE HORSE WAS RECEIVING A TREATMENT AS DOCUMENTED BY THE TREATING VETERINARIAN'S TREATMENT RECORD.

NOT AVAILABLE

- I.) WHETHER THERE WAS ANY SUSPICIOUS BETTING PATTERN IN THE RACE. NONE
- J.) WHETHER THE TRAINER WAS ACTING UNDER THE ADVICE OF A VETERIANARIAN LICENSED TO PRACTICE IN WEST VIRGINIA AND HOLDING AN OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT BY THE RACING COMMISSION.

  MR. RUVALCABA SAID HE WAS NOT AWARE OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE DRUG.
- K.) OTHER FACTORS DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE STEWARDS NONE.

THE REDISTRIBUTION OF THE SAID RACE IS AS FOLLOWS:

TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2016

1) BROADWAY KATE

2) ELEVENSEXTYSEVEN

3) DONNA GOLD

4) SUITA MUSIC

5) IMPERIAL ROSE

BASED ON THE ABOVE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS IMPOSE THE FOLLOWING PENALTY FOR UNDERLYING OFFENSE.

MR. RUVALCABA IS HEREBY SUSPENDED FIFTEEN (15) DAYS EFFECTIVE TUESDAY, JULY 12, 2016 THROUGH AND
INCLUDING TUESDAY, JULY 26, 2016. MR. RUVALCABA IS FINED FIFTEEN HUNDRED (\$1,500.00) DOLLARS. THE
SAID HORSE "HOME ON SATURDAY" IS DISQUALIFIED FROM ALL PURSE MONIES. MR. RUVALCABA WILL BE ASSESED
ONE POINT UNDER THE MULTIPLE MEDICATION VIOLATION SYSTEM 178-1-49.3.m.3. GIVING HIM A TOTAL OF TWO
POINTS IN WHICH HE RECEIVED ONE POINT FROM A PRIOR MEDICATION VIOLATION IN 2016. THIS IS
MR. RUVALCABA'S SECOND OFFENSE IN A 365 DAY PERIOD.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

Philip Heidenreich

July 13, 2016

### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

RULING

**RULING #98** 

NAME: ARNALDO BOCACHICA

DOB: 6/20/1988

PERMIT: CT #10801 JOCKEY

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

JOCKEY ARNALDO BOCACHICA IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-28.3.b (A Jockey shall faithfully fulfill all engagements in respect to racing.) FAILURE TO FULFILL HIS RIDING ENGAGEMENT ON TUESDAY, JULY 12, 2016 RESULTING IN A RIDER CHANGE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

July 13, 2016

#### MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

#### RULING

**RULING #99** 

NAME: JULIE PAPPADA

DOB: 3/16/1973

PERMIT: #22697 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER JULIE PAPPADA IS HEREBY FINED TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-26.3.g (Each trainer is responsible for presenting his or her horse and being present in the paddock at a time appointed before post time of the race in which the horse is entered.) FAILURE TO HAVE "GOLDEN ATHENA" PRESENT IN THE PADDOCK FOR THE RUNNING OF THE SECOND RACE ON TUESDAY, JULY 12, 2016.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief Steward

Steward

July 13, 2016

## MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK RULING

**RULING #100** 

NAME: ELLIOT SULLIVAN

DOB: 12/7/1988

PERMIT: #26632 TRAINER

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

TRAINER ELLIOT SULLIVAN IS HEREBY FINED ONE HUNDRED (\$100.00) DOLLARS FOR VIOLATION OF WV RULE OF RACING 178-1-44.1 (A horse is ineligible to start when its breed registration certificate is not on file with the association's racing secretary one-half (1/2) hour before post time for the first race) FAILURE TO HAVE REGISTRATION PAPERS ON FILE FOR "TRIBAL CUSTOM" FOR THE RUNNING OF THE 3RD RACE ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 2016. THIS IS HIS FIRST OFFENSE.

All fines are to be paid within seven (7) days of imposition as per West Virginia Rule of Racing 178-1-8.5.N.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$100.00

Chief teward

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