FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Apr 12 - Thu, Apr 18

PART ONE

The following action has been taken by the United States Trotting Association. This information is in an abbreviated form.

BRITTON, AMANDA M

GOODSPRING, TN

YOB 2002

USTA on 4/15/2024

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 4/15/2024

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Indefinite suspension for violation of Rule 20, Section 9 - financial responsibility.

PART TWO - MAJOR PENALTIES

The following actions published herein and imposed pursuant to the rules and regulations of the racing commissions of the various states and provinces are given full faith and credit and strictly enforced by the United States Trotting Association consistent with the provisions of USTA Rule 22, Sections 7 and 8 relative to RECIPROCITY OF PENALTIES. The fact that there is no separate action taken by the USTA in the form of a "ruling of reciprocity" shall not be construed as a failure to recognize and/or reciprocate with these published penalties. Please note that the following action is in an abbreviated form and that the USTA is not responsible for the accuracy or timeliness of reported penalties. Further information may be available by contacting the racing commission where the ruling was issued to determine the accuracy of the information.

BONGIORNO, JENNIFER L

ALPINE, NJ

YOB 1990

Fhld on 4/6/2024

FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Trainer Jennifer Bongiorno is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Ms. Bongiorno did employ an individual in the capacity of Stable Employee in the paddock at Freehold Raceway while that individual was not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission. Ms. Bongiorno's employment of a caretaker who is not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission while on the grounds of a facility licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey Racing Commission is in direct violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.26(d), which states: It shall be the responsibility of the trainer to ensure that only individuals licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission are employed in any capacity of caretaker, groom or other attendant with respect to the care-custody and training of such horse. The fine associated with this ruling shall be paid on or before May 1, 2024.

BOWERS, JASON ALAN

RcR on 3/14/2024

SUDLERSVILLE, MD

YOB 1986

FINED: \$2,500

FULL - 360 DAYS, 4/15/2024 THRU 4/9/2025 HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/18/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer Jason Bowers, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720239 taken from JOHNNY Q on March 14th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Bowers is fined \$2,500.00 and must return all purse monies. Bowers will also be issued a full suspension from April 15th, 2024 through April 9th, 2025 (360 days). During this suspension, he and all horses trained and/or owned by him are barred from the grounds, under the jurisdiction of the Maryland Racing Commission. Additionally, JOHNNY Q is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward`s

list from April 15th, 2024 through April 9th, 2024 (360 days). Once Bowers` suspension is completed, he must reapply and receive approval from the Maryland Racing Commission to obtain licensure. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance, and all fines are due within 10 days of the ruling. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B. Six Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) points assessed.

Status as of 4/18/2024 - Appeal - Trainer Jason Bowers has officially appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-019) on April 13th, 2024.

BUCHANAN, TYLER S

JACOBSTOWN, NJ

YOB 1986

M on 3/30/2024

FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Stable Employee, Tyler Buchanan is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Mr. Buchanan was employed as a stable employee while in the paddock area at the Meadowlands Racetrack on March 30, 2024 without first having secured the required license from the New Jersey Racing Commission. All persons working in or about the licensed premises shall be required to be licensed in their appropriate category by the New Jersey Racing Commission. The payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before May 7, 2024. Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.1(a)4 Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.35(a)1

COLE, LAFREDRICK

PRESTON, MS

YOB 1991

Har on 1/15/2024

FULL - INDEFINITELY AS OF 3/8/2024

FALSIFICATION OF LICENSE APPLICATION

DHRC Licensee Lafredrick Cole is under an INDEFINITE FULL SUSPENSION (Effective 3/8/2024) pending the resumption and completion of his Judge's hearing (see DHRC rule: 10.2.3.1).

DI DOMENICO, SCOTT D

JAMESBURG, NJ

YOB 1982

M on 3/30/2024

FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Trainer Scott DiDomenico is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. On March 30, 2024 Mr. DiDomenico did employ an individual in the capacity of Stable Employee in the paddock at the Meadowlands Racetrack while that individual was not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission. Mr. DiDomenico`s employment of a caretaker who is not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission while on the grounds of a facility licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey Racing Commission is in direct Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.26(d), which states: It shall be the responsibility of the trainer to insure that only individuals licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission are employed in any capacity of caretaker, groom or other attendant with respect to the carecustody and training of such horse. The payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before May 7, 2024.

Stga on 3/12/2024

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 60 DAYS, 3/31/2024 THRU 5/29/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Christopher Dubois, as trainer of record for the horse MACZAFFAIR N in the 12th race on 03/12/2024 at Saratoga Harness is issued a Sixty (60) day full suspension of their occupational license, beginning 03/31/2024, through and including 05/29/2024, and a One Thousand Dollar (\$1,000.00) fine. The pre-race blood sample collected from MACZAFFAIR N on 03/12/2024 was found to have a TCO2 concentration 44.2 millimoles per liter +/- 0.2 millimoles per liter. This is in excess of the levels established by the New York State Gaming Commission. MACZAFFAIR N finished 7th and is hereby disqualified and placed unplaced. MACZAFFAIR N had no purse earnings in this race. MACZAFFAIR N shall submit to a 6-hour pre-race detention, for a period of 6 months,03/13/2024 through 09/13/2024, without regard to whether the horse is transferred to a new owner or trainer. The horse must also test in compliance with the above stated rules each time raced during the required pre-race detention period and shall be ineligible to race until the horse tests in compliance with this rule. During the term of the suspension, Christopher Dubois is deemed a disqualified person and denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New York State Gaming Commission. Any horses owned or trained by Christopher Dubois shall be denied the privilege of participating during the term of suspension, unless transferred to another licensee approved by the Presiding Judge at Saratoga Harness. (1st offense in this category).

Status as of 4/14/2024 - Subsequent Ruling

DUBOIS, SAMANTHA K

Stga on 3/19/2024

SARATOGA SPRINGS, NY

YOB 1998

FINED: \$1,500

FULL - 20 DAYS, 4/10/2024 THRU 4/29/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Samantha Dubois, as trainer of record for the horse "J-S PERFECT CACHE" on 03/19/2024 at Saratoga Harness, having appeared before a representative of the New York State Gaming Commission, and waiving the right to a formal hearing and the right to appeal, and waiving the right to a referee sample test, is issued a Twenty (20) day full suspension of their occupational license (reduced to Ten (10) days without appeal), beginning 04/10/2024, through and including 04/29/2024, and a One Thousand Five Hundred Dollar (\$1,500.00) fine (reduced to Seven Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$750.00) without appeal. The post-race sample collected from #3 "J-S PERFECT CACHE" from the 5th race at Saratoga Harness on 03/19/2024 was found to contain "DEXAMETHAZONE". "J-S PERFECT CACHE" finished 1st and is hereby disqualified and placed unplaced and the purse money won of Two Thousand Six Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$2650.00) is ordered returned and redistributed. "J-S PERFECT CACHE" shall submit a sample for testing and remain on the Judges List until a negative result is obtained and must re-qualify. During the

term of the suspension, Samantha Dubois is deemed a disqualified person and denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New York State Gaming Commission. Any horses owned or trained by Samantha Dubois shall be denied the privilege of participating during the term of suspension. (2nd offense in this category).

HAYNES, WALTER E JR M on 5/15/2021 **ALEXANDRIA, IN**

YOB 1965

FINED: \$1,000 HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Walter Haynes, Jr. was the programmed trainer of the horse MAJESTIC PLAYER A when he raced in the 9th race at the Meadowlands Racetrack on May 15, 2021. Following this race, MAJESTIC PLAYER A was required to submit to a post-race blood sample for analysis. A report from Industrial Laboratories, identified the presence of Aminocaproic Acid. At Mr. Haynes, Jr.'s request, a split sample was analyzed at an approved independent laboratory and did confirm the presence of Aminocaprocic Acid. As a result, Mr. Haynes, Jr. is hereby fined the sum of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars. Consistent with N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7, the horse MAJESTIC PLAYER A is hereby disqualified from sharing in the purse from the 9th race on May 15, 2021. The fine associated with this ruling must be paid by February 26, 2021. MMV Points - 1/2Point Violation N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1(a)(b) Violation N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6(a)(b)(c)(d) Violation N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.8 BY ORDER OF THE NEW JERSEY R

Status as of 4/18/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - By Ruling No. 22MDH6, dated January 26, 2022, the Board of Judges fined trainer Walter Haynes, Jr. \$1,000.00 dollars, disqualified the horse "Majestic Player," ordered loss of purse and imposed 1/2 MMV point for violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1(a)(b), N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6(a)(b)(c)(d), N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.7(a)(b)(c)(d) and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.8 in connection with a post-race positive test result revealing the presence of Aminocaproic Acid in the horse "Majestic Player" after the 9th race on May 15, 2021 at Meadowlands Racetrack. Mr. Haynes requested a split sample at an approved independent laboratory which confirmed the presence of Aminocaproic Acid. Mr. Haynes appealed the decision of the Board of Judges and requested a stay of the penalties. In Ruling No. 22TRH20, dated February 14, 2022, a stay was granted and the matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law ("OAL") as a contested case. On January 10, 2024, Administrative Law Judge Susana E. Guerrero issued an initial decision, which affirmed the \$1,000 fine, disqualification of the horse, loss of purse and 1/2 MMV point issued by the Board of Judges. At its March 20, 2024 meeting, the New Jersey Racing Commission determined to adopt the initial decision. Having adopted the initial decision, the penalties issued in Ruling No. 22MDH6 are reinstated. Payment of the fine is due on or before May 10, 2024. Related rulings: 22MDH6, dated January 26, 2022; 22TRH20, dated February 14, 2022

M on 2/26/2024

RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF 4/12/2024

FAILURE TO PAY FINE(S)

On February 26, 2024 the New Jersey Racing Commission (NJRC) Board of Judges assigned to The Meadowlands Racetrack issued Ruling No. 24MDH46 which imposed a monetary fine against you in which payment was to be received by the NJRC not later than April 6, 2024. As you have failed to comply with terms of Ruling No. 24MDH46 by failing to pay the fine by the required due date, you are in violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.20(b); 13:71-1.21. As a result, you are hereby suspended indefinitely until such time payment has been received by the NJRC. Said suspension shall be effective immediately.

Status as of 4/12/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - The fine associated with Ruling No. 24MDH46 was received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on April 9, 2024 and as a result, Mr. Inglis' New Jersey Racing Commission license has been reinstated. N.J.A.C. rule 13:71-7.34

JENKINS, JEFFREY J Wdstk on 2/15/2024 STRASBURG, VA YOB 1962
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF 4/4/2024

UNPAID OBLIGATION

Virginia Racing Commission licensee Jeffrey Jenkins is indefinitely suspended for failure to return purse monies to Shenandoah Downs to the sum of \$4,375.00, related to ruling WS23-025 (Positive test-post race). During this suspension, Jenkins is barred from the grounds, under the jurisdiction of the Virginia Racing Commission. Jenkins` Virginia Racing Commission license will be restored to good standing once purse monies are received. 11VAC10-45-60.A.

Status as of 4/4/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - Jeffrey Jenkins, having returned to Shenandoah Downs the sum of \$4,375.00 in purse monies related to ruling WS24-001, is restored to good standing and is eligible to receive a Virginia Racing Commission license. Ruling WS24-001, dated February 15, 2024, is hereby rescinded. 11VAC10-45-60.A.

LORD, THOMAS H RcR on 3/14/2024 **GREENSBORO**, MD

YOB 1993

FINED: \$2,500

FULL - 360 DAYS, 4/15/2024 THRU 4/9/2025 HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/18/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer Thomas Lord, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720249 taken from FRANZO on March 14th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Lord is fined \$2,500.00 and must return all purse monies. Lord will also be issued a full suspension from April 15th, 2024 through April 9th, 2025 (360 days). During this suspension, he and all horses trained and/or owned by him are barred from the grounds, under the jurisdiction of the Maryland Racing Commission. Additionally, FRANZO

is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward's list from April 15th, 2024 through April 9th, 2025 (360 days). Once Lord's suspension is completed, he must reapply and receive approval from the Maryland Racing Commission to obtain licensure. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance, and all fines are due within 10 days of the ruling. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B. Six Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) points assessed

Status as of 4/18/2024 - Appeal - Trainer Thomas Lord has officially appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-018) on April 13th, 2024.

MCCARTHY, LUKE A

BORDENTOWN, NJ

YOB 1982

Lex on 10/28/2009

RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF 4/12/2024

FAILURE TO PAY FINE(S)

Mr. McCarthy is hereby suspended for failure to pay fine J2009-062 (\$200 failure to drive when programmed causing 8 driver changes) at The Red Mile.

Status as of 4/12/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - 810 KAR 3:020 Sec.15 (1)(cc)----Having paid outstanding fine, Luke McCarthy is hereby in good standing for licensing with the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission.

PRESLEY, CHRIS S

THORNVILLE, OH

YOB 1995

MVR on 4/15/2024

FINED: \$100

LATE FOR THE BREATH ANALYZER TEST

OSRC 3769-17-29-A(1). Mr. Presley was late for his breathalyzer test prior to driving #1 Brush N Crush in race 5 on 4/15/24 at Miami Valley Raceway. Mr. Presley is fined \$200, or \$100 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Presley has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

SALLO, RICHARD R

HARRISONVILLE, NJ

YOB 1963

M on 3/13/2024

OTHER

New Jersey Racing Commission (NJRC) licensee Richard Sallo has satisfied the requirements set forth in ruling # 23MDH129 and as a result Mr. Sallo is now eligible to be licensed by the NJRC. N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.34

STAFFORD, PAUL R

EAST WINDSOR, NJ

YOB 1980

M on 3/30/2024

FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Trainer Paul Stafford is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. On March 30, 2024 Mr. Stafford did employ an individual in the capacity of Stable Employee in the paddock at the Meadowlands Racetrack while that individual was not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission. Mr. Stafford`s employment of a caretaker who is not licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission while on the grounds of a facility licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey Racing Commission is in direct Violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.26(d), which states: It shall be the responsibility of the trainer to insure

that only individuals licensed by the New Jersey Racing Commission are employed in any capacity of caretaker, groom or other attendant with respect to the care-custody and training of such horse. The payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New Jersey Racing Commission on or before May 7, 2024.

TORRO, KEITH D Fhld on 12/9/2023

FREEHOLD, NJ

YOB 1955

FINED: \$1,000...*STAYED* FULL - 30 DAYS, 4/26/2024 THRU 5/25/2024...*STAYED*

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

As a result of the administrative hearing conducted on March 21, 2024, the Board of Judges has determined that: New Jersey Racing Commission ("NJRC") licensee, Keith Torro was the programmed trainer of the horse "My Name Is Hairy" when it competed in the 4th race at Freehold Raceway on Saturday December 9, 2023; The horse "My Name Is Hairy" finished 1st in the 4th race on December 9, 2023; Following its performance in the 4th race at Freehold Raceway on December 9, 2023, the horse "My Name Is Hairy" was selected to submit blood and urine samples for analysis; The urine sample collected from the horse "My Name Is Hairy" on December 9, 2023 identified the presence of the prohibited substance Minoxidil, which is classified by the ARCI as a class 3 drug. The presence of Minoxidil in the horse "My Name Is Hairy" on December 9, 2023 is in direct violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1; Mr. Torro waived his right to a split sample. As a trainer licensed by the NJRC, Mr. Torro; is the absolute insurer of and responsible for the condition of a horse within his care and custody; shall not enter or start a horse that has in its body any drug or substance foreign to the natural horse; has the duty to be familiar with medication rules of the Commission and with any drug or substance foreign to the natural horse administered to said horse at his direction or while in his custody and care. Having considered mitigating factors surrounding the post-race positive test of the horse "My Name Is Hairy," Mr. Torro is in violation of N.J.A.C 13:71-23.6(a)(b)(c)(d) and as such Mr. Torro is suspended for a period of thirty (30) days, Friday April 26, 2024 through and including Saturday May 25, 2024. Mr. Torro is also fined the sum of one thousand (\$1000.00) dollars. During the period of suspension, Mr. Torro is denied access to all grounds under jurisdiction of the NJRC for any and all purposes. Payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the

Status as of 4/18/2024 - Stay - The New Jersey Racing Commission is in receipt of a notice of appeal and request for a stay from trainer Keith Torro in connection with the 30 day suspension, one-thousand dollar fine, disqualification of the horse "My Name Is Hairy," loss of purse and 4 Multiple Medication Violation ("MMV") points issued by the Board of Judges at Freehold Raceway for the violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.1 and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6(a)(b)(c)(d) in connection with a positive post-race analysis for Minoxidil in the horse "My Name Is Hairy" in the 4th race at Freehold Raceway on December 9, 2023. The Executive Director, having considered the request for a stay, hereby grants a stay of the penalties pending a final determination by the Racing Commission. This matter will be transmitted to the Office of

Administrative Law for a de novo hearing. Related ruling: 24FRE20, dated March 28, 2024

WILLIAMS, JAMAL L HoP on 12/2/2021 STARKVILLE, MS

YOB 1997

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 180 DAYS, 12/4/2023 THRU 5/31/2024 HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 10, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

MEDICATION PROCEDURE VIOLATION

71 IAC 8-1-1.5(b)(3) Based on the unanimous adoption of the Administrative Law Judge's Proposed Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law, and Non-Final Order by the members of the Indiana Horse Racing Commission at its November 30, 2023, meeting, Mr. Williams is suspended for a period one hundred eighty (180) days beginning on December 4, 2023, through May 31, 2024, and fined a total of \$1,000.00 for violations contained in Administrative Complaint No. 222002, which include oral administration of substances, foreign or otherwise, to multiple horses on race day. During the period of this suspension Mr. Williams is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Indiana Horse Racing Commission. The horse "PRESCOTTS HOPE" is ordered unplaced from race 3 of December 2, 2021 at Harrah's Hoosier Park, and all purse monies earned be forfeited, returned, and redistributed pursuant to the provisions of 71 IAC 8-1-2(b) as follows: PRESCOTTS HOPE finished first placed unplaced FOX VALLEY SAMPSON finished second placed first FLASY DUDE finished third placed second DOJEA ROCK finished fourth placed third THE BUCKET finished fifth placed fourth EVERGREEN ELITE finished sixth placed fifth FIFTY FLAT finished seventh placed sixth GAZING STAR finished eighth placed seventh

Status as of 1/11/2024 - Subsequent Ruling

WYATT, JOHN W

LEVITTOWN, PA

YOB 1955

Fhld on 2/25/2022 FINED: \$3,000

FULL - 273 DAYS, 8/23/2024 THRU 5/22/2025

POSSESSION OF HYPODERMIC NEEDLES, SYRINGES AND/OR INJECTABLE AND/OR OTHER DRUGS

As a result of the administrative hearing conducted on June 16, 2022 the Board of Judges has determined that: On February 25, 2021 and March 3, 2021, Mr. Wyatt did possess hypodermic needles and other instruments used for injection in his stabling area at Busy Bee Farm, an off-track training facility that is licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the NJRC, which is in violation of NJRC rules 13:71-7.29(a)13, 13:71-23.6(c)(d) and 13:71-23.9. As a result of the violations noted above, Mr. Wyatt is hereby suspended for a total of 12 months and is hereby fined the total sum of \$2000.00. The two 6-month suspensions shall run consecutively beginning August 1, 2022 through July 31, 2023. The fine associated with this ruling must be received by the NJRC on or before July 31, 2023. During the period of suspension, John Wyatt is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New Jersey for any and all purposes. BY ORDER OF THE NEW JERSEY RACING COMMISSION BOARD OF JUDGES

Status as of 4/18/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - By Ruling No. 22FRE83, dated June 22, 2022, the Board of Judges found trainer John Wayne Wyatt to be in violation of N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.29(a)(13), N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.6(c)(d) and N.J.A.C. 13:71-23.9 in connection with the possession of hypodermic needles and other instruments used for injection in his stabling area at Busy Bee Farm, an off-track training facility licensed by and under the jurisdiction of the Commission on February 25, 2021 and March 3, 2021. The Board of Judges issued a twelve month suspension and \$2,000 fine. Mr. Wyatt appealed the decision of the Board of Judges and the matter was transmitted to the Office of Administrative Law as a contested case. As a result of a Settlement Agreement, trainer John Wyatt is hereby suspended for a period of nine months, August 23, 2024 through and including May 22, 2025 and issued a \$3,000 fine. Payment of the fine is due on or before May 22, 2025. Related rulings: 22FRE83, dated June 22, 2022; 22TRH47, dated July 13, 2022.

YOUNG, PAMELA A

CIRCLEVILLE, OH

YOB 1970

MVR on 3/7/2024 FINED: \$500

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 10, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

OSRC 3769-18-01-A(1a,10,13,15&16), 3769-18-02, 3769-17-43. Blood sample #916527 was tested by the Ohio Department of Agriculture ATL and was found to contain Salacylic Acid at a concentration of 7.44 micrograms per milliliter of plasma, which exceeds the Regulatory Threshold of 6.5 micrograms per milliliter of plasma adopted by the OSRC. Sample #916527 was provided by #6 Vintage Sauvignon, who finished 1st in race 5 on 3/7/24 at Miami Valley Raceway, and was trained by Ms. Young. Ms. Young has waived her rights to a hearing, a split sample, and DNA. Ms. Young is fined \$1000, or \$500 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. #6 is disqualified and placed 10th, and the purse winnings (\$7250) are ordered to be returned and redistributed accordingly. The purse must also be returned within 10 days of this ruling to Miami Valley Raceway. Ms. Young has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

ZABIELSKI, LISA M

Stga on 3/9/2024

BALLSTON SPA, NY

YOB 1987

FINED: \$2,500

FULL - 75 DAYS, 4/21/2024 THRU 7/4/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- PRE RACE

Lisa Zabielski, as trainer of record for the horse "MR DUNNIGANS" in the 4th race on 03/09/2024 at Saratoga Harness is issued a Seventy Five (75) day full suspension of their occupational license, beginning 04/21/2024, through and including 07/04/2024, and a Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollar (\$2,500.00) fine. The pre-race blood sample collected from "MR DUNNIGANS" on 03/09/2024 was found to have a TCO2 concentration 46.9 millimoles per liter +/- 1.1 millimoles per liter. This is in excess of the levels established by the New York State Gaming Commission. "MR DUNNIGANS" finished 5 and is hereby disqualified

and placed unplaced. The purse money earned of Five Hundred Twenty Five Dollars (\$525.00) is ordered returned and redistributed. "MR DUNNIGANS" shall submit to a 6-hour pre-race detention, for a period of 6 months, 04/13/2024 through 10/13/2024, without regard to whether the horse is transferred to a new owner or trainer. The horse must also test in compliance with the above stated rules each time raced during the required pre-race detention period and shall be ineligible to race until the horse tests in compliance with this rule. During the term of the suspension, Lisa Zabielski is deemed a disqualified person and denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the New York State Gaming Commission. Any horses owned or trained by Lisa Zabielski shall be denied the privilege of participating during the term of suspension, unless transferred to another licensee approved by the Presiding Judge at Saratoga Harness. (2nd offense in this category).

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

BROWN, CHRIS A

CHARLESTON, IL

YOB 1973

OAKGR on 4/2/2024

FINED: \$200

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

810 KAR 5:070 Sec.9 (3)---\$200.00 fine for whipping in an indiscriminate manner by using other than minimal wrist and elbow. (First offense)

KEPPLER, SCOTT V

RIDGEFIELD, CT

YOB 1966

M on 3/22/2024

FINED: \$500

DRIVING - 5 DAYS, 3/30/2024 THRU 4/13/2024

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Driver Scott Keppler, is hereby issued a driving suspension for a pierod of five (5) days and is also fined the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars. Said suspension must be served on five consecutive New Jersey racing days and will be served on March 30, 2024, April 5, 2024, April 6, 2024, April 12, 2024 and April 13, 2024. While driving #2 "ROLLINWITDAPONYZZZ" in the 2nd race at the Meadowlands Racetrack on March 22, 2024 Mr. Keppler, during the stretch drive, did use the whip with more than wrist action and also did raise the whip above his shoulder in an exaggerated manner. These actions are in direct violation of the New Jersey Racing Commission rule regarding restrictive use of the whip. The payment of the fine associated with this ruling must be received by the New

Jersey Racing Commission on or before April 13, 2024. Violation N.J.A.C. 13:71-20.15(c) 3,

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

AHLE, JOHNATHAN P M on 3/29/2024 OTHER

4.

MANCHESTER, NJ FINED: \$100 **YOB 1997**

BEAVER, CHRISTOPHER F

MVR on 4/15/2024

FINED: \$100 **YOB 1972**

FINED: \$100 **MVR** on 4/15/2024

INACCURATE PROGRAM INFORMATION

WILTON, NY **YOB 2003**

BECKWITH, BRETT M
PRc on 4/16/2024 FINED: \$100

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

BEYER, TROY C SOUTHAMPTON, NJ **YOB 1995**

DRIVING - 7 DAYS, 3/30/2024 THRU 4/5/2024 **M** on 3/23/2024

IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE

CIUFFETELLI, ANTHONY A GANSEVOORT, NY **YOB 1962**

MR on 4/10/2024 FINED: \$100

HORSE PLACED 3

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

CRISSMAN, CHARLES F JR DOVER, DE **YOB 1958**

FINED: \$100 **PHL** on 4/12/2024

NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

DAVIS, BILLY J JR **YOB 1986 GUELPH, ON**

Nfld on 4/9/2024 FINED: \$100

TALKING ON THE RACE TRACK

DAVIS, TYLER EDWARD **SMYRNA**, DE **YOB 1992**

FINED: \$200 **Har** on 4/15/2024

KICKING A HORSE

CRANBURY, NJ **YOB 1984** ESTRADA, ISRAEL

PHL on 4/12/2024 FINED: \$100

NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

GLASSER, DAVID RANDOLPH, NJ **YOB 1966**

DRIVING - 2 DAYS, 3/29/2024 THRU 3/30/2024 **M** on 3/22/2024

FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE

YOB 2001 IRVINE, JUSTIN D AURORA, OH

Nfld on 4/9/2024 FINED: \$100

TALKING ON THE RACE TRACK

KENNEDY, MARK A SACRAMENTO, CA **YOB 1984**

CalX on 4/5/2024 FINED: \$100

CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

MASSEY, KODY RAY CLIO, MI **YOB 1983**

MVR on 4/17/2024 FINED: \$200

HORSE PLACED 7

CROWDING/PUTTING ANOTHER WHEEL UNDER ANOTHER HORSE OR DRIVER

MERRIMAN, AARON E NORTHFIELD, OH **YOB 1978**

Nfld on 4/10/2024 FINED: \$100

TALKING ON THE RACE TRACK

MILLER, ANDY RAY CREAM RIDGE, NJ **YOB 1968**

M on 4/6/2024 FINED: \$100

OTHER

MILLER, DAVID S ROBBINSVILLE, NJ **YOB 1964**

M on 4/5/2024 FINED: \$100

OTHER

MILLER, DEBRA J **GREENFIELD CENTER, NY YOB 1959**

FINED: \$100 **Stga** on 4/7/2024

LATE DRIVER CHANGE

YOB 2000 MILLER, URIAH H **SOUTH VIENNA, OH**

MVR on 4/17/2024 FINED: \$200 IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE

MYERS, HUNTER R **YOB 1998** CHAGRIN FALLS, OH

FINED: \$100 **Nfld** on 4/6/2024

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

POLANCO, OSCAR MANALAPAN, NJ YOB UNKN

Fhld on 4/6/2024 FINED: \$100

PARTICIPATING WITHOUT A VALID LICENSE

SCOFIELD, CLIFFORD
Har on 4/11/2024 CAMDEN, DE **YOB 1980**

FINED: \$200

NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

SHERIDAN, NEWTON M
MANCHESTER, NJ
DRIVING - 7 DAYS **YOB 1978**

DRIVING - 7 DAYS, 3/30/2024 THRU 4/5/2024 **M** on 3/22/2024

CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

M on 3/29/2024 FINED: \$300

JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS

MILLSTONE TOWNSHIP, NJ SILVA. MARK A **YOB 1964**

M on 4/6/2024 FINED: \$100

LATE DRIVER CHANGE

STECK, RONALD E MARENGO, OH **YOB 1968**

MVR on 4/15/2024 FINED: \$200 FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED

TOSCANO, LINDA J FREEHOLD, NJ **YOB 1955**

PHL on 4/14/2024 FINED: \$100

NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

WIDGER, SAMUEL D BEECHER, IL **YOB 1963**

MVR on 4/17/2024 FINED: \$100

INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

PENDLETON, IN WILFONG, BRETT H **YOB 1961**

FINED: \$200 **HoP** on 4/10/2024

HORSE LATE TO THE PADDOCK