

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Apr 19 - Thu, Apr 25

PART ONE

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

*** NO RECORDS FOUND ***

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.

ACKERMAN, PATRICIA

NJRC on 2/24/2024

BAD CHECK

On February 24, 2024, Ms. Ackerman issued check number 118 in the amount of \$50.00 payable to the New Jersey Racing Commission. Upon deposit, this check was not honored by the financial institution the funds were drawn upon. As a result, Ms. Ackerman is hereby fined the sum of \$45.00 for violation of Racing Commission rule N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.21. Ms. Ackerman is hereby ordered to submit payment of \$95.00, which consists of original payment and fine. This payment must be made by certified check or money order and is due no later than May 5, 2024.

THOMPSON RIDGE, NY

FINED: \$45

YOB 1963

BOWERS, JASON ALAN

RcR on 3/14/2024

SUDLERSVILLE, MD

FINED: \$2,500

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

APPEALED - 4/18/2024

YOB 1986

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, 2025 (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.

HUDSON, LANCE H
YR on 3/19/2024

HUGUENOT, NY **YOB 1971**
FINED: \$250
TRAINING - 7 DAYS, 4/17/2024 THRU 4/23/2024
HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Lance Hudson was the trainer of record for the horse Pure Silky #5 in the 11th Race at Yonkers Raceway on 3/19/2024. Post race analysis of tag number CV3510509 and seal number R2926883 contained Ketoprofen that exceeded the allowable level permitted. Pure Silky finished 1st and is hereby disqualified and placed last. Having appeared before a representative of NYSGC and waived his right to a formal hearing and right to appeal and split sample, Lance Hudson's 15 day suspension and \$500.00 fine is reduced to 7 days (April 17, 2024 through and including April 23, 2024) and a \$250.00 fine. During the term of suspension, Lance Hudson is denied the privilege of and access to all grounds under the supervision of the NYSGC. Lance Hudson is also ordered to return all purse monies earned from the above mentioned race (\$10,000.00). Pure Silky shall be required to provide a negative sample prior to being permitted to enter to qualify or race. No trainer transfers of horses under Lance Hudson's care will be permitted during the term of the suspension

YR on 3/26/2024

FINED: \$500
TRAINING - 15 DAYS, 4/24/2024 THRU 5/8/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Lance Hudson was the trainer of record for the horse Samhara N, #5 in the 5th Race at Yonkers Raceway on 3/26/2024. Post race analysis of tag number CV3572574 and seal number R2926957 contained Ketoprofen that exceeded the allowable level permitted. Samhara N finished 2nd and is hereby disqualified and placed last. Having appeared before a representative of NYSGC and waived his right to a formal hearing and right to appeal and split sample, Lance Hudson's 30 day suspension and \$1000.00 fine is reduced to 15 days (April 24, 2024 through and including May 8, 2024) and a \$500.00 fine. During the term of the suspension, Lance Hudson is denied the privilege of and access to all grounds under the supervision of the NYSGC. Lance Hudson is also ordered to return all purse monies earned from the above mentioned race (\$5500.00). Samhara N shall be required to provide a negative sample prior to being permitted to enter to qualify or race. No trainer transfers of horses under Lance Hudson's care will be permitted during the term of the suspension.

LEVINE, GARY L
PcD on 9/1/2022

BALLSTON SPA, NY **YOB 1982**
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING (RES) AS OF
4/24/2024

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Title 7-203.11(e) Mr. Levine has failed to complete his licensing requirements in Pennsylvania. He is fined \$50.00 and suspended indefinitely starting on 9/1/2022.

Status as of 4/24/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - Restored to good standing as of 4/24/2024. PA Title 7-203.11(e) Gary Levine paid his fine and completed PA licensing requirements. As of 4/24/2024 Mr. Levine is restored to good standing in PA.

LONG, WAYNE L **CAMDEN, DE** **YOB 1983**
PHL on 4/19/2024 **FINED: \$300**

OFFENSIVE/PROFANE LANGUAGE

PA code 205.451 Mr. Long used offensive and profane language to a racing official while in the race office on 4/19/24 at Harrah`s Philidelphia Mr Long is fined \$300 which must be paid within 10 days of this ruling. Mr Long has 10 days to appeal this decision to the PSHRC, Bureau of Standardbred Racing. The address is 2301 N. Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17110

LORD, THOMAS H **GREENSBORO, MD** **YOB 1993**
RcR on 3/14/2024 **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.

MELGAR, LUIS **EAST WINDSOR, NJ** **YOB UNKN**
M on 1/20/2024 **FINED: \$100**

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Stable Employee Luis Melgar is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Mr. Melgar was employed as a Stable Employee while in the paddock area at the Meadowlands Racetrack on January 20, 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 February 26, 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

OGLESBY, CLYDE L JR
RcR on 4/2/2024

DELMAR, MD **YOB 1955**
FINED: \$2,500
FULL - 360 DAYS, 4/18/2024 THRU 4/12/2025
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION
APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer Clyde Oglesby Jr., for being the trainer of record on sample #E720334 taken from AJ MORELLI on April 2nd, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Oglesby is fined \$2,500.00 and must return all purse monies. Oglesby will also be issued a full suspension from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 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, AJ MORELLI is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward`s list from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 2025 (360 days). Once Oglesby`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 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer Clyde Oglesby Jr. has officially appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-027) on April 18th, 2024.

PACHECO, JESSIE L
CalX on 12/3/2023

ACAMPO, CA **YOB 1992**
FINED: \$5,000
FULL - 60 DAYS, 4/25/2024 THRU 6/23/2024
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 7, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

CAL EXPO HARNESS - CHRB RULE VIOLATION #1843.4, #1843.6 and #1887. Cal Expo Trainer Jessie Pacheco is hereby issued a five-thousand-dollar (\$5,000.00) fine and a full sixty (60) day suspension commencing on April 25, 2024 through June 23, 2024. Mr. Pacheco was the trainer of record for #5 URKILLINMESMALLS who was programmed to race in the ninth (9th) race at Cal expo on December 3, 2023. The University of California Davis Maddy Lab tested the blood sample #TC520535 which revealed a TCO2 level of 41.1 mmol/l which exceeds the limit prescribed by the California Horse Racing Board. This is a violation of the California Horse Racing Board Rule #1843.4, #1843.6 and #1887. Mr. Pacheco requested this matter to be heard by a Hearing Officer designated by the California Horse Racing Board Rule 1414. The matter was heard on Wednesday, February 28, 2024. The Hearing Officer recommended this penalty to the California Horse Racing Board, and it was adopted by the full Board on Thursday, April 18, 2024. Any Transfer of horses under Mr. Pacheco`s care must be approved by the Board of Stewards at Cal Expo.

* California Horse Racing Board Rule #1532 requires "that fines shall be paid (to the paymaster of purses) within seven calendar days from the date of the ruling, or the license of the person upon whom the fine has been imposed shall be suspended."

ROSALES, MARCIAL

MANALAPAN, NJ

YOB UNKN

M on 1/20/2024

FINED: \$100

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

Stable Employee Marcial Rosales is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Mr. Rosales was employed as a Stable Employee while in the paddock area at the Meadowlands Racetrack on January 20, 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 February 26, 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

SALLO, RICHARD R

HARRISONVILLE, NJ

YOB 1963

M on 12/20/2023

**RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
4/16/2024**

FAILURE TO APPEAR FOR A HEARING

New Jersey Racing Commission ("NJRC") licensee, Richard Sallo, was scheduled to appear at a hearing before the Board of Judges at the Meadowlands Racetrack on December 20, 2023 at 12:30 p.m. The purpose of this hearing was to accept evidence and testimony relating to the allegations that Mr. Sallo failed to obey the instructions of a Racing Official. Having failed to appear at the December 20, 2023 hearing, the Board of Judges hereby order a full suspension of any and all NJRC licenses issued to Richard Sallo effective immediately as of today, December 27, 2023. This suspension shall continue through such a time that Mr. Sallo does appear and participate at a hearing relating to the allegations that he failed to obey the instructions of a Racing Official which is in possible violation of NJRC rules including N.J.A.C. 13:71-7.32(a)1, 3.

Status as of 4/16/2024 - Subsequent Ruling - 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

TERPOLILLI, MIKE A

WOODSTOWN, NJ

YOB 1988

NJRC on 1/20/2024

FINED: \$45

BAD CHECK

On January 20, 2024, Mr. Terpolilli issued check number 285 in the amount of \$50.00 payable to the New Jersey Racing Commission. Upon deposit, this check was not honored by the financial institution the funds were drawn upon. As a result, Mr. Terpolilli is hereby fined the sum of \$45.00 for violation of Racing Commission rule N.J.A.C. 13:71-1.21. Mr. Terpolilli is hereby ordered to submit payment of \$95.00, which consists of original payment

and fine. This payment must be made by certified check or money order and is due no later than April 5, 2024.

WAGNER, JOHN W
RcR on 3/12/2024

CENTERVILLE, MD **YOB 1956**
FULL - 360 DAYS, 4/18/2024 THRU 4/12/2025
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION
APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720219 taken from SWAN HARBOR on March 12th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner is fined \$2,500.00 and must return all purse monies. Wagner will also be issued a full suspension from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 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, SWAN HARBOR is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward's list from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 2025 (360 days). Once Wagner'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 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-020) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/12/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION
APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720227 taken from TALK TO ME ARTIE on March 12th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, TALK TO ME ARTIE is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward's list from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 2025 (360 days). All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-021) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/12/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION
APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720237 taken from LLOYD'S LOVES on March 12th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, LLOYD'S LOVES is disqualified, finishing second and placed ninth. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-022) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/21/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/22/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720272 taken from HE'S GONNA GETYA on March 21st, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, HE'S GONNA GETYA is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth, and is placed on the steward's list from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 2025 (360 days). All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/22/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-023) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/26/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720301 taken from SWAN HARBOR on March 26th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, SWAN HARBOR is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-024) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/28/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 8, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720306 taken from CROOK BOYZZ on March 28th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, CROOK BOYZZ is disqualified, finishing first and placed eighth, and is placed on the steward's list from April 18th, 2024 through April 12th, 2025 (360 days). All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-025) on April 18th, 2024.

RcR on 3/28/2024

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

APPEALED - 4/19/2024

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer John Wagner, for being the trainer of record on sample #E720313 taken from HE'S GONNA GETYA on March 28th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain ADB-

Fubinaca. As a result, Wagner must return all purse monies. Additionally, HE'S GONNA GETYA is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance. COMAR: 09.10.03.04.B.

Status as of 4/19/2024 - Appeal - Trainer John Wagner has appealed the ruling of the Rosecroft Raceway judges (RCR24-026) on April 18th, 2024.

YOUNG, PAMELA A

MVR on 3/7/2024

CIRCLEVILLE, OH

FINED: \$500

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 10, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 1970

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 Salicylic 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.

MVR on 3/18/2024

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 #902517 was tested by the Ohio Department of Agriculture ATL and was found to contain Salicylic Acid at a concentration of 15.2 per milliliter of plasma, which exceeds the Regulatory threshold of 6.5 micrograms per milliliter of plasma adopted by the OSRC. Sample #902517 was provided by #4 Bountiful Brittney, who finished 1st in race 6 on 3/18/24 at Miami Valley Raceway, and was trained by Ms. Young. Ms. Young has waived her rights to a hearing, split sample and DNA. Ms. Young is fined \$1000, or \$500 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. #4 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

FINED: \$2,500

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

HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 1987

APPEALED - 4/23/2024

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).

Status as of 4/23/2024 - Appeal - The stay of suspension has been granted until the Commission's decision on the pending adjudication. Dated 04/22 2024 at 12:22 PM

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

BATESON, CASE A

CANNONBURG, PA

YOB 2001

PHL on 4/12/2024

FINED: \$200

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

PA Code Title 7: 205.409(c) Mr. Bateson used his whip with more than wrist and elbow action and raised his whipping arm above shoulder height while driving #6, WHO DEY BENGAL, in race 5 on April 12, 2024 at The Meadows. Mr. Bateson is fined \$200 (fines are due within ten days of ruling). Appeals are due within 10 days of ruling and must be submitted in writing (accompanied by a \$750 bond) to: The Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission, 2301 N. Cameron St., Room 304, Harrisburg, PA 17110 ATTN: Anthony Salerno

BONGIORNO, JOSEPH R

MONROE, NJ

YOB 1993

YR on 4/8/2024

FINED: \$250

DRIVING - 1 DAY, 4/12/2024 THRU 4/12/2024

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

While driving #6 Dance On The Beach in the 8th Race at Yonkers Raceway on 4/8/2024, Joseph Bongiorno did use the whip in an excessive manner. Joseph Bongiorno is hereby suspended from driving for 1 day and fined the sum of \$250.00(2nd offense). Future violations will result in increased penalties.

BROWN, BETSY A **WOODSTOCK, VA** **YOB 1959**
Wdstk on 4/20/2024 FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

Driver Betsy Brown is fined \$100.00 for excessive use of the whip (one-handed whipping) in the stretch while driving TERRY'S WATCHING in the 12th race on April 20th, 2024 at Shenandoah Downs. All fines are due within 10 days of ruling or the Virginia Racing Commission licensee will be suspended until payment is received. 11VAC10-150-90

COLEMAN, ANGELA S **CLAYSVILLE, PA** **YOB 1977**
Mea on 4/16/2024 FINED: \$250

FAILURE TO KEEP A LINE IN EACH HAND

PA Code Title 7: 205.409(a)(2) Ms. Coleman used her whip in a one-handed fashion while driving #6, MALOUCIOUS, in the 6th qualifying race on April 16, 2024 at The Meadows. Ms. Coleman is fined \$250 (fines are due within ten days of ruling). Appeals are due within ten days of ruling and must be submitted in writing (accompanied by a \$750 bond) to: The PA State Horse Racing Commission, 2301 N. Cameron St., Room 304, Harrisburg, PA 17110 ATTN: Anthony Salerno

KASH, KEITH J JR **MEDINA, OH** **YOB 1979**
Nfld on 4/13/2024 FINED: \$300

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

While driving #2 The Gypsy Queen IR in race 11 on 4/13/24 he did whip the horse in an exaggerated manner by raising his whipping arm above shoulder height and using more than elbow and wrist action. He is hereby fined \$500. The penalty will be reduced to a fine of \$300 if not appealed. O.S.R.C.-3769-17-17(B)&(C) The fine must be paid by 5/1/24.

NAPOLITANO, GEORGE JR **BOCA RATON, FL** **YOB 1966**
PHL on 4/19/2024 FINED: \$200

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

While driving #8 WILL THE WIZARD A in race 7 on 4/19/24 at Harrah's Chester. George Napolitano Jr did violate the whipping rule in the stretch. By using an exaggerated motion not restricted to wrist and elbow action only and did raise the whipping arm above shoulder height. Mr. Napolitano has been fined \$200 which must be paid within 10 days of the ruling.

SMITHPETERS, SEAN G **MT VERNON, OH** **YOB 1982**
CaIX on 4/14/2024 FINED: \$100

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

CAL EXPO Driver SEAN SMITHPETERS, who drove NO.6 CITY BY THE BAY in the seventh race on Sunday, April 14, 2024, is hereby fined the sum of one hundred (\$100.00) dollars for violation of CHRB Whipping Rule #1734(b) (Whipping shall be restricted to elbow and wrist only). If this fine is not paid to the paymaster of purses within seven calendar days from the date of this ruling you may be suspended and/or your license revoked by the CHRB.

WRENN, RONNIE H JR. **CHAGRIN FALLS, OH** **YOB 1986**
Mea on 4/13/2024
FINED: \$200
HORSE PLACED 3

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

PA Code Title 7: 205.409(a)(2) Mr. Wrenn, Jr. used his whip after the finish of race 8, at The Meadows, while driving #1, LOUSAIN BOLT on April 13, 2024. Mr. Wrenn, Jr. is fined \$200 (fines are due within ten days of ruling). LOUSAIN BOLT finished 2nd and was placed 3rd. This placing was for a violation of the breaking rule and had nothing to do with the whip use violation. Appeals are due within ten days of ruling and must be submitted in writing to: The PA State Horse Racing Commission, 2301 N. Cameron St., Room 304, Harrisburg, PA 17110 ATTN: Anthony Salerno

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

ARLEDGE, DUSTIN W **ORIENT, OH** **YOB 1988**
MVR on 4/24/2024
FINED: \$200
FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED

BARTLETT, JASON JAMES **GOSHEN, NY** **YOB 1981**
YR on 4/16/2024
FINED: \$100
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED

BECKWITH, BRETT M **WILTON, NY** **YOB 2003**
Stga on 4/16/2024
FINED: \$200
FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED

COHEN, SHEENA L **NAZARETH, PA** **YOB 1983**
PcD on 4/20/2024
FINED: \$100
LEAVING HORSE UNATTENDED

CRISSMAN, CHARLES F JR **DOVER, DE** **YOB 1958**
PHL on 4/12/2024
FINED: \$100
NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

DIBENEDETTO, KYLE **HONESDALE, PA** **YOB 1966**
MR on 4/22/2024
FINED: \$100
KICKING A HORSE

DUNNING, JODY MICHAEL **SWEDESBORO, NJ** **YOB 1971**
PHL on 4/14/2024
FINED: \$100
NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE

EBERSOLE, LUKE C. **CHESTERVILLE, OH** **YOB 1990**
Nfld on 4/7/2024
FINED: \$100

LATE TO THE PADDOCK

ELL, ERIC Har on 4/22/2024 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	DENTON, MD FINED: \$100	YOB 1960
ESTRADA, ISRAEL PHL on 4/12/2024 NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE	CRANBURY, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1984
HANNERS, AUSTIN B MVR on 4/21/2024 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	FRANKFORT, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 6	YOB 1999
HANNERS, LUKE MVR on 4/21/2024 KICKING A HORSE	CHILLICOTHE, OH FINED: \$500	YOB 2000
MILLER, LEWAYNE L HoP on 4/19/2024 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	DALEVILLE, IN FINED: \$200	YOB 1986
PAVIA, JOSEPH C JR PcD on 4/13/2024 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	BOYNTON BEACH, FL FINED: \$250	YOB 1960
PLANO, LUKE CaIX on 4/14/2024 FAILURE TO KEEP BOTH FEET IN THE STIRRUPS	SACRAMENTO, CA FINED: \$100	YOB 1980
PORFILIO, RAMIRO E Mea on 4/13/2024 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$250	YOB 1999
PRESLEY, CHRIS S Mea on 4/20/2024 FAILURE TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE OR PROPER DECLARATION INFORMATION	THORNVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1995
PYOTT, JOHN R PHL on 4/18/2024 NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE	VINELAND, NJ FINED: \$100	YOB 1962
QUILL, SEAMUS YR on 4/16/2024	KENMARE FINED: \$250	YOB 1993

FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION

SCHILLACI, JODI L MVR on 4/24/2024 FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED	MACEDONIA, OH FINED: \$200	YOB 1971
SMITH, TREVOR GENE MVR on 4/21/2024 IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE	WASHINGTON CH, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 10	YOB 1996
SMITHPETERS, SEAN G CaIX on 4/14/2024 INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK	MT VERNON, OH FINED: \$250	YOB 1982
SOLOMON, JIMMIE K PHL on 4/12/2024 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION	LAKWOOD, NJ FINED: \$500	YOB 1962
SUGG, KURT D Nfld on 4/20/2024 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	POLK, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1969
SWITZER, KEVIN P JR CUMB on 4/14/2024 FAILURE TO KEEP BOTH FEET IN THE STIRRUPS	E WATERBORO, ME FINED: \$100	YOB 1987
THAYER, SHAWN A PRc on 4/23/2024 SLOW QUARTER/HALF	HERMON, ME FINED: \$100	YOB 1971
TRITTON, SHANE PETER YR on 4/12/2024 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	PINE BUSH, NY FINED: \$100	YOB 1983
WILLIAMS, KENNETH T MVR on 4/23/2024 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION	MECHANICSBURG, OH FINED: \$300	YOB 1965
WRENN, RONNIE H JR. Nfld on 4/14/2024 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	CHAGRIN FALLS, OH FINED: \$200	YOB 1986