

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, May 16 - Thu, May 22

PART ONE

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

FONTEYNE, FLORENT

USTA on 5/20/2025

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

The membership of Florent Fonteyne is indefinitely suspended for violation of USTA Rule 20.10 (financial responsibility).

LE TORQUESNE

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 5/20/2025

YOB 1992

JACKSON, JAMES R

USTA on 5/20/2025

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

Membership denied pursuant to the provisions of Article 1, Section 4(a) of the Association bylaws.

ATHENS, TX

DENIAL(DEN) AS OF 5/20/2025

YOB 1971

MULKERN, ASHLEY J

USTA on 5/22/2025

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

The USTA is indefinitely suspending the USTA membership of Ms. Ashley Mulkern for violations of USTA Rule 26.16 (failure to submit information) and USTA Article § 1.04(a)(7) (failure to furnish information requested to supplement a membership application). Ms. Mulkern failed to provide records and information requested by the Standardbred Racing Investigative Fund (SRIF) in collaboration with the USTA pursuant to an investigation in suspected violations of the USTA's Rules and Bylaws. As with the transfer of all ownership interests in a registered Standardbred horse, the USTA will scrutinize all attempted transfers of an interest in a Standardbred horse owned by Ms. Mulkern to ensure that such transfer complies with the USTA's Rules and Bylaws and reserves the right to not recognize any such transfer. In addition, as Ms. Mulkern is now indefinitely suspended, she is a "person not in good standing" under USTA Rule 4.130 and horses and USTA members associated with Ms. Mulkern are subject to the applicable restrictions under USTA Rules Rule 20.15, 20.17, 22.05, 22.06, and 26.12. To ensure compliance with the USTA's Rules and Bylaws, the USTA advises its members to consult with officials at the USTA before participating in transactions or engaging in business activities involving registered Standardbreds with Ms. Mulkern.

CENTERVILLE, MD

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 5/22/2025

YOB 1987

WISHER, ADRIAN A JR.

USTA on 5/22/2025

USTA MEMBERSHIP ACTION

The USTA is indefinitely suspending the USTA membership of Mr. Adrian Wisher Jr. for violations of USTA Rule 26.16 (failure to submit information) and USTA Article § 1.04(a)(7) (failure to furnish information requested to supplement a membership application). Mr. Wisher failed to provide records and information requested by the Standardbred Racing Investigative Fund (SRIF) in collaboration with the USTA pursuant to an investigation in suspected violations of the USTA's Rules and Bylaws. As with the transfer of all ownership

CENTREVILLE, MD

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 5/22/2025

YOB 1990

interests in a registered Standardbred horse, the USTA will scrutinize all attempted transfers of an interest in a Standardbred horse owned by Mr. Wisher to ensure that such transfer complies with the USTA's Rules and Bylaws and reserves the right to not recognize any such transfer. In addition, as Mr. Wisher is now indefinitely suspended, she is a "person not in good standing" under USTA Rule 4.130 and horses and USTA members associated with Mr. Wisher are subject to the applicable restrictions under USTA Rules Rule 20.15, 20.17, 22.05, 22.06, and 26.12. To ensure compliance with the USTA's Rules and Bylaws, the USTA advises its members to consult with officials at the USTA before participating in transactions or engaging in business activities involving registered Standardbreds with Mr. Wisher.

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.

CARRUBBA, CHRIS S JR

LEBANON, OH

YOB 1981

HoP on 4/30/2025

FULL - 20 DAYS, 5/1/2025 THRU 5/20/2025

CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO THE BEST INTEREST OF HORSE RACING

71 IAC 8-7-1; 71 IAC 10-2-3(a) During a search conducted by Indiana Horse Racing Commission investigators on Wednesday, April 30, 2025 at Hoosier Park several items of contraband were found in a dorm room and trucks belonging to licensee Chris Carrubba, Jr. These items include, but are not limited to, needles, syringes, and injectable medications. This constitutes an act which is against the best interest of racing in the state of Indiana. For this violation Mr. Carrubba shall be summarily suspended beginning Thursday, May 1, 2025 until a disciplinary hearing is conducted with the judges at Hoosier Park. During the period of this suspension Mr. Carrubba is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the IHRC. All transfer of horses owned or trained by Mr. Carruba must first be approved by the judges at Hoosier Park.

Status as of 5/20/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - Mr. Carrubba's summary suspension is ended as of May 20, 2025. This ruling has been superseded by HP-2025-3539 which is a full suspension of Mr. Carrubba's license.

HoP on 4/30/2025

FINED: \$2,500

FULL - 252 DAYS, 5/20/2025 THRU 1/26/2026

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

71 IAC 8-1-7 "Contraband" On Wednesday, April 30, 2025 Indiana Horse Racing Commission investigators conducted a search of Chris Carrubba Jr's dorm room and several of his vehicles. During the vehicle search multiple bottles (over 20) of injectable substances (some unlabeled), a near full box of needles, syringes, and an IV jugging tube were found. In his dorm room IHRC investigators found 4 bottles, with handwritten labels, of unknown substances that have been sent off to Industrial Labs for testing. Possession of

needles, syringes, injectable substances, and tubes is prohibited by non-veterinarians on association grounds. Due to violating the IHRC Contraband rule Mr. Carrubba was summarily suspended beginning Thursday, May 1, 2025. On Wednesday, May 14, 2025, Mr. Carrubba appeared before the judges for a hearing at Hoosier Park to discuss the results of this search. After considering the evidence presented the judges determined the following penalties: A full suspension of 270 days from May 1, 2025 through January 26, 2026. Mr. Carrubba will be credited with the days he has already served while summarily suspended. A fine of \$2500.00 During the period of this suspension Mr. Carrubba is denied access to all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Indiana Horse Racing Commission. Any transfer of horses under his care or ownership must first be approved by the judges at Hoosier Park.

CHRISTIANSON, CJ S
Mea on 2/19/2025

FALL CREEK, WI **YOB 1992**
RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
5/19/2025

FAILURE TO SUBMIT FINGERPRINTS.

PA Code Title 7- 203.1(a)(1) 203.1(c) Failure to fulfill Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission fingerprint requirements. The penalties are a \$50 fine (fines are due within ten days of ruling) and an indefinite full suspension beginning March 2, 2025. Appeals are due within ten days of this 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

Status as of 5/19/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - Mr. Christianson has completed his PSHRC fingerprint requirements and is restored to good standing.

CRISLER, RANDY D
OAKGR on 4/29/2025

ANDERSON, IN **YOB 1981**
FINED: \$1,000
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 10

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Mr. Randy Crisler is the trainer on record for #2 Ifudntnomebynow who raced in the 5th Race on 4/29/2025 at Oak Grove. Ifudntnomebynow was subject to post race testing and was sent to the State Detention Barn where sample E622371 was collected and sent to Industrial Laboratories who confirmed an overage of Methylprednisolone at a level of 841 pg/mL over the allowed 100 pg/mL which is a violation of 810 KAR 8:030.

Ifudntnomebynow is hereby disqualified and is 9th placed 10th. This is Mr. Crisler's first such violation in 365 Days with a Class C Medication. Mr. Crisler waived his right to a split sample.

CRITES, JOHNNY A JR.
RcR on 10/9/2024

QUEEN ANNE, MD **YOB 1994**
FINED: \$1,000
FULL - 30 DAYS, 5/25/2025 THRU 6/23/2025
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 8, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- PRE RACE

Trainer Johnny Crites Jr., for being trainer of record on sample #E509853 taken on October 9th, 2024 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain a Total Carbon Dioxide (TCO2) concentration of 41.7+-1.9 mmol/L. This exceeds the maximum TCO2 concentration allowed per Maryland Racing Commission guidelines. As a result, Crites Jr. is fined \$1,000.00, and must return all purse monies. Crites Jr. will also be issued a 30-day full suspension from October 21st, 2024 through November 19th, 2024. During this suspension, he and all horses trained and/or owned by him are barred from the grounds, under jurisdiction of the Maryland Racing Commission. Additionally, AMELIA'S APPLE is disqualified, finishing fourth and is placed eighth. AMELIA'S APPLE is also placed on the stewards list from October 21st, 2024 through November 19th, 2024. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance, and all fines are due within 10 days of the ruling. COMAR: 09.10.02 Addendum A-11. Four Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) points assessed.

Status as of 5/20/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - The Maryland Racing Commission has received notice that appellant, Johnny Crites Jr., has withdrawn his appeal of Rosecroft Raceway judges' ruling RCR24-039. As a result, Crites is fined \$1,000.00 and must return all purse monies. Crites will also be issued a 30-day full suspension from May 25th, 2025 through June 23rd, 2025. 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, AMELIA'S APPLE is disqualified, finishing fourth and placed eighth. AMELIA'S APPLE will also be placed on the steward's list from May 25th, 2025 through June 23rd, 2025. All purse monies must be returned within 72 hours of this issuance, and all fines are due within 10 days of the ruling. COMAR: 09.10.02 Addendum A-11. Four Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) points assessed.

DEVITA, NICHOLAS F
YR on 4/9/2025

MIDDLETOWN, NY

YOB 1985

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 7 DAYS, 5/12/2025 THRU 5/18/2025

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 7, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

On April 9th, 2025, at Yonkers Raceway, Nicholas Devita was the trainer of the horse #5 WAIMAC ATTACK N in the 11TH race. Post race analysis of sample CV3613578 and seal number R2918032, showed the presence of Transexamic Acid. WAIMAC ATTACK N, finished 1ST, and is disqualified and placed 7th. All purse monies earned shall be returned and redistributed (purse money returned). The horse, WAIMAC ATTACK N, must submit a negative test prior to entering to race (negative test submitted). Having appeared before a representative of the NYSGC and waiving his right to a formal hearing and right to appeal, Nicholas Devita's 15-day suspension and \$1000.00 fine is hereby reduced to a 7-day full suspension and \$500.00 fine. The suspension shall be served 5/12/2025 through and including 5/18/2025. During the term of suspension, Nicholas Devita is ruled off all grounds under the jurisdiction of the NYSGC and deemed a disqualified person. No trainer transfer

of horses owned by or in his care will be permitted without the approval of the Presiding Judge at Yonkers Raceway. (2nd offence in this category)

ECKLEY, DEAN M **GREENVILLE, MI** **YOB 1983**
OAKGR on 4/17/2025 **INELIGIBLE(INE) AS OF 4/17/2025...STAYED**
CONDUCT DETRIMENTAL TO THE BEST INTEREST OF HORSE RACING
810 KAR 3:020, Sec. 15 (1)(h), (i), (j), (q), and (bb). In 2022, Dean Eckley applied for a KHRGC License. This application was forwarded to the Corporation's Licensing Review Committee and was denied. The Committee gave Eckley the opportunity to withdraw the application and he declined. At a later date, Dean Eckley petitioned the Committee to be allowed to withdraw the denied application. This request was granted by the Committee and indicated by Judges ruling J2022-014 rescinding the denial. Thereafter, following an extensive investigation, it was determined that Dean Eckley did in fact race horses at KHRGC licensed racing venues in 2022 and 2023 using the names of his employees who were licensed trainers in Kentucky. Therefore, in accordance with the KHRGC's statutory charge to regulate and maintain horse racing at race meetings in the Commonwealth so as to dissipate any cloud of association with the undesirable and maintain the appearance as well as the fact of complete honesty and integrity of horse racing in the Commonwealth, Dean Eckley is hereby declared ineligible for licensing by the Kentucky Horse Racing and Gaming Corporation for engaging in conduct that is against the best interest of horse racing and compromising the integrity of horse racing in the Commonwealth of Kentucky,.
Status as of 5/22/2025 - Stay - Mr. Dean Eckley has been Granted a Stay as of May 9th, 2025, pursuant to KRS 230.320(2)(d) by the President of the Kentucky Horse Racing & Gaming Corporation pending an administrative hearing.

FOX, JACOB J **WASHINGTON, PA** **YOB 1984**
Mea on 5/16/2025 **OTHER(AAL99) AS OF 5/19/2025**
OTHER
PA Code Title 7: 179.40(a) 179.40(b) 179.40(c) During a routine search of Mr. Fox's truck and trailer, on May 16, 2025, near The Meadows' Lasix Barn, cocaine was found by a PSHRC employee. Mr. Fox is summarily suspended as his continued participation in racing poses an immediate potential danger to the public's health, safety, and welfare, including that of the other racing participants and horses. Mr. Fox is entitled to an emergency hearing on the summary suspension within 3 days of this ruling. The sole issue for the emergency hearing is whether Mr. Fox's license should remain suspended pending a final disciplinary hearing and ruling.
Status as of 5/19/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - Following an emergency hearing (held May 19, 2025) concerning the summary suspension (ruling #25052M) issued to Mr. Fox on May 16, 2025; the summary suspension has been lifted. A disciplinary hearing concerning the results of the May 16, 2025, search on Mr. Fox's vehicle will be held as soon as reasonably possible.

GIVENS, BRANDON A **SEAFORD, DE** **YOB 1986**

PHL on 5/4/2016

RESTORED TO GOOD STANDING(RES) AS OF
5/3/2025

REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO URINE TEST

58-183.2 Mr. Givens having violated his conditional licensing agreement with the Pennsylvania State Racing Commission dated 5/15/2015 (failure to submit to urine test) is hereby suspended until he appears before the Judges at Harrah's Philadelphia.

Status as of 5/16/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - Ruling#25006C Having met all licensing requirements, Mr. Brandon Givens has been restored to good standing.

HALL, MICHAEL P

OCEAN CITY, MD

YOB 1976

DD on 2/6/2025

FINED: \$5,000

FULL - 543 DAYS, 5/19/2025 THRU 11/12/2026

HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer Michael Hall, being the trainer of record for the gelding; THE NIGHT'S WATCH and having had a Judge's hearing on 5/19/2025, is fined \$5,000 and is suspended eighteen months (5/19/2025 through 11/12/2026). THE NIGHT'S WATCH tested positive for the Class "1" drug ADB-FUBINACA. DHRC rule 8.3.2.1 states "...In the absence of extraordinary circumstances," a minimum license revocation of eighteen months, minimum fine of \$5,000, forfeiture of all purse monies and assessment for cost of the drug testing. Mr. Hall is responsible for the return of all purse monies and cost of the failed test. There will be a purse redistribution. All fines are due within 10 days of receipt of ruling. Appeals must be requested within 4 business days of the publishing of the ruling (see DHRC rule: 10.2.9 Appeals). The transfer of related ownership and/or training responsibilities, during this suspension, must be approved by the Presiding Judge (see DHRC rule: 10.2.8.3).

HITE, KRIS

WEST NEWTON, PA

YOB 1974

Nfld on 4/5/2025

FINED: \$1,000

FULL - 60 DAYS, 5/19/2025 THRU 7/17/2025

HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE

REDISTRIBUTION

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Blood sample #925158 collected at Northfield Park on 4/05/25 from the horse Pocahontas Du Lac was found to contain Methamphetamine. This is a Class 1 penalty Class A drug. Mr. Hite waive his right to a hearing. He is hereby fined \$1000 and suspended 365 days. Pocahontas Du Lac is disqualified and as a result of that disqualification all purse money must be returned for redistribution (\$5000.00) This is Mr. Hite First offense in the last 365 days. If this ruling is not appealed the suspension will be reduced to \$1000 fine & 60 days suspension (with 305 days stayed pending no Class 1 or 2 positives in the next 365 days) O.S.R.C.-3769-18-01 (A) (1,10,13,15,16) 3769-18-02 3769-17-43 During his suspension Mr. Hite is barred from all grounds governed by the OSRC. Any horses that he wants to transfer to another owner or trainer must be approved by the judges at Northfield Park. The fine must be paid by 5/25/25.

MACKENZIE, CAIN E
CUMB on 6/7/2024

PLYMOUTH, ME
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF
10/30/2024

YOB 1980

BAD CHECK

Mr. Mackenzie has been indefinitely suspended by the MSHRC until his financial obligations have been met.

Status as of 5/22/2025 - Amendment - Mr. Cain Mackenzie has met his financial obligation with the MSHRC. This suspension has been lifted.

MALETZ, JEFFREY R
Nfld on 4/18/2025

NEW LONDON, OH
FINED: \$1,000
FULL - 365 DAYS, 5/20/2025 THRU 5/19/2026

YOB 1972

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

Mr. Maletz withdraws his appeal of ruling #25NFLD-124 at Northfield Park. And is hereby fined \$1000 and suspended for 365 Days. O.S.R.C.-3769-18-07 (A)3769-2-26 (A) (10) 12-99 17-30 (B) 17-33 (A) Mr. Maletz is barred from all grounds governed by the OSRC during his suspension. Any horse under his care that he wants to transfer to another owner or trainer must be approved by the judges at Northfield Park.

MERRIMAN, AARON E
ScD on 5/16/2025

NORTHFIELD, OH
FINED: \$100

YOB 1978

LATE FOR THE BREATH ANALYZER TEST

OSRC 3769-17-29-A(1), 3769-14-22-A. Mr. Merriman was late for the breathalyzer test prior to driving #6 Mega Money in race 1 on 5/16/25 at Scioto Downs. Mr. Merriman is fined \$200, or \$100 if not appealed, which is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Merriman has 48 hours to appeal this decision to the OSRC.

NOBLE, JAMIE
BR on 5/17/2025

SAGINAW, MI
FINED: \$250

YOB 1972

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION RULES

OLSEN, DARREN N
RcR on 3/5/2025

POCOMOKE, MD
FINED: \$500
HORSE DISQUALIFIED - PLACED 9, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION

YOB 1979

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Trainer Darren Olsen, for being the trainer of record on sample #E721293 taken from BLACK HOPE on March 5th, 2025 at Rosecroft Raceway, was found to contain Dexamethasone at a concentration of 20.3 pg/mL+- 0.58 pg/mL. The ARCI threshold for this controlled therapeutic substance is 5 pg/mL. This is Olsen's second Dexamethasone positive test in 2025. As a result, Olsen is fined \$500.00 and must return all purse monies. Additionally, BLACK HOPE is disqualified, finishing first and placed ninth. 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. 1 Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) point assessed. **Status as of 5/19/2025 - Subsequent Ruling - The Maryland Racing Commission has received notice that appellant, Darren Olsen, has withdrawn his appeal of Rosecroft Raceway judge's ruling RCR25-007 on May 13th, 2025. As a result, Olsen is fined \$500.00 and must return all purse monies. Additionally, BLACK HOPE is disqualified, finishing first and placed eighth. 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. One Multiple Medication Violation (MMV) points assessed.**

SCICLUNA, CHRIS J
Har on 3/5/2025

HOUSTON, DE **YOB 1975**
FINED: \$3,000
FULL - 45 DAYS, 5/27/2025 THRU 7/10/2025

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

D.H.R.C. Trainer Chris Scicluna, having waived his right to a Judge's hearing, and being the trainer of record for the mare MY KIWI LADY N in race #11 on 3/5/2025 at Bally's Dover and also the trainer of record for FAST LIL LOU in qualifying race #1 on 3/05/2025 with mitigating circumstances is fined \$3,000 and is serving a 45 day "full" suspension (5/27/2025 through 7/10/2025). It has been found, through initial and split sample testing, that MY KIWI LADY N tested positive for Testosterone and FAST LIL LOU tested positive for Methocarbamol (see DHRC rules: 8.3.3.3.1 ; 8.3.3.3.2). MY KIWI LADY N finished 1st and was placed 9th. There will be a purse redistribution. The transfer of related ownership and/or training responsibilities, during this suspension, must be approved by the Presiding Judge. All fines are due within 10 days of receipt of ruling.

SUCCAROTTE, ANTHONY T
PHL on 5/8/2025

CREAM RIDGE, NJ **YOB 1966**
FINED: \$500

OFFENSIVE/PROFANE LANGUAGE

PA Code 7-185.2 205.451 205.501(7)(14)(15) Before the start of the sixth race on 5/8/25 at Harrah's Philadelphia Racetrack Anthony Succarotte did use offensive and profane language to a security guard. This is conduct detrimental to the best interest of harness racing therefore Mr. Succarotte is fined \$500 which must be paid within 10 days of this ruling. Mr Succarotte has 10 days to appeal this decision to the PSHRC, Bureau of Standardbred Racing. The address is 2301 N. Cameron Street Harrisburg, PA 17110

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

BROWN, BETSY A
Wdstk on 5/17/2025

WOODSTOCK, VA **YOB 1959**
FINED: \$100

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

Driver Betsy Brown is fined \$100.00 for inappropriate use of the whip (one-handed whipping) in the stretch while driving TERRY'S WATCHING in the 3rd race on May 17th, 2025 at Shenandoah Downs. All fines are due within 10 days of the ruling, or the Virginia

Racing Commission licensee will be suspended until payment is received. 11VAC10-150-90

GREEN, JASON C **DOVER, DE** **YOB 1985**

Har on 5/14/2025 **FINED: \$200**

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

D.H.R.C. Driver Jason Green, having waived his right to a Judge`s hearing, is fined \$200 for indiscriminant use of the whip on HANGRY, before the 3rd qualifying race on 5/14/2025 at Harrington Raceway (see DHRC rule: 7.6.13.14.2.7). All fines to be paid within 10 days of receipt of ruling. Any additional instances of whipping infractions will result in appropriate fines and suspension as determined by the Judges

MORGAN, ANTHONY N **WARWICK, MD** **YOB 1958**

PHL on 5/16/2025 **FINED: \$200**

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

PA Code Title 7-205.409(c) Anthony Morgan did have an exaggerated whipping motion in the stretch while driving #5 ISLANDSPECIALMAJOR in the 11th race on 5/16/25 at Harrah`s Philadelphia. Mr.Morgan Is fined \$200 fines are due within 10 days of this ruling 5/26/25

NAPOLITANO, GEORGE JR **BOCA RATON, FL** **YOB 1966**

PcD on 5/18/2025 **FINED: \$200**

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

PA Title 205.409(c)(3) While driving #3 BETTER OPTION in Race 1 on 5/18/2025 at Pocono Downs, George Napolitano Jr. did use an exaggerated motion of the whipping arm. Raising his arm above shoulder height / not restricted to elbow and wrist action only. Mr. Napolitano was fined \$200 which must be paid within 10 days of the ruling.

STRATTON, CORY **GOSHEN, NY** **YOB 1992**

MR on 5/13/2025 **FINED: \$100**

EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP

Driver Cory Stratton is hereby assessed a fine of \$100.00 for using the whip more than three times in succession without giving the horse time to respond while driving SURREAL BELIEVER in the 3rd race on May 13, 2025, at Monticello Raceway. (This violation constitutes a 1st violation in this category in a 365-day period.) Further violations in this category will result in increased penalties.

TSIPOURAS, FRANK W **PHILADELPHIA, PA** **YOB 1980**

PcD on 5/11/2025 **FINED: \$250**

INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP

PA Title 205.409(1)(2) While driving #5 HUNTERS GAL in Race 3 on 5/11/2025 at Pocono Downs, Frank Tsiouras did whip after the finish of the race. Mr. Tsiouras is fined \$250 which must be paid within 10 days of the ruling.

WHITNEY, TODD C **AUBURN, ME** **YOB 1962**
Bang on 5/11/2025 FINED: \$200
EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP
On 05/11/2025 at Bangor Raceway during Race #9 Mr. Todd Whitney struck the horse with his whip 11 times down the stretch with no time to respond

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

ABBATIELLO, AGOSTINO **HUNTINGTON, NY** **YOB 1952**
YR on 5/5/2025 FINED: \$250
LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN

ANGUS, TYLER C **SAGAMORE HILLS, OH** **YOB 2002**
Nfld on 5/18/2025 FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

AVENATTI, WYATT A **CHRISMAN, IL** **YOB 1996**
OAKGR on 5/12/2025 FINED: \$200
CARRY A HORSE OUT

BAIRD, JACOB C **MT BLANCHARD, OH** **YOB 2003**
ScD on 5/20/2025 FINED: \$200
FAILURE TO HAVE HORSE PROPERLY EQUIPPED

BARTLETT, JASON JAMES **GOSHEN, NY** **YOB 1981**
YR on 5/13/2025 FINED: \$0
DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 5/14/2025 THRU 5/16/2025
HORSE PLACED 5
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE

BEATTY, HUGH J **ORIENT, OH** **YOB 1956**
ScD on 5/16/2025 FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

BEAVER, CHRISTOPHER F **RADNOR, OH** **YOB 1972**
Nfld on 5/17/2025 FINED: \$100
FAILURE TO SUBMIT FIRST TIME LASIX SLIP

BENDER, ATLEE E **NOBLESVILLE, IN** **YOB 1992**
HoP on 5/14/2025 FINED: \$100
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION

BOYD, BRAXTEN B **JONESVILLE, MI** **YOB 2000**

PcD on 5/20/2025	FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 4	
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
BUFORD, ARCHIE N Wdstk on 5/18/2025	TERRY, MS FINED: \$100	YOB 1986
FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE		
CAMPBELL, HEATH R Bang on 5/11/2025	CORINNA, ME FINED: \$200	YOB 1971
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE		
CISCO, SCOTT R ScD on 5/17/2025	ASHVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1979
LATE DRIVER CHANGE		
CRISSMAN-BIER, CHRISTINE M PHL on 5/14/2025	DOVER, DE FINED: \$200	YOB 1976
NO VACCINATION / COGGINS / HEALTH CERTIFICATE		
CUMMINGS, KEVIN J BR on 5/16/2025	HAMBURG, NY DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 5/20/2025 THRU 5/22/2025	YOB 1970
INTERFERENCE/ CAUSING ANOTHER HORSE TO MAKE A BREAK		
DEATON, TIMOTHY J Wdstk on 5/18/2025	LEBANON, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1996
FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE		
DUBE, DANIEL YR on 5/10/2025	MILLSTONE, NJ FINED: \$100 HORSE PLACED 8	YOB 1969
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
EBERSOLE, LOGAN C Nfld on 5/14/2025	CHESTERVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1996
JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS		
EBERSOLE, LUKE C. Nfld on 5/17/2025	CHESTERVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1990
FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL		
ENGBLOM, PER PcD on 5/17/2025	WRIGHTSTOWN, NJ FINED: \$200	YOB 1980
LATE DRIVER CHANGE		

GALE, ROBERT C VD on 5/10/2025 LATE TO THE LASIX/ DETENTION BARN	VERNON, NY FINED: \$250	YOB 1965
GINGRAS, YANNICK M on 5/9/2025 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	ALLENTOWN, NJ FINED: \$200	YOB 1979
HALL, TONY A OAKGR on 5/6/2025 FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE	PARIS, KY FINED: \$100	YOB 1978
HANNERS, AUSTIN B Nfld on 5/17/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION ScD on 5/21/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	FRANKFORT, OH FINED: \$100 FINED: \$100	YOB 1999
HARPER, CURTIS A ScD on 5/15/2025 IMPEDING THE PROGRESS OF ANOTHER HORSE	HILLIARD, OH FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 9	YOB 1989
HECHKOFF, ROBERT B PcD on 5/18/2025 KICKING A HORSE	NEW YORK, NY FINED: \$200	YOB 1954
HERSCHBERGER, MARK A M on 5/9/2025 LATE DRIVER CHANGE PHL on 5/16/2025 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	COLTS NECK, NJ FINED: \$200 FINED: \$200	YOB 1995
HOLLAND, BRENT YR on 4/24/2025 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE	FRISCO, TX DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 4/11/2025 THRU 4/13/2025 HORSE PLACED 4	YOB 1971
IRVINE, DONALD JR Nfld on 5/15/2025 SMOKING	STREETSBORO, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1951
IRVINE, JUSTIN D Nfld on 5/17/2025	AURORA, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 2001

FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL

JOHNSTON, SHAWN P Mea on 5/14/2025 FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE	EVANS CITY, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1993
KONRAD, EDWARD M Nfld on 5/18/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	PERRYSBURG, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1964
MACDONALD, ANTHONY A Mea on 5/8/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	MACEDONIA, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1976
MAROHN, JAMES JR YR on 4/16/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	PARK RIDGE, NJ FINED: \$100 HORSE PLACED 2	YOB 1982
MERRIMAN, AARON E Mea on 5/9/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION Mea on 5/10/2025 CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE Nfld on 5/17/2025 FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTIONS OF A RACING OFFICIAL Nfld on 5/18/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$100 FINED: \$200 FINED: \$100	YOB 1978
MILLER, BRETT A ScD on 5/17/2025 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	COLUMBUS, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1973
MILLER, DAVID S M on 5/9/2025 FAILURE TO DRIVE WHEN PROGRAMMED	ROBBINSVILLE, NJ FINED: \$400	YOB 1964
NAPOLITANO, ANTHONY J PcD on 5/10/2025 OTHER	NESSCOPECK, PA FINED: \$200	YOB 1981
NORMAN, RICHARD J F PcD on 5/17/2025 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	ALLENTOWN, NJ FINED: \$200	YOB 1960

PAGE, CHRIS L ScD on 5/16/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	DELAWARE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1983
PALONE, DAVID M Mea on 5/10/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$200	YOB 1962
PANTALEANO, JAMES R PcD on 5/11/2025 INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION	CANONSBURG, PA FINED: \$100	YOB 1962
SOWERS, MCGWIRE P CUMB on 5/17/2025 FAILURE TO SET AND MAINTAIN A PROPER PACE	MONTGOMERY, NY FINED: \$300	YOB 2000
ST LOUIS, MARC E JR. ScD on 5/21/2025 CROWDING/PUTTING ANOTHER WHEEL UNDER ANOTHER HORSE OR DRIVER	SWARTZ CREEK, MI FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 10	YOB 1988
SWITZER, KEVIN P JR Bang on 5/11/2025 JOSTLE, STRIKE OR HOOK WHEELS	E WATERBORO, ME FINED: \$100	YOB 1987
URBANOWICZ, JOHN PcD on 5/18/2025 LATE DRIVER CHANGE	HOPEWELL JCT, NY FINED: \$200	YOB 1966
WIDGER, SAMUEL D ScD on 5/16/2025 FAILURE TO OBEY THE INSTRUCTION OF THE PADDOCK JUDGE	CLARKSVILLE, OH FINED: \$100	YOB 1963
WILSON, JERMARRIO D Nfld on 4/26/2025 FAILURE TO HONOR DECLARATION	NORTHFIELD, OH FINED: \$300	YOB 1989