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LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION

MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2009 AT 9:00AM IN THE *LOOKOUT RESTAURANT (CASINO - 4th LEVEL)* OF THE DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK CASINO & HOTEL, 2717 DELTA DOWNS DRIVE, VINTON, LOUISIANA.

I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

A. BOYD RACING, LLC d/b/a DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK, CASINO & HOTEL

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

- a. **Approval** of Sam Lato to serve as state steward for 2009 quarter horse meet.

B. EVANGELINE DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2. RACES

- a. **Approval** of first condition book for 2009 thoroughbred meet.

- b. **Approval** of designated races for 2009 Thoroughbred meet:

7/4/09	Attaway Darbonne Memorial Stakes
7/4/09	B.B. "Sixty" Rayburn Stakes
7/4/09	Frank A. "Buddy" Abadie Memorial Stakes
7/4/09	Pola Benoit Memorial Stakes
7/4/09	J. Archie Sebastian Memorial Stakes
7/4/09	Junius Delahoussaye Memorial Stakes
7/4/09	Pierre LeBlanc Memorial
7/4/09	D.S. "Shine Young" Memorial Futurity (C&G)
7/4/09	D.S. "Shine Young" Memorial Futurity (F)
7/31/09	John Franks Memorial Sales Stakes (F)
8/1/09	John Franks Memorial Sales Stakes (C&G)
8/15/09	Evangeline Mile

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

- a. **Approval** of officials for 2009 Thoroughbred meet:

*Coleman Lloyd – Racing Secretary

Jon Anthony Martin – Assistant Racing Secretary/Placing Judge

- Corey Veazey – Entry Clerk/Placing Judge
- David Wedlake – Association Steward
- *Rick Brasher – Association Steward
- Gerald Thomas – Entry Clerk/Paddock Judge
- Dustin Veazey – Photo Finish/Teletimer
- Dudley Babineaux – Entry Clerk/Clerk of Scales
- Susan Ditter – Identifier
- Brett Poole – Clocker
- A.J. Paretto – Clocker
- Russell Comeaux – Starter
- *Ronald Lavergne – Outrider
- *Kenneth Gipson – Outrider
- Sandra McMahon – Claims Clerk
- JoAnn Comeaux – Program Coordinator
- Chasey Deville – Placing Judge
- Floyd “Red” Ardoin – Jockey Room Custodian
- *Jacque Bohannon – Colors Coordinator
- *Robert Bard – Stall Superintendent
- {*New Official}

b. **Approval** of Brook Hawkins to serve as state steward for 2009 Thoroughbred meet.

C. CHURCHILL DOWNS LOUISIANA HORSERACING COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a FAIR GROUNDS RACE COURSE

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. **Ratification** of Track Superintendent Brian Jabelmann for the 2008-2009 thoroughbred meet.

D. HARRAH’S BOSSIER CITY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a HARRAH’S LOUISIANA DOWNS

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2. RACES

a. **Ratification** of first condition book for 2009 quarter horse meet.

b. **Ratification** of designated races for 2009 quarter horse meet:

- 1/17/09 Harrah’s Dash
- 1/24/09 Harrah’s Distaff
- 1/31/09 Harrah’s Derby
- 2/7/09 Marathon
- 2/14/09 Swift
- 2/21/09 Mardi Gras Derby
- 2/21/09 Party Girl

2/28/09 Mr. Jess Perry
3/7/09 Magnolia
3/17/09 Streakin La Jolla
3/17/09 Billy Montgomery
3/17/09 Mardi Gras Futurity
3/17/09 Harrah's Futurity

TRIAL DATES

1/10/09 Harrah's Derby Trials
1/31/09 Mardi Gras Derby Trials
2/24/09 Mardi Gras Futurity Trials
3/1/09 Harrah's Futurity Trials

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. **Ratification** of officials for 2009 quarter horse meet:

- *Trent McIntosh - Racing Secretary
- * Matthew Crawford – Assistant Racing Secretary/Identifier
- William “Dale” Coleman – Association Steward
- Charles T. Magee – Association Steward
- Tammy P. Pennell – Placing Judge
- Michael Wandishin – Placing Judge
- Thomas Sibille – Stakes Coordinator/Placing Judge
- *Timothy Williams – Paddock Judge
- Charlotte Miles – Program Coordinator/Claims
- Arnold Mueller – Clerk of Scales
- Jimmy Cordell – Starter
- Betty Fetters – Clocker
- Cindy Loggins – Clocker
- Laura Hollowoa – Outrider
- Juan Roman – Outrider
- {*New Official}

b. **Approval** of Roy Wood to serve as state steward for 2009 Thoroughbred meet.

II. COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. MEDICATION COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Payton R.Covington*

B. RULES COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Keith W. Babb*

C. LEGAL COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Bob F. Wright*

D. RACETRACK/HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE, by *Committee Chairman Ray A. Tromba*

E. SECURITY COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Kenneth "Kenu" Romero

F. COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Anthony Bourgeois

III. RULES

A. For Discussion:

1. New Wager Proposed by **Fair Grounds -- Super Hi-5**
2. **HBPA** requests consideration to change the **2 millimeter** limitation on front shoe toe grabs to **4 millimeters** for quarter horses only.

B. Formal Adoption:

1. LAC 35:I.1721 Modern Therapeutic Measures [Steroid Ban]
2. LAC 35:V.6359 Shoes

IV. OTHER

A. For Discussion:

1. Request by **HBPA** to discuss turnaround time on equine samples and explanation of commission protocol in getting clearances to the horseman's bookkeeper.

V. LICENSES

A. FORMER PERMITTEE SEEKING REDUCTION OF SENTENCE

1. **Donald Boxie, Exercise Rider.** Multiple human drug positives.
2. **Vernon L. Gallup, Jockey.** Multiple human drug positives.

B. LICENSE APPROVAL REQUEST [LA. REV. STAT. 4:150(B)(2)]

1. **James Larry Favre, Owner.** Convicted felon.

VI. ADJUDICATIONS

A. APPEAL (LA. REV. STAT. 4:154)

1. **Don Stemmans, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#ED16023 of 8/18/07 – *Prednisone (ARCI Category IV)*

B. ADJUDICATIONS REFERRED (LA. REV. STAT. 4:172)

1. **Coby J. Bourque, Jockey.** Ruling#ED15156 of 6/21/06 - Human drug positive (3rd offense).
2. **Ariel R. Campos, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#LD17107 of 1/31/09 - *Stanozolol (ARCI Category III)*
3. **Frank Cavazos, Trainer.** Ruling#LD17127 of 2/7/09 - *Stanozolol (ARCI Category III)*
4. **Daniel J. Coughlin, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#DD17121 of 2/4/09 – *Stanozolol (ARCI Category III)*

5. **Javier N. Contreras, Trainer.** Ruling#LD17128 of 2/7/09 – *Testosterone (ARCI Category III)*
6. **Charles P. Hukill, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#DD17036 of 12/26/08 – *Flunixin (ARCI Category IV at Severity Level III)*
7. **Kathy M. Roohms, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#LD17130 of 2/8/09 – *Flunixin (ARCI Category IV at Severity Level III)*
8. **Karina Hunt, Owner/Trainer.**
 - a. Ruling#DD16985 of 11/28/08 – *Caffeine (ARCI Category II)*
 - b. Ruling#DD16987 of 11/28/08 – *Caffeine (ARCI Category II)*
 - c. Ruling#DD16988 of 11/28/08 – *Caffeine (ARCI Category II)*
 - d. Ruling#DD17007 of 12/12/08 – *Caffeine (ARCI Category II)*
9. **Theodrick D. Ledet, Jockey,** Ruling#ED16780 of 8/14/08 – *Theft*

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Charles A. Gardiner III
Executive Director

**This notice was posted on the entrance door of the Louisiana State Racing Commission
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