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LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION

MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2004 AT 8:30AM IN THE STARLIGHT ROOM, 4TH FLOOR AT HARRAH'S LOUISIANA DOWNS, 8000 EAST TEXAS STREET, BOSSIER CITY, LOUISIANA.

I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

A. BOYD RACING, LLC d/b/a DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO
1. PROGRESS REPORT

B. THE OLD EVANGELINE DOWNS, LLC
1. PROGRESS REPORT

C. FAIR GROUNDS CORPORATION
1. LICENSE APPROVALS

Deferred from April meeting – approval requests for:

- a. 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158
- b. 10 year license to operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
- c. Serving as concessionaire/caterer

2. PROGRESS REPORT

D. HARRAH'S BOSSIER CITY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LLC
d/b/a HARRAH'S LOUISIANA DOWNS

1. RACES

- a. Ratify approval request for first condition book for 2004 race meet.
- b. Joint Petition for Exception from LAC 35:I.5737(L)

2. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT – Approval request for:

Patrick J. Pope as Director of Racing/Racing Secretary
Russell Ramstad as Assistant Racing Secretary
Charles Magee as Clerk of Scales
Frank Comberrel as Starter
Joseph Peluso, Ronald Ramstad, Deborah Borel & Jamie Holloman as Placing Judges
Herbert Soes as Paddock Judge
Ralph Ralstin as Identifier
Johnnie Johnson & Coleman Lloyd as Association Stewards
James Hamilton as Clocker
Patty Davis as Assistant Clocker

3. PROGRESS REPORT

II. OTHER

A. MISCELLANEOUS

1. Discussion of Louisiana Champions Day Starter Handicap as a stakes race.

III. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. **MEDICATION COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Tom Grimstad*
- B. **RULES COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Lester Colomb*
- C. **AUDIT COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Harry Avant*
- D. **LEGAL COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Ray Todd*
- E. **RACETRACK LIAISON COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairperson Susan Neck*
- F. **SECURITY COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Ernie Colbert*
- G. **COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Jimmy Shea*

IV. CASES

A. LICENSE APPROVALS (R.S. 4:150)

1. Patrick Sinegal, *Exercise Rider*

B. PENALTY RECONSIDERATIONS

1. Bradley Cathey, *Owner/Trainer*

C. ADJUDICATIONS – REFERRED (R.S. 4:172)

1. Scott R. Murphy, *Owner/Trainer*. Ruling #DD13368 of 4/8/04 – phenylbutazone overage.

Charles A. Gardiner III
Executive Director

Wednesday, May 5, 2004 at 4:00PM.