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LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION

MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2008 AT 9:00AM IN THE LA NOUVELLE BALLROOM OF THE MONTELEONE HOTEL, 214 ROYAL STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

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

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2008/2009 THOROUGHBRED MEET

2. CONDITION BOOK AND RACES

a. **Ratification** of first condition book for 2008-09 race meet.

b. **Ratification** of designated races for the 2008-09 race meet:

- 11/7/08 My Trusty Cat
- 11/7/08 Jean LaFitte
- 12/5/08 Treasure Chest
- 12/5/08 Boyd Gaming's Delta Jackpot (**Grade III**)
- 12/5/08 Boyd Gaming's Delta Princess
Powered By Youbet.com (**Grade III**)
- 12/5/08 Delta Mile
- 1/3/09 Camelia
- 1/3/09 Cypress
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Starlet
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Prince
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Matron
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Sprint
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Distaff
- 2/7/09 Premier Night Championship
- 2/28/09 Goddess
- 2/28/09 Gulf Coast Classic
- 3/06/09 Magnolia Classic
- 3/06/09 Gold Cup
- 3/20/09 Green Oaks
- 3/20/09 Sportsman's Paradise

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. **Approval** of racing officials for the 2008/2009 thoroughbred meet:

John Simon – Racing Secretary
Steve Ruff – Assistant Racing Secretary/Stakes Coordinator
Jacob Golden – Outrider
Jason Grudzien – Placing Judge/Racing office staff

2009 QUARTER HORSE MEET

4. AMENDED RACE DATES – 52 live quarter horse dates on the flat.

April 16,17,18,19,23,24,25,26,30
May 1,2,3,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28,29,30,31
June 4,5,6,7,11,12,13,14,18,19,20,21,25,26,27,28
July 2,3,4,5,9,10,11,12

B. EVANGELINE DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2008 QUARTER HORSE MEET

2. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. **Approval** of racing official for the 2008 quarter horse meet:

Dudley Babineaux – Clerk of Scales/Entry Clerk

2009 THOROUGHBRED MEET

3. AMENDED RACE DATES – 89 live thoroughbred race dates on the flat:

April 8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,29,30
May 1,2,6,7,8,9,13,14,15,16,20,21,22,23,27,28,29,30
June 3,4,5,6,10,11,12,13,17,18,19,20,24,25,26,27
July 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,29,30,31
Aug 1,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,26,27,28,29
Sept 2,3,4,5,7

C. CHURCHILL DOWNS LOUISIANA HORSERACING COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a FAIR GROUNDS RACE COURSE

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2008/2009 THOROUGHBRED MEET

2. CONDITION BOOK AND RACES

a. **Ratification** of first condition book for 2008-09 race meet.

b. **Ratification** of designated races for 2008-09 race meet:

12/13/08 Quarter Horse Juvenile
12/13/08 Quarter Horse Derby
12/13/08 Quarter Horse Classic
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Juvenile
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Lassie
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Sprint
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Ladies Sprint
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Turf
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Ladies
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Classic
12/13/08 Louisiana Champions Starter
1/10/09 Col.E.R.Bradley Handicap (**Grade III**)

- 1/10/09 Lecompte Stakes (**Grade III**)
- 2/7/09 Fair Grounds Handicap (**Grade III**)
- 2/7/09 Mineshaft Handicap (**Grade III**)
- 2/7/09 Silverbulletday Stakes (**Grade III**)
- 2/7/09 Risen Star Stakes (**Grade III**)
- 2/21/09 Bayou Handicap
- 3/14/09 Duncan F. Kenner Stakes
- 3/14/09 Mervin H. Muniz Jr. Memorial Handicap (**Grade II**)
- 3/14/09 New Orleans Handicap (**Grade II**)
- 3/14/09 Fair Grounds Oaks (**Grade II**)
- 3/14/09 Louisiana Derby (**Grade II**)

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

- a. **Approval** of officials for 2008-2009 race meet:
 - Jason Boulet - Racing Secretary
 - Roy Wood – State Steward
 - Jon Anthony Martin – Assistant Racing Secretary
 - Peter Kosiba, Jr. and Brook Hawkins - Association Stewards
 - Frank Comberrel, Jr. - Starter
 - Scott Jones - Stakes Coordinator
 - Barbara Comberrel – Program Director
 - David Wedlake and Ramon Muniz - Paddock Judges
 - Joe Peluso, Steve Worsley, Natalie M. Brocklebank* - Placing Judges
 - Eugene Schwartz, Kerry Dubuc, Mike Diliberto, and Billy Pettingill - Clockers
 - Nelson Menard - Clerk of Scales
 - Javier Torres - Assistant Clerk of Scales
 - Jed Babin - Horse Identifier
 - Mario Torres - Stall Superintendent
 - Craig Dalligian - Jockey Room Custodian
 - Tiffany Bourque – Claims Clerk
 - Donald Toombs, Lee Lockwood, and Darrin Cain – Outriders
- * new official

D. HARRAH’S BOSSIER CITY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LLC

d/b/a HARRAH’S LOUISIANA DOWNS

1. PROGRESS REPORT

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*

1. Harrah's Louisiana Downs capital projects improvements summary.

III. RULES

A. Emergency Rule:

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

B. Notice of Intent:

1. LAC 35:XI.9913 Vesting of Title; Tests [EPO Testing] - *AMEND*
2. LAC 35:I.1507 Bleeder Medication [Voluntary Lasix] - *AMEND*

IV. OTHER

A. For Discussion:

1. Jockey Mount Fees
2. Directive To LSU Testing Laboratory Regarding NSAID Levels

B. Renewal of Delegated Authority:

1. Renewal of delegated authority to Charles A. Gardiner III, Executive Director, to approve various administrative documents and personnel actions for the Racing Commission.

V. LICENSES

A. DETERMINATION OF ELIGIBILITY

1. Philip Rubbico, Exercise Rider.

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

1. Donald Broussard, Owner. Convicted felon.
2. Rene Hortsmann, Owner. Convicted felon.
3. Shannon Howard, Owner. Convicted felon.
4. Bryan Jenkins, Owner. Convicted felon.
5. Shelton Zenon, Owner/Trainer. Convicted felon.

VI. ADJUDICATIONS

A. APPEALS (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. Keith G. Bourgeois, Trainer. Ruling#ED16683 of 6/28/08 – *Fluphenazine (ARCI Category II)*
2. Theodrick D. Ledet, Jockey, Ruling#ED16780 of 8/14/08 – *Theft*

3. **Carlos A. Salvidar, Owner/Trainer.** Ruling#ED16679 of 6/26/08 – *Fluphenazine (ARCI Category II)*
4. **Melton Wilson, Trainer.** Ruling#ED16662 of 6/18/08 – *Fluphenazine (ARCI Category II)*

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Charles A. Gardiner III
Executive Director

**This notice was posted on the entrance door of the Louisiana State Racing
Commission
Thursday, November 20, 2008 at 4:00PM.**