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DELAWARE THOROUGHBRED RACING COMMISSION  
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## **Stewards Ruling 09-2021**

Ruling Date: 05/04/2021

Licensee: Julio R Cartagena

DOB: 01/09/1957

Violation Date: 03/29/2021

License Type: Owner

RCI ID: 1871528

Ruling Type/Description: License Denial

DTRC Rules Cited: 2.5.1.3, 2.5.1.20, 2.5.1.22, 3.3.6, 3.3.10 and 3.4.1.4

### **Narrative:**

Owner Julio R Cartagena DOB: 01/09/1957, RCI ID: 1871528. Mr. Cartagena falsified his license application and has extensive past rule violations. Mr. Cartagena has been excluded by Delaware Park Management and is not permitted to participate in racing. The Owners license application for Julio R Cartagena has been "Denied". Mr. Cartagena is in violation of:

DTRC Rule # 2.5.1.3 Falsification, misrepresentation, or omission of required information in the application submitted to the Commission; failure to disclose the complete ownership or beneficial interest in a horse entered to be raced; misrepresentation or attempted misrepresentation in connection with the sale of a horse or other matter pertaining to racing or registration of Thoroughbreds or Arabians.

Rule # 2.5.1.20 Past or contemplated conduct or utterance which, does or may adversely affect, whether intentionally or unintentionally, and whether in fact or only seemingly, the public's confidence in the reputation Thoroughbred racing heretofore has enjoyed in Delaware for stringent adherence to uncompromising standards of honesty, integrity and propriety.

Rule# 2.5.1.22 Drug addiction, public drunkenness, financial irresponsibility or failure to pay debts when due, bad moral character, intemperate habits, bad reputation for honesty, truth and veracity, past instance of lying, cheating, or stealing, or involvement in a subject of public notice as involved in any activity which, would be inconsistent with the best interests of racing by reflection on the honesty and integrity of the sport of racing, or association with persons so characterized.



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**Stewards Duties:**

Rule # 3.4.1.4 3.4.1.4 To interpret and enforce these Rules, and to determine all questions pertaining to a racing matter not specifically covered by these Rules in conformity with justice and the customs of the turf.

Rule# 3.3.6 3.3.6 When requested by the Commission, to review all licenses, registration certificates, and all contracts, papers, and other documents pertaining to the sale or ownership of a horse, payment of purse money, Jockey and Apprentice Jockey contracts, appointments of agents, adoptions of racing colors or stable name, and advise upon the eligibility and appropriateness thereof for participation in racing in Delaware.

Rule # 3.3.10 3.3.10 All other powers enumerated in these Rules, together with such other powers as are necessary to promote and maintain stringent standards for honesty, integrity, and propriety for Thoroughbred Racing in Delaware.

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