

## STATE OF DELAWARE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

DELAWARE THOROUGHBRED RACING COMMISSION 777 DELAWARE PARK BLVD, WILMINGTON, DE 19804 AGRICULTURE.DELAWARE.GOV

(302) 994-2521 EXT. 7247

OFFICE OF THE STEWARDS

FAX: (302) 994-3567

## Stewards Ruling 43-2021

Ruling Date: 6/21/2021 Licensee: Michael W Merryman DOB: 09/29/1992 Violation Date: 6/21/2021 RCI ID: 1812575 License Type: Trainer

Ruling Type/Description: Necessitating a Late Scratch

DTRC Rules Cited: 3.4.1, 3.4.1.15 and 11.14.1.5

Fine: \$1,000 Fine Due Date: 6/28/2021

## Narrative:

Trainer Michael W Merryman, DOB: 09/29/1992, RCI ID: 1812575, is fined the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00) for scratching the horse "Railmaster" from the fifth (5) race on Monday, June 21,2021, at Delaware Park, after entering at Pimlico Race Track, during the five day entry period. A violation of D.T.R.C. Rules 3.4.1, 3.4.1.15, and 11.14.1.5.

Failure to pay the assessed fine by the due date may result in a suspension of license. Monetary fines not paid within the parameters of the official ruling are subject to penalty and interest charges at the rate of 1.5% per month compounded monthly.

Eric Coatrieux