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## Stewards Ruling 58-2021

Ruling Date: 7/5/2021

Licensee: Erick Lopez

DOB: 07/08/1987

Violation Date: 7/1/2021

License Type: Jockey

RCI ID: 1071273

Ruling Type/Description: Excessive use of the riding crop.

DTRC Rules Cited: 14.18.2

Fine: \$500

Fine Due Date: 7/12/2021

### Narrative:

Jockey Erick Lopez DOB: 07/08/1987, RCI ID: 1071273, after appearing before the Board of Stewards on 7/3/2021, is fined \$500 for Excessive use of a Riding Crop during the running of the first (1) race aboard "Muhlenberg" at Delaware Park on July 1, 2021. A violation of DTRC Rule # 14.18.2.

**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  
Robert Colton  
William Troilo