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Stewards Ruling 64-2022

Ruling Date: 7/16/2022 Licensee: Juan O. Arriagada DOB: 01/16/1978
Violation Date: 7/6/2022 License Type: Trainer RCI ID: 2115882

Ruling Type/Description: Possession of Medication/Drugs/Contraband

DTRC Rules Cited: 7.3, 7.3.1, 15.1.1.3, 15.1.1.4, 15.23, 15.23.1, 3.3 All and 3.4 All

Fine: $1500 Fine Due Date: 7/23/2022
Suspension: No

Narrative:

Trainer Juan O. Arriagada, DOB: 01/16/1978, RCI ID: 2115882, after appearing before the Board of Stewards for a hearing at Delaware Park on July 12, 2022, is fined $1500. On June 21, 2022, a routine barn search was conducted by the Commission Investigator and Safety Steward. The barn was assigned to Trainer Juan O. Arriagada. A medication sample was taken from an unlabeled container of Methocarbamal. It was sent to Industrial Laboratories, the primary laboratory of the Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission. On July 6, 2022, Industrial Laboratories reported sample E542153 indicated the presence of Thyroxine. Trainer Arriagada "waived" his right to a split sample. Thyroxine is a Prohibited substance in Delaware, Trainers may not have Thyroxine on their premises on the racetrack unless: the horse has been diagnosed with hypothyroidism pursuant to a thyroid releasing hormone stimulation test, the test must be submitted to the State Veterinarian. If approved by the State Veterinarian, the horse may be treated with only FDA approved medications for hypothyroidism prescribed by the Veterinarian. Trainer Arriagada did not follow the proper procedures for Thyroxine. Trainer Arriagada had unlabeled and mislabeled medication in his barn. A violation of D.T.R.C. Rules 7.3, 7.3.1, 15.1.1.3, 15.1.1.4, 15.23, 15.23.1, 3.3 All and 3.4 All.

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.

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