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## Stewards Ruling 15-2024

Ruling Date: 05/14/2024

Licensee: Tulio Gonzalez

DOB: 08/05/1965

Violation Date: 05/14/2024

License Type: Groom

RCI ID: 2297874

Ruling Type/Description: Medication/Drug/Violation-Human

DTRC Rules Cited: 2.5.1, 21.5.2, 2.5.1.4, 2.5.1.8, 2.5.1.10, 21.8 All, 3.3 All, 3.4 All

Suspension: Yes

Suspension Start Date: 05/14/2024

Suspension End Date:

### Narrative:

Groom Tulio Gonzalez DOB: 08/05/1965, RCI ID: 2297874, was requested to submit to a random drug test by Commission staff, complied with the request, and tested positive for Methamphetamine, MDMA, and Amphetamines. Tulio Gonzalez admitted to using drugs. Mr. Gonzalez is "Suspended Indefinitely" until he submits a professional evaluation by a substance abuse professional approved by the Commission or it's designee and provides a negative drug test. Mr. Gonzalez was ordered to appear before the Stewards and was brought to the Stewards' office by track security. Mr. Gonzalez was uncooperative and walked out of the Stewards office before a hearing could be conducted. Mr. Gonzalez was also terminated from his employment. The Groom's license issued to Tulio Gonzalez is hereby "RESCINDED". He must fulfill the conditions set forth in this ruling and must appear before the Stewards for any consideration of being reinstated. Pursuant to D.T.R.C. Rules 21.5.1, 21.5.2, 2.5.1.4, 2.5.1.8, 2.5.1.10, 21.8 All, 3.3 All and 3.4 All.

  
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