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LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION

MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2006 AT 9:00AM IN THE QUEEN ANNE BALLROOM OF THE MONTELEONE HOTEL, 214 ROYAL STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

A. BOYD RACING, LLC d/b/a DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

- 1. LICENSE APPROVALS
 - a. Request approval for 2006-07 thoroughbred race meet:
 - (1) For 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158
 - (2) For 10 year license to operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - (3) To serve as concessionaire

2. RACING DATES (R.S. 4:158A) AND POST TIMES

- a. Request approval for 2006-07 thoroughbred race meet:
 - (1) Thoroughbred racing on the flat
 - (2) 88 Thoroughbred race dates (11/1/06 to 3/31/07):
 November 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,21,22,24,25,29,30
 December 1,2,6,7,8,9,13,14,15,16,20,21,22,23,27,28,29,30
 January 3,4,5,6,10,11,12,13,17,18,19,20,24,25,26,27,31
 February 1,2,3,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28

March 1,2,3,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28,29,30,31

- (3) Hold 10-12 live thoroughbred races daily Wednesday through Saturday
- (4) Daily post time 5:55PM
- (5) Except 11/21/06 post time 2:45PM
- (6) Except Thanksgiving Day, 11/23/06 no racing

3. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Ch 103-127)

- a. Request approval for wagering format for 2006-07 thoroughbred race meet:
 - (1) \$1 WPS, quinella & exacta on all races
 - (2) \$1 Daily double on first 2 & last 2 live races
 - (3) \$1 Trifecta on all races with 6 or more entries
 - (4) 10¢ Superfecta on selected races with 8 or more entries
 - (5) \$1 Pick 3 on 2nd thru 10th race
 - (6) \$1 Pick 4 on last 4 races
- b. Request approval for net pool pricing for 2006 quarter horse meet.

4. RACES

- a. Request approval for first condition book of the 2006 quarter horse race meet.
- b. Request approval for designated races for the 2006 quarter horse race meet:

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4/23/06 Louisiana Purchase
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- 4/23/06 John Alleman Memorial
- 4/29/06 Alabama Futurity
- 4/29/06 Alabama Derby
- 4/30/06 Lassie Futurity
- 4/30/06 Laddie Futurity
- 5/21/06 John Deere East Challenge
- 5/21/06 Ford East Challenge
- 5/21/06 Bayer Legend East Challenge
- 5/21/06 MBNA American East Championship Challenge
- 5/27/06 Delta 550 Championship
- 6/11/06 Delta Downs
- 6/18/06 Mr. Jess Perry
- 7/2/06 Firecracker Futurity
- 7/2/06 Firecracker Derby
- 7/2/06 Miss Polly Classic
- 7/9/06 Louisiana Classic
- 7/9/06 Lee Berwick Futurity
- 7/9/06 Vinton

5. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Request approval for officials for 2006 quarter horse meet (*new officials):

Chris Warren as Director of Racing

Trent McIntosh as Racing Secretary

*Thomas Keith Kelley as Assistant Racing Secretary/Stakes Coordinator

Duane Domingue & *Samuel Lato as Association Stewards

Becky Rhoden & *Bret Thibodeaux as Outriders

Darald Wilfer as Track Superintendent

George Soape as Starter

Sara Ward, DVM as Track Veterinarian

Norman Zwak as Clerk of Scales

- *Matthew Provost as Head Clocker
- *William Morris as Paddock Judge

Ann Wessels as Horse Identifier

Leonard (Gene) Wasson as Stall Superintendent

Michael Guidry as Jockey Room Custodian

Steve Nick, Rose Caster, *Kevin Bourque & Ashley Huval as Placing Judges/Racing Office Staff

Charles Sonnier, Darcy Louviere & Hope Edison as Alternate Placing Judges

b. Request approval for Julian Dupuy as state steward for the 2006 quarter horse meet.

6. PROGRESS REPORT

B. EVANGELINE DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

- a. Request approval for 2006 quarter horse race meet:
 - (1) For 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158
 - (2) For 10 year license to operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - (3) To serve as concessionaire

2. RACING DATES (R.S. 4:158A) AND POST TIMES

- a. Request approval for 2006 quarter horse race meet:
 - (1) Quarter horse racing on the flat
 - (2) 24 Quarter horse race dates (9/20/06 to 10/28/06):

September 20,21,22,23,27,28,29,30

October 4,5,6,7,11,12,13,14,18,19,20,21,25,26,27,28

- (3) Hold minimum of 9 live quarter horse races daily Wednesday through Saturday
- (4) Daily post time 6:40PM
- b. Request approval to add additional race day, 3/29/06, to the 2006 thoroughbred race meet.
- c. Request approval to change post time to 6:40PM, Wednesday through Saturday, 3/29/06 thru 9/4/06.

3. RACES

- a. Request approval for first condition book for 2006 thoroughbred meet.
- b. Request approval for 2006 thoroughbred meet designated races:

7/1/06 Louisiana Legends Night:

Pola Benoit Stakes

J. Archie Sebastien Stakes

Junius Delahoussaye Stakes

Pierre LeBlanc Stakes

B. B. "Sixty" Rayburn Stakes

Frank "Buddy" Abadie Stakes

D. S. "Shine" Young Futurity

8/4/06 John Franks Memorial Stakes (Filly Division)

8/5/06 John Franks Memorial Stakes (Colt & Gelding Division)

8/12/06 Evangeline Mile

9/4/06 Lafayette Stakes

4. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Ch 103-127)

- a. Request approval for wagering format for 2006 thoroughbred and quarter horse race meets:
 - (1) WPS, quinella & exacta on all races
 - (2) Daily double on first 2 & last 2 races
 - (3) Trifecta on all races complying with the Rules of Racing (§11115)
 - (4) Rolling pick 3 beginning on 1st race
 - (5) Pick 4 on last 4 races
 - (6) Superfecta on all races complying with the Rules of Racing (§11701)

5. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Request approval for officials for 2006 thoroughbred meet (*new officials):

Harvey Lourd III as Assistant Racing Secretary/Clerk of Scales

John Peverly Broussard, DVM as Association Veterinarian

George Graham as Paddock Judge/Entry Clerk

Brook Hawkins & Norris Gwin as Association Stewards

Sandra McMahon as Claims Clerk/Entry Clerk

Corey Veazey as Placing Judge/Entry Clerk

Danny Michel as Placing Judge/Photo Finish

*Susan Guillory as Placing Judge

JoAnn Comeaux as Program Coordinator

Jacqueline Marshall as Colors Coordinator/Entry Clerk

*Gerald Thomas as Horse Identifier

Russell Comeaux as Starter

Brett Poole as Clocker

Floyd "Red" Ardoin as Jockey Room Custodian

Delmar Guillory & Roger Codwallader as Outriders

b. Request approval for B. B. Rayburn, Jr. as state steward for 2006 thoroughbred meet.

6. PROGRESS REPORT

7. SPECIAL REPORT

a. By David Yount on delay of races at Evangeline Downs on 2/11/06.

C. CHURCHILL DOWNS LOUISIANA HORSERACING COMPANY, LLC d/b/a FAIR GROUNDS RACE COURSE

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

- a. Request approval for 2006-07 race meet:
 - (1) For 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158
 - (2) For 10 year license to operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - (3) To serve as concessionaire
- b. Ratify request for approval for Louisiana Downs (while under Churchill Downs/Fair Grounds) to operate as a training track from 1/23/06 to 3/31/06.

2. RACING DATES (R.S. 4:158A) AND POST TIMES

- a. Request approval for 2006-07 race meet:
 - (1) Thoroughbred racing on the flat
 - (2) 81 Thoroughbred race dates (11/23/06 to 3/25/07):

November 23,24,25,26,30

December 1,2,3,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28,29,30,31

January 1,4,5,6,7,8,11,12,13,14,15,18,19,20,21,22,25,26,27,28,29

February 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,12,15,16,17,18,19,20,23,24,25,26

March 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25

- (3) Hold up to 12 races daily Thursday through Sunday, and all Mondays in January and February 2007.
- (4) Daily post time 12:25PM

3. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Ch 103-127)

- a. Request approval for wagering format for 2006-07 race meet:
 - (1) WPS & exacta on all races
 - (2) Daily double on first 2 & last 2 races
 - (3) Trifecta on all races complying with the Rules of Racing (§11115)
 - (4) Rolling pick 3 beginning on 1st race
 - (5) 2 Pick 4's
 - (6) Super 6 on 3rd thru 8th race
 - (7) Superfecta on all races complying with the Rules of Racing (§11701)

4. PROGRESS REPORT

D. HARRAH'S BOSSIER CITY INVESTMENT COMPANY, LLC d/b/a HARRAH'S LOUISIANA DOWNS

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

- a. Request approval for 2006 quarter horse meet:
 - (1) For 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158
 - (2) For 10 year license to operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - (3) To serve as concessionaire

2. RACING DATES (R.S. 4:158A) AND POST TIMES

- a. Request approval for 2006 quarter horse meet:
 - (1) Quarter horse racing on the flat
 - (2) 22 Quarter horse race dates (10/28/06 to 11/26/06):

October 28,29

November 1,2,3,4,5,8,9,10,11,12,15,16,17,18,19,22,23,24,25,26

- (3) Running a minimum of 9 live races daily
- (4) Post time 12:30PM
- b. Request approval to amend 2006 thoroughbred race meet:
 - (1) From 98 to 93 race days
 - (2) Revised dates of operation (5/5/06 to 10/21/06):

May 5,6,7,12,13,14,19,20,21,26,27,28,29

June 2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,30

July 1,2,3,4,7,8,9,13,14,15,16,20,21,22,23,27,28,29,30

August 3,4,5,6,10,11,12,13,17,18,19,20,24,25,26,27

September 1,2,3,4,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28,29,30

October 1,5,6,7,12,13,14,19,20,21

(Deleted October 26,27,28 & November 3,4, 2006;

Moved October 8 to October 1, 2006.)

3. RACES

Request approval for first condition book of 2006 thoroughbred race meet.

4. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Ch 103-127)

- a. Request approval for wagering for 2006 quarter horse meet:
 - (1) WPS, exacta & quinella on all races
 - (2) Daily double on first 2 & last 2 races
 - (3) Trifecta on all qualifying races
 - (4) Super 6 on 3rd thru 8th races
 - (5) Superfecta on 2nd, 5th & last races
 - (7) Rolling pick 3 on 4th through last races

- b. Request approval for net pool pricing (beginning 5/5/06).
- c. Discussion of jackpot wager.

5. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Request approval for 2006 racing season officials:

Director of Racing/Racing Secretary TBA

Johnnie Johnson as Association Steward

Association Steward TBA

Russell Ramstad as Assistant Racing Secretary

Charles T. Magee as Clerk of Scales

Jimmy Cordell as Starter

Joseph Peluso as Stakes Coordinator/Placing Judge

Ronald Ramstad, Deborah Borel & Charlotte Miles as Placing Judges

Herbert (Walter) Soes as Paddock Judge

Ralph Ralstin as Identifier

James Hamilton as Clocker

2 Assistant Clockers TBA

b. Request approval for William Hartack as State Steward for 2006 thoroughbred race meet.

6. PROGRESS REPORT

II. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. MEDICATION COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Tom Grimstad
- B. RULES COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Wells Watson
- C. AUDIT COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Harry Avant
- **D. LEGAL COMMITTEE,** by Committee Chairman Ray Todd
- E. RACETRACK/HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairperson Susan Neck
- F. SECURITY COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Domoine Rutledge
- G. COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE, by Committee Chairman Jimmy Shea

III. MISCELLANEOUS

A. HORSEMEN'S BENEVOLENT AND PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

1. Discussion of workers' compensation

B. RULES

- 1. Discussion of proposed changes to trifecta, superfecta, triple play & pick 4 rules.
- 2. Discussion of LAC 35:V.6311(B) regarding foal certificates required on site.

IV. CASES

A. LICENSE APPROVAL REQUESTS (R.S. 4:150)

- 1. Ricky Jeanlouis, Food & Beverage Employee. Convicted felon.
- 2. Carl Ray Turner, Owner. Convicted felon.
- 3. Joseph Ellis, Trainer. Convicted felon.
- 4. Kim J. Frederick, Jockey. Convicted felon.
- 5. David L. Lee, Owner. Convicted felon.

B. REINSTATEMENT REQUESTS

- **6. Curt Bourque, Jockey.** Ruling #DD13356 of 3/27/04 human drug testing, 3rd offense/tampered sample/failing to submit; reapplying for license.
- 7. Lincoln Paul Sylvester, Jockey. Ruling #ED7303 of 8/8/97 human drug testing, failure to submit.
- 8. Joseph W. Patin, Jr., Jockey. Ruling #LD9513 of 10/8/99 human drug testing, failure to comply.
- **9. John E. Bernard, Assistant Trainer.** Ruling #FG9922 of 3/16/00 human drug testing, 3rd offense.

C. ADJUDICATIONS REFERRED (R.S. 4:172)

- 10. Charles C. Begnaud, Trainer. Ruling #ED14817 of 12/31/05 phenylbutazone overage in Zarbs Gunner.
- 11. Henry West, Jr., Trainer. Ruling #ED14839 of 1/18/06 caffeine/theophylline in Dangerfrost.
- **12. Timothy Fontenot, Jockey.** Ruling #ED14966 of 3/16/06 human drug testing, tampered sample.

D. ADJUDICATIONS ON APPEAL (R.S. 4:154)

13. Jose Riquelme, Jockey. Ruling #ED14990 of 3/24/06 – careless riding.

E. EJECTIONS (R.S. 4:191)

14. John Cochran, Patron. Disputing Fair Grounds Ejection.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Charles A. Gardiner III
Executive Director

Tuesday, April 18, 2006 at 4:00PM.