MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 29, 2003, AT 9:00AM IN BALLROOM D OF THE NEW ORLEANS HILTON RIVERSIDE, #2 POYDRAS (ATTHE MISSISSIPPI RIVER), NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

I. ASSOCIATION REQUESTS

A. DELTA DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

- a. Approval request by Boyd Racing LLC d/b/a Delta Downs Racetrack & Casino:
 - 1) for 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158.
 - 2) to operate OTB parlors, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - 3) to serve as concessionaire

2. RACING DATES, La. Rev. Stat. 4:158 (A) & POST TIME

a. Approval request for license application to conduct thoroughbred racing on the flat for 2003-04 season for 92 race days, 11/5/03-4/10/04. Hold 10 live races daily; 6:45PM post time. Operating Wednesday through Saturday, plus Sundays, 11/30/03, 12/28/03 & 3/21/04, and excluding holidays on 11/27/03 & 12/24-25/03.

b. Approval request for thoroughbred dates for 2003-04 season:

NOV	5	6	7	8	12	13	14	15	19	20	21	22	26	28	29	30			
DEC	3	4	5	6	10	11	12	13	17	18	19	20	26	27	28	31			
JAN	1	2	3	7	8	9	10	14	15	16	17	21	22	23	24	28	29	30	31
FEB	4	5	6	7	11	12	13	14	18	19	20	21	25	26	27	28			
MAR	3	4	5	6	10	11	12	13	17	18	19	20	21	24	25	26	27	31	
APR	1	2	3	7	8	9	10												

- c. Ratify request to approve **1** additional race each Friday & Saturday, 2/28/03–3/23/03.
- d. Ratify request to approve 1 additional race each Thursday, 3/13–23/03.
- e. Ratify request to approve **1** additional race each Thursday, 4/17/03–6/29/03.

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

a. Approval request for WPS & exacta on all races; trifecta on races with 6 or more entries; superfecta on selected races with 8 or more entries; rolling pick 3 on races 2 - 9; pick 4 on the last 4 live races; and 2 daily doubles on first 2 & last 2 races.

4. RACES

a. Ratify request to approve designated races in accordance with LAC 46:XLI.749 for 2003 QH race meet:

Lassie Futurity	4/19/03
Laddie Futurity	4/19/03
Louisiana Bred Graduation	4/26/03
Alabama Futurity	5/3/03
Alabama Derby	5/3/03
Open Graduation	5/17/03
American Airlines Juvenile	5/24/03
Alabama Juvenile	5/24/03
Delta Downs Derby	5/25/03
MBNA America East Challenge	5/31/03
The Vinton	6/21/03
Firecracker Futurity	6/28/03
Firecracker Derby	6/28/03
Louisiana Classic	6/28/03
Lee Berwick Futurity	6/29/03

b. Ratify request to approve first condition book of 2003 quarter horse meet.

5. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Ratify request to approve:

Judy Dugas as state steward

Chadwick Bonneau as assistant clocker/racing official.

Michael Guidry as jockey room custodian.

B. THE OLD EVANGELINE DOWNS, LLC

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

a. Progress report on St. Landry racing facility.

2. RACES

a. Ratify request to approve designated races:

D. S. Shine Young Memorial Futurity/Trials 6/13/03 & 7/4/03
Evangeline Downs Sales Stakes 8/2/03
Evangeline Mile 8/16/03
Lafayette Stakes 9/1/03

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Ratify request to approve:

Larry Munster as state steward

Brook A. Hawkins as clerk of scales

Kimberly Rudis as horsemen's relations & backup placing judge

Jessie C. Baker as clocker

Daniel J. Michel as placing judge

Jimmy Guidry as food & beverage services director

Christine Granger as sales representative

Sean D. Beirne as track announcer & director of simulcasting & public relations.

C. FAIR GROUNDS CORPORATION

1. LICENSE APPROVALS

- a. Approval request by Fair Grounds Corporation:
 - 1) for 10 year license to operate, per R.S. 4:158.
 - 2) to operate OTB parlors, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
 - 3) to serve as concessionaire/caterer.

2. RACING DATES, La. Rev. Stat. 4:158(A) & POST TIME

a. Approval request for license application to conduct thoroughbred racing on the flat for 2003-04 season for 80 race days, 11/27/03 - 3/28/04, plus separate morning cards for Quarter Horse Futurity & Derby Trials, 2/23-24/04. Hold up to 12 races daily; 12:30PM post time.

b. Approval request for dates for 2003-04 season:

NOV	27	28	29	30																		
DEC	4	5	6	7	11	12	13	14	18	19	20	21	26	27	28							
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3. WAGERING (LAC 35:XIII.Chapters 103-127)

- a. Approval request for WPS, exacta & quinella on all races; trifectas and superfectas on all qualifying races; super 6 on races 3-8; rolling pick 3 beginning on race 1; 2 daily doubles on first 2 & last 2 races; 2 pick 4s per card.
- b. Ratify request to approve trifecta wagering:

race #1 of 3/2/03

race #9 of 3/8/03

race #9 of 3/13/03

race #1 of 3/14/03

race #1 of 3/15/03

D. LOUISIANA DOWNS, INC. - No Pending Requests -

II. OTHER APPROVALS

A. APPROVAL TO RUN CLAIMED HORSES

1. Ratify request for approval by Mr. Dallas Keen to race DESERT AIR in the *Jersey Village Stakes* at Sam Houston Park on 2/22/03.

- 2. Ratify request for approval by Mr. Don Stemmans to race CONSOMME in the *Magnolia Stakes* at Delta Downs on 3/1/03.
- 3. Ratify request for approval by Mr. Jere Smith, Jr. to race ASTRAL PLANE in the *John Battaglia Memorial* at Turfway Park on 3/1/03.
- 4. Ratify request for approval by Jere Smith, Jr. to race ASTRAL PLANE in the *Sportsman's Paradise Handicap* at Delta Downs on 3/9/03.
- 5. Ratify request for approval by Jere Smith, Jr. to race ASTRAL PLANE in *The Hansel* at Turfway Park on 3/22/03.
- 6. Ratify request for approval by Jere Smith, Jr. to race ASTRAL PLANE in *The Rushaway* at Turfway Park on 3/22/03.

III. RULE

A. Discussion of rule: LAC 35:I.309 "Protective Helmets"

IV. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. MEDICATION COMMITTEE, by Commissioner Jerry Meaux
- **B. RULES COMMITTEE,** by Commissioner Jerry Meaux
- C. HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE, by 1st Vice Chairman Payton R. Covington
- D. AUDIT COMMITTEE, by Commissioner Aubrey LaPlace
- **E. LEGAL COMMITTEE**, by Commissioner Oscar J. Tolmas
- F. RACETRACK LIAISON COMMITTEE, by Commissioner J. D. Blondin
- G. SECURITY COMMITTEE, by Commissioner Kenneth "Kenu" Romero

V. LICENSE APPROVALS & REINSTATEMENTS

A. LICENSE APPROVALS (R.S. 4:150)

- 1. Jack Endacott, Groom
- 2. Patsy Perkins, Housekeeping
- 3. Randy Edison, Jockey

VI. ADJUDICATIONS

A. APPEALS (R.S. 4:154)

1. *Raleigh S. Cox III, Assistant Starter.* Fair Grounds ruling #12544 of 3/22/03 – human drug testing, 1st offense.

B. REFERRED (R.S. 4:172)

- 1. *Donnie J. Meche, Jr., Jockey.* Delta Downs ruling #12426 of 2/8/03 jockey's race performance.
- 2. *Joseph Alton Calais, Jockey.* Delta Downs ruling #12513 of 3/13/03 human drug testing, 6th offense.

VII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

EXECUTIVE SESSION TO DISCUSS LEGAL ISSUES.

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	Charles A. Gardiner III Executive Director
	Executive Director
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