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MEETING NOTICE

THE LOUISIANA STATE RACING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 2014 AT 9:00 AM 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 & HOTEL

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2014 QUARTER HORSE MEET

2. RACES

a. Approval of first condition book for 2014 quarter horse meet.

b. Approval of designated races for 2014 quarter horse meet:

4/25/14	Delta Dash
4/26/14	John Alleman Memorial RG-3
5/10/14	Mother's Day
5/16/14	The Old South Derby
5/17/14	The Old South Futurity
5/17/14	Delta 550 Championship
5/23/14	Lassie Futurity RG2
5/24/14	Laddie Futurity RG-2
5/24/14	Vinton RG-3
5/31/14	Develop a Plan Grade III
6/6/14	Virgil Bond
6/7/14	Vals Fortune RG-3
6/14/14	Louisiana Purchase (Non-winners of a Sweepstakes)
6/28/14	Alabama Futurity
6/28/14	Miss Polly Classic
7/3/14	Par-A-Dice Stake (Non-winners of a Sweepstakes)
7/4/14	Firecracker Futurity Grade II
7/5/14	Firecracker Derby
7/12/14	Delta Downs Derby RG-2
7/12/14	Lee Berwick Futurity RG-1
7/12/14	Louisiana Juvenile

- 7/12/14 Louisiana Starter
- 7/12/14 Live Oak
- 7/12/14 Flashy Hemp
- 7/12/14 Louisiana Classic RG-2
- 7/12/14 Flying Breed Stakes

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Approval of officials for 2014 quarter horse meet (4/25/14 - 7 /12/14):

- Chris Warren – Director of Racing
- John Simon – Racing Secretary
- Mohamed Ali Khan – Asst. Racing Secretary/Stakes Coordinator
- Steve Ruff and Galen Boutte – Association Stewards
- Duane Domingue – Paddock Judge/Alternate Association Steward
- Cindy Richards, Mark Gilbert & Jeff Jerman - alternate – Outriders
- Bob Beaubien – Trackman Supervisor
- Dennis Schmidt – Starter
- Jeff Jerman – Clerk of Scales
- Jason Grudzien – Head Clocker
- Susan Berard – Horse Identifier
- Cindy Eurich – Stall Superintendent
- Michael Bennett – Jocks Room Custodian/Assistant Clerk of Scales
- Steve Nick, Phillip Walker, Charles Sonnier & Rose Caster – Placing Judges/Racing Office Staff

b. Approval of Sam Lato to serve as state steward for 2014 quarter horse meet.

2014/2015 THOROUGHBRED MEET

4. LICENSE APPROVALS

a. Approval for 2014–2015 Thoroughbred race meet:

1. For 10 year license to own and operate a racetrack, per R.S. 4:158
2. For 10 year license to own and operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
3. To serve as concessionaire

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

a. Approval for 2014–2015 Thoroughbred meet:

1. Thoroughbred racing on the flat
2. 88 Thoroughbred race dates (10/15/14 through 3/14/15)
 - October 15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,29,30,31
 - November 1,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,25,26,28,29
 - December 3,4,5,6,10,11,12,13,17,18,19,20,22,23,26,27,31
 - January 1,2,3,7,8,9,10,14,15,16,17,21,22,23,24,28,29,30,31
 - February 4,5,6,7,11,12,13,14,18,19,20,21,25,26,27,28
 - March 4,5,6,7,11,12,13,14
3. Hold minimum of 9 live Thoroughbred races daily Wednesday through Saturday with the exception of live racing on Tuesday, November 25, 2014, Monday, December 22, 2014 & Tuesday, December 23, 2014.
4. Dark – no live racing on Thanksgiving Day, Thursday, November 27, 2014 and on Christmas Eve & Day, Wednesday & Thursday, December 24 & 25, 2014.
5. Daily post time 5:45 PM except for Jackpot Day (Saturday, November 22, 2014), 1:15 PM post time.

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

a. Approval for wagering format for 2014-2015 Thoroughbred race meet:

1. \$1 WPS & exacta on all races
2. 50¢ Trifecta on all races with 5 or more entries
3. 10¢ Superfecta on all races with 6 or more entries
4. 50¢ Rolling Pick 3 on 2nd thru last race
5. 50¢ Pick 4 on first 4 & last 4 races
6. 50¢ Pick 5 on last 5 races
7. \$1 Rolling Daily Double on first through last races

B. OLD EVANGELINE DOWNS d/b/a EVANGELINE DOWNS RACETRACK & CASINO

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2014 THOROUGHBRED MEET

2. RACES

a. Ratification of first condition book for 2014 Thoroughbred meet.

b. Ratification of designated races for 2014 Thoroughbred meet:

5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Sprint
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Mademoiselle
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Distaff
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Starter
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Classic
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Cheval
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Soiree
5/24/14	Louisiana Legends Turf
6/21/14	Evangeline Mile
6/21/14	Opelousas
6/21/14	Evangeline Downs Turf Sprint
7/5/14	D.S. "Shine" Young Futurity & Trials - Colts & Geldings
7/5/14	D.S. "Shine" Young Futurity & Trails - Fillies
8/30/14	Evangeline Downs Star
8/30/14	Evangeline Downs Starlet

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

a. Ratification of officials for 2014 Thoroughbred meet:

Chris Warren – Director of Racing Operations
Corey Veazey – Assistant Racing Secretary/Stakes Coordinator
*Frank Rudis – Association Steward
* Jeffrey Williams – Association Steward
Julie Gipson – Identifier
TBA – Paddock Judge
Ashley Simon –Placing Judge
Herman K. Patin - Clerk of Scales
Sandra Calais – Claims Clerk/Alternate Placing Judge
Mariah Quebedeaux – Placing Judge
Miranda Quebedeaux – Placing Judge
Brett Poole – Clocker
Russell Comeaux – Starter
Scott Cole – Outrider

Kenneth Gipson – Outrider
Robert Bard – Stall Superintendent
Garry Gallow – Track Superintendent
*new association steward

2014 QUARTER HORSE MEET

4. LICENSE APPROVALS

a. Approval for 2014 Quarter Horse meet:

1. For 10 year license to own and operate a racetrack, per R.S. 4:158
2. For 10 year license to own and operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
3. To serve as concessionaire
4. To operate as official training facility during off-season

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

a. Approval for 2014 Quarter Horse meet:

1. Quarter Horse racing on the flat
2. 46 Quarter Horse dates (10/1/14 through 12/20/14)
October 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,15,16,17,18,22,23,24,25,29,30,31
November 1,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,28,29
December 3,4,5,6,10,11,12,13,17,18,19,20
3. Hold minimum of 9 live Quarter Horse races daily (Wednesday through Saturday)
4. Daily post time 5:40 PM

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

a. Approval for wagering format for 2014 Quarter Horse meet:

1. WPS & Exacta on all races
2. Rolling Daily Double beginning with Race 1
3. Trifecta on all races complying with the *Rules of Racing* (§11115)
4. Rolling Pick 3's beginning with Race 2
5. Pick 4 on first 4 and last 4 races
6. Superfecta on all races complying with the *Rules of Racing* (§11701)

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

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2014 QUARTER HORSE MEET

2. LICENSE APPROVALS

a. Approval for 2014 Quarter Horse race meet:

1. 10 year license to own and operate a racetrack, per R.S. 4:158
2. 10 year license to own and operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
3. To serve as concessionaire

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

a. Approval for 2014 Quarter Horse race meet:

1. Quarter Horse racing on the flat
2. 10 Quarter Horse dates (8/15/14 through 8/30/14)

August 15,16,20,21,22,23,27,28,29,30

- 3. Hold up to 12 live Quarter Horse races daily.
- 4. Daily post time TBA

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

a. Approval for wagering format for 2014 Quarter Horse race meet:

- 1. WPS and Exactas on all races
- 2. Trifectas and Superfectas on all races that qualify
- 3. Rolling Pick 3 beginning on Race 1
- 4. Daily Double – on first 2 and last 2 races
- 5. Up to 2 Pick 4's
- 6. "Black Gold 5" on last 5 races

2014/2015 THOROUGHBRED MEET

5. LICENSE APPROVALS

a. Approval for 2014–2015 Thoroughbred race meet:

- 1. For 10 year license to own and operate a racetrack, per R.S. 4:158
- 2. For 10 year license to own and operate OTB locations, per R.S. 4:211 et seq.
- 3. To serve as concessionaire

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

a. Approval for 2014–2015 Thoroughbred race meet:

- 1. Thoroughbred racing on the flat
- 2. 80 Thoroughbred race dates (11/21/14 through 3/29/15)
 - November 21,22,24,27,28,29
 - December 1,4,5,6,8,11,12,13,15,18,19,20,22,26,27,28,29,31
 - January 1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,12,15,16,17,18,19,22,23,24,25,26,29,30,31
 - February 1,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,17,19,20,21,22,26,27,28
 - March 1,5,6,7,8,12,13,14,15,19,20,21,22,26,27,28,29
- 3. Hold up to 13 live Thoroughbred races daily
- 4. Daily post time TBA

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

a. Approval for wagering format for 2014–2015 Thoroughbred race meet:

- 1. WPS and Exactas on all races
- 2. Trifectas and Superfectas on all races that qualify
- 3. Rolling Pick 3 beginning on Race 1
- 4. Rolling Daily Double beginning on Race 1
- 5. Up to 2 Pick 4's
- 6. Super High 5 on last race
- 7. Pick 6 – on last 6 races

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

1. PROGRESS REPORT

2014 THOROUGHBRED MEET

2. RACES

- a. Approval of first condition book for 2014 Thoroughbred race meet.
- b. Approval of designated races for the 2014 Thoroughbred race meet:

Louisiana Cup Day

- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Juvenile
- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Juvenile Fillies
- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Filly & Mare Sprint
- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Sprint
- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Turf Classic
- 8/2/14 Louisiana Cup Distaff – Fillies & Mares
- 8/2/14 A.L. “Red” Erwin Sales Graduate
- 8/2/14 Elge Raspberry Sales Graduate - Fillies
- 8/2/14 Super Derby Prelude

Super Derby Day

- 9/6/14 LA Stallion Stakes - Fillies
- 9/6/14 LA Stallion Stakes – Colts & Geldings
- 9/6/14 Unbridled
- 9/6/14 River Cities – Fillies & Mares
- 9/6/14 Happy Ticket - Fillies
- 9/6/14 Sunday Silence
- 9/6/14 Super Derby (G2)

3. STEWARDS, OFFICIALS & MANAGEMENT

- a. Approval of officials for 2014 Thoroughbred meet:

Trent McIntosh – Director of Operations
David Heitzmann – Racing Secretary
Russell Ramstad – Assistant Racing Secretary
William Coleman – Association Steward
Charles Magee – Association Steward
Jimmy Cordell – Starter
Braulio Baeza, Sr. – Clerk of Scales
Richard Miguez - Custodian
Ronald Ramstad – Placing Judge
Koleen Karlin – Placing Judge
Jennifer Sokol – Placing Judge
Joseph Peluso – Paddock Judge
Tammy Peck – Horse Identifier
Lisa Lombardino – Program Coordinator/Claims
Betty Fetters – Clocker
Herbert Lambert – Clocker
Laura Hollowoa – Outrider
Juan Roman - Outrider

II. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- A. MEDICATION COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Thomas H. Grimstad, M.D.*
- B. RULES COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Keith W. Babb*
- C. LEGAL COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Bob F. Wright*
- D. SECURITY COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Kenneth “Kenu” Romero*
- E. RACETRACK/HBPA LIAISON COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Kevin S. Delahoussaye*
- F. CURRENT AFFAIRS & CONCERNS OF RACING COMMITTEE**, by *Committee Chairman Bob F. Wright*

III. OTHER

A. Training Tracks:

1. Review of applications for training track licenses pursuant to LAC 46: XLI.1903-1907.
 - a. Benton Training Center
 - b. The Training Center at Copper Crowne
 - c. Evangeline Enterprise, LLC
 - d. Folsom Training Center

IV. LICENSE APPROVAL

A. LICENSE APPROVAL

1. Garland W. Godfrey, Groom. Convicted felon.

V. ADJUDICATIONS

A. CLAIMING IRREGULARITIES

1. Brent C. Delahoussaye, Owner/Trainer. Ruling#DD20513 of 3/8/14 (*Adjudication Referred*)
2. Troy L. Scott, Owner. Ruling#DD20537 of 3/18/14 (*Adjudication Referred*)

B. VIOLATIONS OF LAC 35:I.1797 (*Equine Positives & Possession of Drugs, Needles & Syringes*)

1. Evigael Verdugo, Trainer (*Adjudications Referred/Appeal*)
 - a. Ruling#LD20509 of 3/3/14 – *Mephentermine (ARCI Category I)*
 - b. Ruling#LD20510 of 3/3/14 – *Mephentermine (ARCI Category I)*
 - c. Ruling#LD20532 of 3/17/14 – *Possession of Injectibles & Syringes*
2. Keith J. LeJeune, Assistant Starter/Pony Person. *Possession of Methamphetamine(Adjudication Referred)*

C. VIOLATIONS OF LAC 35:I.1791 (*Human Drug Testing*)

1. Marshall A. Hebert, Jockey. Ruling#DD20399 of 11/6/13 – *4th offense (Adjudication Referred/Appeal)*

VI. ADJOURNMENT



Charles A. Gardiner III
Executive Director

This notice was posted by the entrance of the Louisiana State Racing Commission, Tuesday, April 15, 2014 at 4:00PM.