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**Delaware Park  
Stewards Ruling**

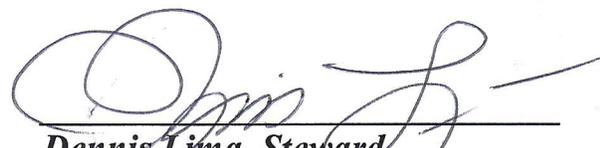
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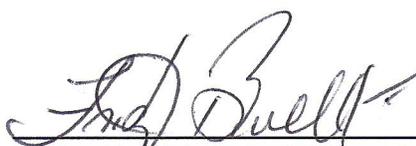
*A report from Dalare Associates, Inc., the official Chemists of the Delaware Thoroughbred Racing Commission, showed that the blood sample D-06991, taken from the horse "Tropical Deputy", who finished first in the eleventh race on Saturday, July 21, 2012, tested positive for "Phenylbutazone" in the amount of 5.22 micrograms per milliliter of plasma. The trainer of this horse, Ms. Heather Hollahan, SS#\*\*\*-\*\*-9183, DOB 07/13/1971, waived her right to a split sample.*

*As a result of the positive, Ms. Hollahan was noticed for a hearing. Having appeared for a hearing on Tuesday, August 7, 2012; Ms. Hollahan voluntarily waived her right to be represented by legal counsel. Under the authority of the Stewards, refer to D.T.R.C. 3.3.1, 3.3.3, 3.3.10, 3.4.1, 3.4.1.7, and based on evidence and testimony presented at the hearing, Ms. Hollahan was found to be in violation of D.T.R.C. Rules 7.3.1, 7.3.6, 7.3.9, 10.8.1, 10.8.1.3, 15.1, 15.1.1.1, 15.1.1.2, 15.1.2.2, 15.1.2.6, 15.1.2.7, 15.1.3.1, 15.1.3.1.1, 15.1.3.1.2, 15.1.3.1.3, 15.1.3.1.4, 15.1.3.1.5, 15.3.1. Ms. Hollahan for a first offence is fined the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars and suspended for seven (7) calendar days from Sunday, August 12, 2012 through and including Saturday, August 18, 2012. During the period of her suspension, she shall be denied the privileges of all grounds under the jurisdiction of the Delaware Racing Commission. Refer to D.T.R.C. Rules 3.3, 3.4, 3.4.1.3 and 3.4.1.15. Fine must be paid within 48 hours.*

*The horse "Tropical Deputy" is disqualified from all purse monies in the eleventh race on Saturday, July 21, 2012. The purse is ordered redistributed as follows: 1st – Beansntaters; 2nd – Copper Tiger; 3rd – Dylan the Deputy; 4th – Chasing Gold; 5th – Chasing The Cash; 6th – Cheswick; 7th – Mason; 8<sup>th</sup> – Tropical Deputy. This ruling in no way affects the pari-mutuel wagering in this race. Refer to D.R.C. Rules 17.6.1 and 17.7.*

  
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