



State of Washington
WASHINGTON HORSE RACING COMMISSION

WHRC Board of Stewards Report
Emerald Downs Race Meet

Report for **Saturday September 4, 2021**

Track Condition: **Fast**

SCRATCHES PRIOR TO POST TIME:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
5	3	Unlimiteddataplan	Roddina Barrett	Stewards	Re-Enter

SCRATCHES DURING RACES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
4	2	Turnaround	Rigoberto Velasquez	Veterinarian	Off In Post

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner	New Trainer
4	3	Christine's Jack	Dennis Snowden Or Dan Minardo Or Russ Nakagawa	Frank Lucarelli
6	1	Mean Sharon	Brad Boyce	Billy Christian
6	5	Perfect Blossom	Woodway Stable, Brian Nash & Ramsey Rutt	Blaine Wright

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	New Jockey
6	4	Teaspoon Of Pepper	Billy Christian	McKenna Anderson

Race 3

A Stewards Review was initiated to look into the start of #5 Freestone and contact between the #2 A Gem Is A Gem & #4 Perfect Dude in the lane. Simultaneous with the break #5 threw his head down and the Assistant Starter released the horse as soon as he could, it was deemed that the horse caused his own problem, and was deemed a starter. The contact between the #2 & #4 was deemed to be mutual and as such the Review was not escalated to an inquiry, and neither rider lodged an objection. Accordingly the Stewards Review was ended, and the results were declared official.

Race 7

A Stewards Review was posted and shortly after was quickly turned into an inquiry involving #4 Stay In Grace ridden by Juan Gutierrez, #6 Hold That Smile ridden by Alex Anaya & #7 Judicial ridden by Julien Couton. After reviewing the video replays and speaking to the riders involved, it was determined that #7 Judicial came over in the vicinity of the half-mile marker, bumping #6 into #4 sometime later came over without proper clearance, fouling #4 & #6. Accordingly #7 was disqualified from fourth and placed last behind #6. The inquiry sign was extinguished and the original order of finish of 3-1-2-7-4-5-6 was amended to 3-1-2-4-5-6-7 and declared official. A conference notice was prepared for Mr. Couton

Respectfully Submitted,

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Dan Bryson
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