

FINES AND SUSPENSIONS BULLETIN

Fri, Dec 28 - Thu, Jan 3

PART ONE

The following action has been taken by the United States Trotting Association. This information is in an abbreviated form.

***** NO RECORDS FOUND *****

PART TWO - MAJOR PENALTIES

The following actions published herein and imposed pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Racing Commissions of the various states and provinces are given full faith and credit and strictly enforced by the United States Trotting Association consistent with the provisions of USTA Rule 22, Section 13 and 14 relative to RECIPROCITY OF PENALTIES. The fact that there is no separate action taken by the USTA in the form of a "ruling of reciprocity" shall not be construed as a failure to recognize and/or reciprocate with those published penalties.

Please note that the following action is in an abbreviated form. Further information may be available by contacting the Racing Commissions or their representatives.

BOWERS, JASON ALAN **SUDLERSVILLE, MD** **YOB 1986**
DD on 12/20/2018 **FINED: \$1,000**

POSITIVE TEST- PRE RACE

Jason Bowers being Trainer of record on the horse Bad Man Sam, is fined \$1,000.00 and Bad Man Sam is placed on the Steward`s List for 14 days for failing a Pre-Race Test on December 20, 2018. Any horse that tests at a base excess level of 12.4mmol/l (m Eqll) or higher for a Lasix treated horse is a POSITIVE. Bad Man Sam tested at 13.1 mmo/l. After 14 days Bad Man Sam must pass a Blood Gas Test and Re-Qualify to compete in purse events. DHRC rule: 8.9; 8.9.1; 8.9.14.2.1; 8.9.15.1.1; 8.9.15.1.2. All fines are to be paid within 10 days of written rule. Appeals are due within 48 hours of written rule. Mr. Bowers had a Judge`s hearing on January 1, 2019 at Dover Downs.

BURKE, RONALD J **CANONSBURG, PA** **YOB 1969**
Nfld on 11/12/2018 **FINED: \$1,000**

**FULL - 30 DAYS, 1/16/2019 THRU
2/14/2019**

**HORSE DISQUALIFIED, PURSE
REDISTRIBUTION**

APPEALED - 12/26/2018

POSITIVE TEST- POST RACE

Blood sample #850382 collected at Northfield Park on 11/12/18 from the horse Rock N Tony was found to contain gabapentin. All purse money must be returned for redistribution (\$5,250.00). O.S.R.C.-3769-18-01(B)(10)&(13)

18-02 18-99 3769-17-30(B) 17-33 17-43 Mr. Burke is barred from all grounds governed by the OSRC during his suspension. Any horses under his care that he wants to transfer to another owner or trainer must be approved by the judges or the OSRC.

Status as of 12/26/2018 - Appeal

CAMPOLONG, VINCENT J **POUGHKEEPSIE, NY** **YOB 1989**

MR on 12/26/2018 FULL - 15 DAYS, 12/27/2018 THRU 1/10/2019

REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO URINE TEST

You failed to provide a urine specimen upon request at Monticello Raceway on 12/26/18. Suspended 15 days, from 12/26/18 through 1/10/19. You must submit to a test and provide a clean sample before you can participate.

GREEN, JASON C **HARRINGTON, DE** **YOB 1985**
DD on 12/18/2018 OTHER(AAL99) AS OF 1/1/2019

POSITIVE TEST - ILLEGAL SUBSTANCE TEST

Driver Jason Green is summarily suspended pending a judge`s hearing. Mr. Green had a scheduled judge`s hearing on 1-2-19. Mr. Green requested a postponement which was granted by the Judges. Mr. Green will remain suspended until such hearing is conducted. DHRC rule 10.2.3.1.

KATZ, EVAN A **SEAFORD, NY** **YOB 1964**
Mea on 12/26/2018 FINED: \$50

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF 12/27/2018

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Code Title 58-183.266,183.267(8). Mr. Katz failed to complete his licensing requirements in Pennsylvania. He is hereby fined \$50, and issued an indefinite suspension beginning December 27, 2018 until such time the licensing requirements are completed. During the term of suspension, Mr. Katz is banned from all racing activities otherwise permitted if properly licensed by the Commission. The fine is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Katz has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

PAPALEO, GREGORY H **REHOBOTH BEACH, DE** **YOB 1950**
Mea on 12/26/2018 FINED: \$50
INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF

12/27/2018

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Code Title 58-183.266,183.267(8). Mr. Papaleo failed to complete his licensing requirements in Pennsylvania. He is hereby fined \$50, and issued an indefinite suspension beginning December 27, 2018 until such time he completes his licensing requirements. During the term of his suspension, he is banned from all racing activities otherwise permitted if properly licensed by the Commission. The fine is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Papaleo has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

PELTOLA, ANTTI J

Mea on 12/26/2018

MIKKELI

FINED: \$50

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF
12/27/2018

YOB 1970

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Code Title 58-183.266,183.267(8). Owner Antti Peltola failed to complete their licensing requirements in Pennsylvania. Antti Peltola is hereby fined \$50, and issued an indefinite suspension beginning December 27, 2018 until such time the licensing requirements are completed. During the term of suspension, Antti Peltola is banned from all racing activities otherwise permitted if properly licensed by the Commission. The fine is due within 10 days of this ruling. Antti Peltola has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

TIMMINS, ANTHONY

Mea on 12/26/2018

BIRMINGHAM

FINED: \$50

INDEFINITE SUSPENSION(IND) AS OF
12/27/2018

YOB 1983

FAILURE TO OBTAIN PROPER LICENSE

PA Code Title 58-183.266,183.267(8). Mr. Timmins failed to complete his licensing requirements in Pennsylvania. He is hereby fined \$50, and issued an indefinite suspension beginning December 27, 2018 until such time he completes the requirements. During the term of his suspension, he is banned from all racing activities otherwise permitted if properly licensed by the Commission. The fine is due within 10 days of this ruling. Mr. Timmins has 10 days to appeal this decision to the Pennsylvania State Horse Racing Commission, Bureau of Standardbred Racing.

PART THREE - WHIPPING VIOLATIONS

LAKE, DAVID R Nfld on 12/22/2018	RIVES JUNCTION, MI FINED: \$300	YOB 1970
EXCESSIVE OR INDISCRIMINATE USE OF WHIP		
While driving #7 Onyourmarknatava in race 12 on 12/22/18 he did whip in an exaggerated manner by raising his whipping arm above shoulder height and using more than elbow and wrist action. O.S.R.C.-3769-17-17(B)&(C) 17-99		
SHETLER, ANDY R PPk on 12/26/2018	CHESTERFIELD, IN FINED: \$100	YOB 1973
INAPPROPRIATE USE OF THE WHIP		
In the 4th race on 12/26/2018 Mr. Shetler did violate the whipping rule. Fines are due 7 days from action date.		

PART FOUR - MINOR PENALTIES

CHUPP, MARION W Nfld on 12/29/2018	MILLERSBURG, OH FINED: \$50	YOB 1988
FAILURE TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE OR PROPER DECLARATION INFORMATION		
COLLINS, DEAN T Mea on 12/28/2018	WASHINGTON, PA FINED: \$200 HORSE PLACED 4	YOB 1957
CHANGING COURSE/CAUSING INTERFERENCE		
MILLNER, JESSICA E Nfld on 12/26/2018	LITCHFIELD, OH FINED: \$50	YOB 1991
LATE DRIVER CHANGE		
MORGAN, ANTHONY N DD on 1/1/2019	WARWICK, MD FINED: \$100	YOB 1958
INSIDE THE EURO RAIL / PYLON VIOLATION		
SOWERS, MCGWIRE P MR on 12/27/2018	WINDSOR, ME DRIVING - 3 DAYS, 12/31/2018 THRU 1/2/2019	YOB 2000
TAKE UP ABRUPTLY/SIT DOWN IN FRONT OF HORSES CAUSING		

CONFUSION AMONG TRAILING HORSES

STAHL, RYAN R

Nfld on 12/26/2018

LET A HORSE PASS INSIDE NEEDLESSLY

REPUBLIC, OH

FINED: \$100

YOB 1978

ZUBKOFF, EDWARD J JR

Nfld on 12/28/2018

LATE DRIVER CHANGE

WINTERSVILLE, OH

FINED: \$50

YOB 1962