



WITHDRAWAL OF ECM CHARGE

ADMC Program Rule 3312/Presence of a Controlled Medication Substance

Covered Person: Doug O'Neill

Covered Horses: What A Dude

Upon further investigation into the administration of Furosemide, additional analysis was performed on each of the tubes containing the blood Sample collected from the Covered Horse What A Dude after Race 6 at Santa Rosa Racetrack in Santa Rosa, California on August 16, 2024. As a result of this analysis, HIWU determined that it could not pursue an ECM Charge against the Responsible Person Doug O'Neill for a violation of ADMC Program Rule 3312 (Presence of a Controlled Medication Substance) and withdrew the ECM Charge that had been previously served upon Mr. O'Neill.

Based upon the range of the estimated concentrations detected in each of the blood tubes analyzed, the actual concentration of Furosemide in the collected Sample could not be determined with sufficient certainty, and HIWU, in fairness, withdrew the Charge.

Under ADMC Program Rules, where the administration of Furosemide is permitted by exemption, the Screening Limit for the substance is 100 ng/mL in serum or plasma.