

TITLE 325. OKLAHOMA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

CHAPTER 20. RACING OFFICIALS AND RACING PERSONNEL

325:20-1-12. Stewards' list

The Stewards shall maintain a Stewards' List of those horses which, in their opinion or pursuant to any rule, are ineligible to be entered in any race because of poor or inconsistent performance ~~such as~~ including, but not limited to, bolting, badly beaten, erratic behavior, questions concerning ownership by a suspended or non-licensed person, suspended trainer awaiting proper transfer of horse, eligibility, ownership dispute, claim protest, identification of the horse, or for any other reason that might affect the integrity or welfare of racing. ~~Such~~ A horse included on the Stewards' List shall be refused entry not be eligible to enter or compete in a race until it has fulfilled the requirements specified by the Stewards and it can be is removed from the Stewards' List list.

325:20-1-23. Veterinarian's List

~~The Official Veterinarian shall maintain a list of all horses who in their opinion are incapable of safely performing in a race and are, therefore, ineligible to be entered or started in a race. Such horse may be removed from the Veterinarian's List when in the opinion of the Official Veterinarian the horse has satisfactorily recovered the capability of performing in a race. The criteria for placing a horse on the Veterinarian's List shall include but not be limited to the shedding of blood from one or both nostrils following exercise or the performance in a race, and the running of a temperature unnatural to the horse.~~

(a) The Official Veterinarian shall maintain a list of all horses determined to be unfit to compete in a race due to illness, unsoundness, injury, infirmity, administration of a substance, or any other assessment or determination by the Official Veterinarian or Racing Veterinarian that the horse is unfit to compete in a race.

(b) A horse placed on the Veterinarian's List due to illness, injury, or infirmity may be released from the list at the discretion of the Official Veterinarian.

(c) A horse placed on the Veterinarian's List for unsoundness or lameness may be released from the list after the following:

(1) The horse demonstrates to the satisfaction of the Official Veterinarian or Racing Veterinarian that the horse is serviceably sound and in fit physical condition to exert its best effort in a race; and/or

(2) The horse submits to a post work official sample collection for laboratory confirmation for compliance at the expense of the current owner. Samples shall be subjected to the same testing as conducted for post-race official samples. The presence of a prohibited substance in the post work sample, or the presence of a permitted substance in excess of commission post-race threshold levels or stacking rules, shall result in the horse remaining on the Veterinarian's List.