

BEFORE THE BOARD OF STEWARDS

MOUNTAINEER RACETRACK

RULING

RULING #1

DATE: 01/17/2025

NAME: Wilfrido Montano

DOB: 07/30/1969

PERMIT#: 74616- Owner/Trainer

The Stewards hereby impose the following penalty:

A hearing was convened on Wednesday, January 15, 2025 for Owner/Trainer Wilfrido Montano regarding allegations that he had violated WV Rules of Racing #178-1-24.11.e, 178-1-24.11.q, and 178-1-24.11.gg. Multiple horses under Mr. Montano's care were severely malnourished without food, water, or medical treatment.

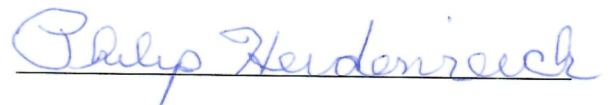
The Board of Stewards finds Mr. Montano to be in violation of the aforementioned rules and is hereby fined five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars and his owner/trainer and authorized agents permits are revoked. Mr. Montano is permanently ineligible to hold a permit in West Virginia and is denied the grounds under the jurisdiction of the West Virginia Racing Commission.

All fines imposed by the stewards shall be paid to the Racing Commission within 7 days after the ruling is issued, unless otherwise ordered by the Stewards, per WV Rule of Racing number 178-1-8.5.n.

You have the right to appeal this ruling to the Racing Commission. Your appeal must be received in the Commission Office within 20 days of your receipt of the ruling and must include a security fee in the amount of \$500.00.



Chief Steward



Steward