



Standardbred Official Ruling

Ruling Number 1606954

Licence No.: HPC2538

Date: February 14, 2022

**IN THE MATTER OF THE *HORSE RACING LICENCE ACT, 2015*,
S.O. 2015, c.38, Sched. 9;
AND IN THE MATTER OF Jean Guy BELLIVEAU**

On December 7, 2021, the standardbred horse "YARIS SEELSTER" (tattoo number 1NM66) finished third (7th) in the sixth (6th) race at Western Fair Raceway. "YARIS SEELSTER" is trained by Jean Belliveau "BELLIVEAU".

On December 10, 2021, Racing Forensics Inc. reported that the blood sample with Test Tag number 492134112, contained TC02 with a value measured at 38 mmol/L.

TAKE NOTICE that based on the above BELLIVEAU is found to have violated 22.38 (a), 26.02.01, 26.02.02 and 26.02.03 (d) of the Rules of Standardbred Racing.

Accordingly, in accordance with Rules 6.01, 6.04, 9.08.2, 22.38.06 of the Rules of Standardbred Racing and Policy Directive 1-2018, BELLIVEAU is hereby fully suspended for FORTY FIVE days (45) (March 2, 2022 to April 15, 2022, inclusive) and issued a monetary penalty of two twenty-five hundred (\$2,500) dollars.

TAKE NOTICE that all horses owned in whole or in part are suspended and are not eligible to race during the suspension period. All horses may with the consent of the AGCO Racing Officials be released to another trainer in accordance with Rules 6.13.01 and 26.08. All purse monies shall be returned for redistribution. In accordance with Rules 9.13 and 18.08.01, "YARIS SEELSTER" is hereby declared unplaced for all purposes, with the exception of Pari-Mutuel Wagering. The revised order of finish for Race 6 at Western Fair Raceway on December 7, 2021 is as follows:

1 st	#1	Livin Large
2 nd	#3	Devils Peak – Dead Heat
2 nd	#8	Shadow Tail – Dead Heat
4 th	#5	Mr Mach Jimmy
5 th	#4	Come On Barney
6 th	#6	Mo Bettor
	#7	YARIS SEELSTER - disqualified

The following terms are added to BELLIVEAU's license: two years of probation commencing (April 16, 2022 to April 15, 2024, inclusive), pursuant to Rule 6.01 (d) of the Rules of Standardbred Racing and Policy Directive No. 3-2008.

1. The Licensee is required to complete the AGCO Equine Medication Use and Awareness Program before reinstatement;
2. The Licensee shall keep the peace and be of good behaviour;
3. The Licensee may be subject to a Notice of Proposed Order in addition to any penalty imposed by the AGCO Judges for any breach of the terms of their license.

BY ORDER OF

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Brent Stone
Director, Regulatory Compliance Branch