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TORONTO, ONTARIO – December 20, 2018

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HORSE RACING LICENCE ACT, 2015;
S.O. 2015, c.38, Sched. 9;
AND IN THE MATTER OF BRUCE CLEAVER, LICENCE NO. C18980**

On November 1, 2018, the standardbred horse "Iam What I Am" (freeze brand #2NP88) finished third (3rd) in the second (2nd) race at Mohawk Raceway. "Iam What I Am" is trained by Bruce Cleaver "Cleaver".

On November 3, 2018, Racing Forensics Inc. reported that the blood sample with Test Tag number 531830503, contained TC02 with a value measured at 37.7 mmol/L.

On November 5, 2018, the Racing Officials matched Test Tag 531830503 to the sample taken from "Iam What I am", on November 1, 2018 and notified Cleaver of the positive test.

TAKE NOTICE that based on the above Cleaver 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 and Policy Directive 1-2018, Cleaver is hereby fully suspended for ninety (45) days (December 26, 2018 to February 8, 2019) and issued a monetary penalty of two thousand and five hundred (\$2,500) dollars.

In accordance with Alcohol, Gaming and Racing Standardbred Rule 18.08.01, "Iam What I Am" is hereby declared unplaced for all purposes with the exception of Pari-Mutuel Wagering. The revised order of finish for Race 2 at Mohawk on November, 2018 is as follows:

1 st	#4	Charlie Ona Harley
2 nd	#9	Johnny Bravo
3 rd	#7	Fight Again
4 th	#8	Leaderofthepack
5 th	#5	Draft Year
6 th	#3	Master Switch
7 th	#6	Eddy
8 th	#1	TLF Beware
		Iam What I am - disqualified

The following terms are added to Cleaver's license: two years of probation commencing (February 9, 2019 to February 8, 2021, inclusive), pursuant to Rule 6.01 (d) of the Rules of Standardbred Racing and Policy Directive No. 3-2008.

1. The Licensee shall keep the peace and be of good behaviour;
2. The Licensee shall allow Commission Inspectors access to his stabling area at any time to conduct unannounced random searches for illegal or non-therapeutic medications or drugs;
3. The Licensee shall allow commission inspectors to seize any illegal or non-therapeutic medications or drugs found at his stabling area;
4. The Licensee shall be subjected to the AGCO's Out of Competition Program; and
5. 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



Fred Bertucca
Deputy Registrar and
Deputy Chief Operating Officer