

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING
HELD ON MARCH 22, 1983

A. MINUTES:

1. The Board approved its minutes of its meeting held on February 28, 1983.
2. The Board approved its minutes of its Special Board meeting held on March 7, 1983.

B. FOR ENTRY INTO THE MINUTES:

1. ROOSEVELT RACEWAY - SPECIAL PROMOTION. For entry into the minutes, the Board's prior approval of March 11, 1983 of request by Roosevelt Raceway to conduct a special promotion entitled "Fan Appreciation Week" beginning March 21st and ending March 26, 1983, as outlined in their letter of March 9, 1983.

C. FOR BOARD APPROVAL:

1. WESTERN REGION OTB - FINGER LAKES. The Board approved the request by Western Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to broadcast "live" calls of Finger Lakes races into Western Region branch offices during the 1983 racing season.
2. FINGER LAKES - PROMOTION. The Board approved the request by Finger Lakes Racing Association to have the total admission price for "Group Parties" at \$.75.
3. NYRA - INVITATIONAL HANDICAPPER'S CHALLENGE X. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for approval of the Invitational Handicapper's Challenge X, as outlined in their letter of March 9, 1983.
4. NYRA - PROMOTION. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for a promotion whereby all paid admission patrons who attend Belmont on Sunday, May 22, 1983 will be presented a coupon book good for reduced or free admission, as outlined in their letter of March 9, 1983.
5. CAPITAL OTB - HUDSON FALLS. The Board deferred the request by Capital Off-Track Betting Corporation to amend its plan of operation to include the County of Washington and to open a parlor in Hudson Falls.
6. NYRA - BELMONT. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for a reduced admission program whereby paid admission patrons at Belmont on opening day, May 18, 1983 will be presented a coupon exchangeable for free admission on Sunday, June 5, 1983.

7. IN THE MATTER OF - ANGEL CORDERO, JR. The Board affirmed its previous decision imposing a seven (7) day suspension and determined that the suspension shall commence on April 21, 1983 through and including April 27, 1983. This change will eliminate any unnecessary inference that the Board decided the dates before the Board meeting.
 8. HEARING OFFICER REPORT IN THE MATTER OF - ARMANDO T. PIPOLO. The Board confirmed the Hearing Officer's recommendation of refusal of a 1982 harness owner's license.
 9. HEARING OFFICER REPORT IN THE MATTER OF - FRANK A. PIPOLO. The Board confirmed the Hearing Officer's recommendation of refusal of a 1982 harness owner's license and refusal of 1983 application.
 10. WESTERN REGION OTB - ELLICOTT SQUARE. The Board deferred the request by Western Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to establish a "VIB" branch within the City of Buffalo (Ellicott Square).
 11. NYRA - JOHN T. LANDRY. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for approval that Mr. John T. Landry may assume a position on the NYRA Board of Trustees.
 12. NYRA - WOOD MEMORIAL. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for approval of signed agreements between NYRA, Turf Paradise, Louisiana Downs and Sportman's Park for the simulcasting of the Wood Memorial on April 23, 1983.
- D. FOR BOARD NOTICE AND INFORMATION:
1. Letter of N. Miller to the Racing Board, dated 2/28/83 re: Racing Dates for Historic Track - NOTED.
 2. Letter of S. Gross to N. Rudolph, dated 3/16/83 re: Jim Beam Spiral Stakes - NOTED.
 3. Letter of A. Coraci to Chairman Van Lindt, dated 3/14/83 re: Expansion of Simulcasting - Suffolk Region Off-Track Betting Corporation Branches - NOTED.
 4. The Board took note of the passing of Lillian Corbisiero, the mother of Richard F. Corbisiero, Jr., the Board's Executive Director. The Board directed that a letter expressing its deepest sympathy be sent to the family.

MINUTES OF BOARD MEETING
HELD ON FEBRUARY 28, 1983

A meeting of the New York State Racing and Wagering Board was held on February 28, 1983, at 10:30 AM at the Board office, Two World Trade Center, New York, New York 10047.

The meeting being called on February 25, 1983, public notice of the meeting was given to the Associated Press and UPI and to the public by posting in the Board's reception area on the 74th Floor and also on the 44th Floor.

PRESENT: John Van Lindt, Chairman
Bertram Sarafan, Member
Joseph O'Dea, Member

ALSO PRESENT: Richard F. Corbisiero, Jr., Executive Director
Salvatore Curiale, Counsel
Victor A. Cocozziello, Director of Wagering Systems
Kenneth Beh, Director of Public Relations
Herman Kluge, Director of Licensing, Investigations and Audits
Dr. Norman Lewis, Chief State Racing Veterinarian
David Vaughan, Assistant Counsel
Jacob Iberger, Chief of Racing Operations
Eileen Clarke, OTB Operations Coordinator
Dorothy Rakowski, Quarter Horse Racing and
Thomas C. Davide, Secretary to the Board

A. MINUTES:

1. The Board approved its minutes of its meeting held on January 26, 1983.

B. FOR ENTRY INTO THE MINUTES:

1. CHARLES HOUGH - RECOMMENDATION TO REDUCE PERIOD OF SUSPENSION. For entry into the minutes, the Board's prior approval of February 4, 1983 to reduce the period of suspension of Harness Trainer, Charles Hough, to the time he has already served.
2. ROBERT M. KOLACHIK - RECOMMENDATION TO REDUCE PERIOD OF SUSPENSION. For entry into the minutes, the Board's prior approval of February 4, 1983 to reduce the period of suspension of Harness Trainer, Robert M. Kolachik, to the time he has already served.
3. INGVAR GRAHN - REDUCTION OF PERIOD OF SUSPENSION. For entry into the minutes, the Board's prior approval of February 4, 1983 to reduce the period of suspension of trainer, Ingvar Grahn, to the time he has already served.

C. FOR BOARD APPROVAL:

1. SARATOGA RACEWAY - PROMOTION. The Board approved the request by Saratoga Raceway to inform local radio station WSCG of the results and payoffs of their evening race programs to be broadcast on a delayed basis.
2. NEW YORK CITY OTB - KEYSTONE. The Board approved the request by New York City Off-Track Betting Corporation to broadcast delayed audio calls from Keystone on "dark" Tuesdays and any other NYRA dark days.
3. NYRA - CERTAIN RACING OFFICIALS. The Board approved the request by New York Racing Association for approval of the appointment of Doctor W. Theodore Hill, D.V.M. as NYRA's Chief Examining Veterinarian. Also approved was their request for approval of Neal Cutrone as a Patrol and Placing Judge.
4. ROOSEVELT RACEWAY - CONDITIONS. The Board approved the request by Roosevelt Raceway for approval of the proposed conditions for the Roosevelt Stakes No. 10, as outlined in their letter of February 10, 1983. These conditions as submitted remain the same as last year.
5. APPRENTICE ALLOWANCE - THERESA M. POWERS. The Board approved the request by Jockey Theresa M. Powers for a forty-two (42) day extension of her apprentice allowance due to expire on May 22, 1983. This request is a result of illness. If approved her allowance would expire June 13, 1983.

6. WESTERN REGION OTB - WYOMING COUNTY. The Board denied the request by Western Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to establish a branch in Arcade, Wyoming County.
7. NEW YORK CITY OTB - HIALEAH PARK. The Board approved the request by New York City Off-Track Betting Corporation to accept wagering and to broadcast delayed audio calls from Hialeah Park on NYRA dark days. The Board noted that the submitted contract is for a five (5) year period, however, the Board approval is limited to 1983.
8. WESTERN REGION OTB - CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY. The Board approved the request by Western Region Off-Track Betting Corporation for a six month extension of its branch located on Shortman Road in Ripley (Chautauqua County).
9. HEARING OFFICER REPORT IN THE MATTER OF - CATHEDRAL AMERICAN LEGION. The Board affirmed the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the licensee's Games-of-Chance identification number and municipal license be suspended for a period of six months, however, that the execution of such suspension be suspended. (Consideration given to dire financial situation of the organization.)
10. HEARING OFFICER REPORT IN THE MATTER OF - SACRED HEART CHURCH. The Board affirmed the Hearing Officer's recommendation that the licensee's Bingo identification number and municipal license be suspended for two bingo occasions scheduled for March 18, 1983 and March 25, 1983 and that the fees paid for such bingo occasions be forfeited.
11. WESTERN REGION OTB - GENESEO. DECISION PENDING RECEIPT OF ONE YEAR LEASE.
12. CAPITAL OTB - HUDSON FALLS. The Board deferred the request by Capital Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to amend its plan of operations to include the County of Washington and to open a parlor in Hudson Falls.
13. NEW YORK CITY OTB - JIM BEAM SPIRAL STAKES. The Board approved the request by New York City Off-Track Betting Corporation to accept wagers on the Jim Beam Spirial Stakes, to take place on March 26, 1983 at Latonia Race Course.
14. WESTERN REGION OTB - ELLICOTT SQUARE. The Board deferred the request by Western Region Off-Track Betting Corporation to establish a "VIB" branch within the City of Buffalo (Ellicott Square) as outlined in their letter of October 12, 1982.

15. MULTIPLE OWNERSHIP RULES. The Board approved the proposed rule changes to the Multiple Ownership Rules - 4002.9(b)(1), 4107.2 and 4205.1(g), which were submitted.
16. VERNON DOWNS - PROMOTION. The Board approved the request by Vernon Downs to hold promotions as outlined in their letter of February 17, 1983.
17. BATAVIA DOWNS - 1983 LICENSE AMENDMENT. The Board approved the request by Batavia Downs to add a late double to their daily racing program. This late double would involve the seventh and eighth races regardless of the total number of races used.
18. HEARING OFFICER REPORT IN THE MATTER OF - GARY MESSENGER. The Board accepted the Hearing Officer's report and recommended that Mr. Gary Messenger's license be revoked.

D. FOR BOARD NOTICE AND INFORMATION:

1. NYS REGISTER - January 26, 1983 re: Claiming Rules in Thoroughbred and Harness Racing - NOTED.
2. Memo of E. Clarke to T. David dated February 3, 1983 re: Broome County - James R. Ballus - NOTED.