

State of Texas
Texas Racing Commission

Official Ruling # RETA1970

of the

Board of Stewards

RETAMA PARK

ASSN STAFF	VILLANUEVA, BRANDON	License #	139269
Ruling Date:	09/20/2008	Violation Date:	09/19/2008
Redistribute Purse:	No		

Rules Violated:

311.301 UNAUTHORIZED USE/POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE/DRUG

ASSN. STAFF, BRANDON LEE VILLANUEVA, UPON BEING DULY NOTIFIED, WAIVED HIS RIGHT TO A FORMAL HEARING BEFORE THE RETAMA PARK BOARD OF STEWARDS ON 09/18/2008 AND PURSUANT TO AN AGREED SETTLEMENT IS HEREBY SUSPENDED AT LEAST 30 DAYS, COMMENCING ON 09/20/2008. MR. VILLANUEVA ADMITTED TO HIS RECENT USE OF A PROHIBITED SUBSTANCE (MARIJUANA) AND WAIVED THE OPPORTUNITY TO PROVIDE A URINE ANALYSIS. REINSTATEMENT IS CONTINGENT UPON A SATISFACTORY EVALUATION BY THE TEXAS RACING COMMISSION MEDICAL REVIEW OFFICER, SUBMISSION OF A NEGATIVE URINE TEST SAMPLE AND COMPLIANCE WITH ANY REHABILITATION, AFTERCARE OR FURTHER TESTING REQUIRED. DURING THE TERM OF THIS SUSPENSION, MR. VILLANUEVA IS DENIED ACCESS TO ALL AREAS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE TEXAS RACING COMMISSION.

(1ST VIOLATION)

By Order of the Board of Stewards

RICKY WALKER

FRED WINCH JR

JOHN FERRARA JR