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Proposed Permanent Rules Relating to Horse Racing

7876.0100 ON-TRACK STABLING.

[For text of subps 1 to 9, see M.R.]

Subp. 10. **Original health certificate.** Any horse arriving on the grounds must be accompanied by an original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The health certificate must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infections anemia test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test. The health certificate must be surrendered to the stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. The health certificate will remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new health certificate. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival.

Subp. 11. Record of negative test for equine piroplasmosis. When an active case of equine piroplasmosis (EP) is reported by a government agency within North America, the Racing Commission, the executive director, or the deputy director, in consultation with the chief commission veterinarian, has the authority to require proof of an equine piroplasmosis (EP) test taken within 12 months of the date of entry upon the racetrack when a horse enters or is already on the confines of the racetrack. No horse shall be allowed to enter the confines of any association holding a license to conduct a race meeting or race in Minnesota unless the horse has had the required test. The test must indicate a negative result for *Theileria equi* and *Babesia caballi*. Record of the negative test shall be attached to the certificate of veterinarian inspection (CVI) and presented at the stable gate when the horse first enters the confines.

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[For text of subps 1 to 3, see M.R.]

Subp. 4. **Original health certificate.** Any horse arriving on the grounds must be accompanied by an original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The health certificate must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infections anemia test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test. The health certificate must be surrendered to the stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. Trainers with horses shipping in and out with health certificates originating within Minnesota may obtain a copy of the horse's certificate from the commission veterinarian allowing them 30 days of use. Day one begins with the original issue date. The health certificate will remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new health certificate. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival.

Subp. 5. Record of negative test for equine piroplasmosis. When an active case of equine piroplasmosis (EP) is reported by a government agency within North America, the Racing Commission, the executive director, or the deputy director, in consultation with the chief commission veterinarian, has the authority to require proof of an equine piroplasmosis (EP) test taken within 12 months of the date of entry upon the racetrack when a horse enters or is already on the confines of the racetrack. No horse shall be allowed to enter the confines of any association holding a license to conduct a race meeting or race in Minnesota unless the horse has had the required test. The test must indicate a negative result for *Theileria equi* and *Babesia caballi*. Record of the negative

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test shall be attached to the certificate of veterinarian inspection (CVI) and presented at the stable gate when the horse first enters the confines.

7876.0120 ON- AND OFF-TRACK STABLING OF NONRACING HORSES.

Any horse arriving on the grounds must be accompanied by an original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to the arrival. The health certificate must be completed by an accredited veterinarian and must contain complete equine infectious anemia (EIA) test results, including the date, laboratory, and accession number of the most recent negative EIA test. The health certificates must be surrendered to stable gate personnel for immediate transmittal to the commission veterinarian. Trainers with horses shipping in and out with health certificates originating within Minnesota may obtain a copy of the horse's certificate from the commission veterinarian allowing them 30 days of use. Day one begins with the original issue date: The health certificate shall remain valid for 30 days from the date of issue, with the date of issue counted as day one. Horses leaving the facility and returning during this 30-day period do not have to be accompanied by a new health certificate. Horses leaving and returning after the 30-day period will need to be accompanied by a new original health certificate issued not more than ten days prior to arrival. The horse must also have a negative equine piroplasmosis test as prescribed in part 7876.0100, subpart 11, or 7876.0110, subpart 5.

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3.21 Subp. 11a. **Intra-articular (IA).** "Intra-articular" or "IA" means in the joint space.

Subp. 11b. Intramuscular (IM). "Intramuscular" or "IM" means in the muscle.

Subp. 11c. **Intravenous (IV).** "Intravenous" or "IV" means in the vein.

Subp. 11a 11d. **Ketoprofen.** "Ketoprofen" is a nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drug with the chemical name 2-(3-benzoylphenyl)propionic acid.

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Subp. 12a. Limit of detection (LOD). "Limit of detection" or "LOD" means the lowest concentration of the drug that can be detected by a particular laboratory method.

Subp. 12b. Limit of quantitation (LOQ). "Limit of quantitation" or "LOQ" means the lowest concentration of the drug that can be reliably quantified by a particular laboratory method and is generally higher than the LOD.

Subp. 13. **Medication.** "Medication" is a substance, compound, or element, or combination thereof, which is or can be administered to a horse for the purpose of preventing, curing, or alleviating the effects of any disease, condition, ailment, or infirmity, or symptom thereof, or for altering in any way the behavior, attitude, temperament, or performance of a horse, including athletic performance. The term medication includes all analgesics, anesthetics, depressants, narcotics, stimulants, tranquilizers, and other classifications of medications. Nothing herein shall be deemed to include:

A. The following Nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs (NSAIDs):

- (1) The use of one of the three approved NSAIDs shall be permitted under the following conditions:
- (1) (a) bute, provided that the test sample does not contain more than the five micrograms of the substance or metabolites metabolite(s) thereof per milliliter of blood plasma permitted in Minnesota Statutes, section 240.24, subdivision 2 or serum;
- (2) (b) flunixin, provided that the test sample does not contain more than 20 nanograms of the substance or metabolites metabolite(s) thereof per milliliter of blood plasma or serum; and
- (3) (c) ketoprofen, provided that the test sample does not contain more than ten nanograms of the substance or metabolites metabolite(s) thereof per milliliter of blood plasma or serum.

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5.1	(2) No NSAIDs can be administered within the 24 hours before post time
5.2	for the race in which the horse is entered. The use of all but one of the approved NSAIDs
5.3	shall be discontinued at least 48 hours before the post time for the race in which the
5.4	horse is entered.
5.5	(3) The presence of more than one of the three approved NSAIDs, with the
5.6	exception of phenylbutazone in a concentration below 0.5 micrograms per milliliter of
5.7	serum or plasma, or any unapproved NSAID in the post-race serum or plasma sample, is
5.8	not permitted.
5.9	(4) Any horse to which an NSAID has been administered shall be subject
5.10	to having a blood and/or urine sample taken at the direction of the official veterinarian to
5.11	determine the quantitative NSAID levels and/or the presence of other drugs which may
5.12	be present in the blood or urine sample.
5.13	[For text of items B to D, see M.R.]
5.14	[For text of subps 13a to 14b, see M.R.]
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or urine sample is not permitted. The u	se of all but one o	of the approved NSA	AIDs shall
be discontinued at least 48 hours before the post time for the race in which the horse			
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Subp. 10. Medications with regula	ntory limits. No n	nedications other th	an those
listed in this subpart or found in part 78	90.0100, subpart 1	3, items A to D, sha	all be allowed
in the test sample of a horse. Levels on	the following med	dications shall not e	exceed:
Medications	Regulatory	<u>Limits</u>	
2-(1-hydroxyethyl)promazine	10 ng/ml (u	rine)	
Clenbuterol	25 pg/ml (se	erum or plasma)	
Dantrolene and Hydroxydantrolene	50 ng/ml (u	rine)	
Dantrolene and Hydroxydantrolene	0.1 ng/ml (s)	serum or plasma)	
Detomidine (or metabolite)	10 ng/ml (u	rine)	
Dexamethasone	0.1 ng/ml (s	serum or plasma)	
Diclofenac	2 ng/ml (ser	rum or plasma)	
DMSO	10 mcg/ml	(serum or plasma)	
Firocoxib	40 ng/ml (se	erum or plasma)	
Glycopyrrolate	2.0 pg/ml (s	serum or plasma)	
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Methocarbamol	1 ng/ml (ser	rum or plasma)	
Methylprednisolone	0.1 ng/ml (s	serum or plasma)	
Pyrilamine	50 ng/ml (u	rine)	
Triamcinolone Acetonide	0.1 ng/ml (s	serum or plasma)	

[For text of subps 1 to 19, see M.R.]

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Subp. 20. Possession or use of a drug, substance, medication, biological product,or venom.

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[For text of items A to C, see M.R.]

- D. No person shall feed, or cause or knowingly permit to be fed, or conspire in any manner to feed products that contain any drug not permitted by chapter 7890 to a horse entered or to be entered for a race.
- E. No person shall have in the person's possession, within the confines of a racetrack or within its stables, buildings, sheds, or grounds, where horses are lodged or kept which are eligible to race over a racetrack, any feed products containing drugs not otherwise and expressly approved for use in race horses.

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