



STATE OF OKLAHOMA
OKLAHOMA HORSE RACING COMMISSION

August 13, 2010

Racetrack Managers
Horsemen's Organizations
Racing Secretaries
Commission Staff

Dear Industry Stakeholders:

The Commission is considering a new racing rule, Rule 325:25-1-32, Coggins Test, under permanent rulemaking procedures. The proposed language is attached. As you know, currently the requirement of a negative test result is managed through a Commission Directive.

In order to receive input about the proposed new rule, a Public Hearing is scheduled for **Monday, October 18, 2010**, at the Commission's office at Shepherd Mall [2401 N.W. 23, Suite 78, Oklahoma City, OK 73107; phone: 405/943-6472], 9:00 a.m. to Noon and 1:00 to 4:30 p.m. You are welcome to forward written comments by 4:30 p.m. that day to:

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The Commission will then consider adoption of the proposed new rule at the October 21, 2010 Commission meeting. In the meantime, please let me know if you have any questions. Thanks.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Bonnie Morris".

Bonnie Morris
Agency Rulemaking Liaison

Attachment

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PROPOSED NEW RULE
RULE 325:25-1-32, COGGINS TEST

No horse shall be allowed to race in Oklahoma unless it has had a Coggins test taken within 12 months of the date of the race in question with a negative result. Record of the negative test shall be attached to registration papers of the horse. The trainer of the horse is responsible for insuring that a negative Coggins test result is in the racing secretary's office as required by this rule.

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