

BEFORE THE HORSERACING INTEGRITY AND SAFETY AUTHORITY

IN THE MATTER OF:  
DR. ALLEN POST BONNELL  
[REDACTED]

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CASE NO. 2025-03251

**AGREED ORDER**

A Notice of Violation was issued by the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Authority (the "Authority" or "HISA") to Dr. Allen Bonnell (the "Notice") on February 20, 2025, alleging violations of HISA Rule 2251(b), HISA Rule 2271(a)(1), HISA Rule 8100(d), and HISA Rule 8100(h) (the "Charges"). Dr. Bonnell having been given the opportunity to review and consult with his counsel on the Charges in the Notice and being otherwise sufficiently advised, hereby agrees to the following stipulations and penalty set forth in this Agreed Order to fully resolve the Charges, with agreement of enforcement counsel on behalf of the Authority:

1. This matter arises under the jurisdiction of the Authority established pursuant to the Horseracing Integrity and Safety Act at 15 U.S.C. § 3051, et seq.
2. Dr. Bonnell [REDACTED] is a "covered person" as defined by 15 U.S.C. § 3051(6) and HISA Rule 2010 and subject to the Authority's jurisdiction under 15 U.S.C. § 3054(a) and disciplinary process pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 3057(c).
3. The allegations against Dr. Bonnell, as set forth in the Notice, include violations of the following HISA Rules: Rule 2251(b) for failing to report to HISA treatments that Dr. Bonnell, a Veterinarian and Covered Person, performed and/or administered to Covered Horses; Rule 2271(a)(1) for using physical or veterinary procedures to mask the effects or signs of injury so as to allow training or racing to the detriment of the Covered Horse's health and welfare; Rule 8100(d) for assisting and conspiring in an intentional violation of the Authority's racetrack safety

rules; and Rule 8100(h) for perpetrating or attempting to perpetrate a fraud or misrepresentation as it relates to the care or racing of Covered Horses.

4. By executing this Agreed Order below, Dr. Bonnell acknowledges that he has reviewed the evidence against him that supports the Charges with his counsel and that his interests are best served by accepting the penalty offered by the Authority as set forth in this Agreed Order.

5. Dr. Bonnell hereby declares that his acceptance of the penalty offered by the Authority is freely, knowingly, intelligently and voluntarily made; that he has been represented by counsel; that his attorney has fully explained his rights to him, as well as the Charges against him and any defenses to them; and that he understands the nature of this proceeding and all matters contained in this document, including his right to a hearing and to appeal the Charges. By entering into this Agreed Order through his signature below, Dr. Bonnell specifically waives any hearing or appeal on the Charges and specifically waives his right to present testimony, evidence, and argument to the Board or any appellate authority.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED** by agreement of the parties, as evidenced by their signatures below, that:

1. The Board finds that Dr. Bonnell has declared that his interests are best served by accepting the penalty offered by the Authority as set forth in this Agreed Order.

2. The Board and Dr. Bonnell agree and it is so ordered that Dr. Bonnell's registration with the Authority as a Covered Person is permanently suspended for the remainder of his lifetime pursuant to HISA Rule 8200(b)(3) and HISA Rule 8200(b)(5). As a result, Dr. Bonnell shall be prohibited from participating in any capacity in any activity involving Covered Horses, or in any other activity taking place at a Racetrack or Training Facility, and from permitting anyone to

participate in any capacity on his behalf in any such activities. This suspension shall run from the date of this Order.

3. Dr. Bonnell acknowledges and agrees that the Charges are separate and independent from charges, if any, issued by the Horseracing Integrity & Welfare Unit ("HIWU") and that this Agreed Order addresses and resolves only the Charges issued by the Authority.

4. Dr. Bonnell acknowledges and agrees that this Agreed Order will be publicly disclosed by the Authority pursuant to HISA Rule 8380.

5. The stipulations agreed to by the parties in this Agreed Order having mooted the need for further action, the Charges against Dr. Bonnell are hereby resolved, with prejudice.

IT IS SO ORDERED, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2025.




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Chair, Board of Directors

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