

**State of Texas**  
**Texas Racing Commission**

Official Ruling # RETA2113

of the

Board of Stewards

RETAMA PARK

OWNER-TRAINER	COOPER, THOMAS	License #	145738
Ruling Date:	11/06/2009	Violation Date:	10/15/2009
Redistribute Purse:	No		

Rules Violated:

319.3	DRUG POSITIVE OR PERMITTED MEDICATION VIOLATION
311.104	TRAINER/ABSOLUTE INSURER
319.302	REASONABLE OVERSIGHT OF ANIMAL

Owner-Trainer, Thomas Joel Cooper, having been duly noticed, waived his right to a formal hearing and his right to appeal before the Retama Park Board of Stewards on 11/06/2009 and pursuant to an agreed settlement, is hereby fined one hundred (\$100.00) dollars. Mr. Cooper raced the horse "BEAT YOUR BLUFF", the 2nd place finisher in the 5th race at Retama Park, on 10/15/2009. A post race urine sample, number RP028551, collected from this horse proved positive for the prohibited substances, Sulfamethoxazole and Trimethoprim, non-classified substances.

(1st violation in this classification within the last 12 months.)

By Order of the Board of Stewards

RICKY WALKER  
FRED WINCH JR  
JOHN FERRARA JR