

State of Texas
Texas Racing Commission

Official Ruling # SHRP4556

of the

Board of Stewards

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK

OWNER-TRAINER	TOUCHET, ROBERT	License #	105060
Ruling Date:	05/10/2011	Violation Date:	05/07/2011
Redistribute Purse:	No		

Rules Violated:

311.210 CONDUCT - FAILURE TO FOLLOW RULES

Owner-Trainer Robert Touchet, having been duly noticed, failed to appear at a formal hearing before the Sam Houston Race Park Board of Stewards on 5/08/2011. A hearing was held in absentia and Mr. Touchet was fined five hundred (\$500) dollars for repeated parking violations and continued uncooperative behavior.

Between the dates March 26th, 2011 and April 1st, 2011, Mr. Touchet received five violation notices from Sam Houston Race Park security personnel for parking a vehicle and or trailer outside his barn, a prohibited area. On April 8th, 2011 Mr. Touchet attended a meeting in the Stewards' office as requested by the Stewards which was also attended by Sam Houston Race Park Director of Security Don Ahrens. At this meeting Mr. Touchet verbally agreed not to park in the prohibited areas and to cooperate with security personnel. The following day two trailers were observed parked outside Mr. Touchet's barn and they remained there for several days. On April 21st, 2011, Mr. Touchet was issued a violation notice for having a dog on the backside and being totally uncooperative with security personnel. A notice of hearing was issued by the Stewards for 5/07/2011. Mr. Touchet called on the morning of 5/07/2011 asked for, and was granted, a postponement of the hearing until 5/08/2011 at 10:30 am because he was too ill to attend.

By Order of the Board of Stewards

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