

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

Official Ruling # SHRP4882

of the

Board of Stewards

SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK

OWNER-TRAINER	ALCANTARA, BARBARA	License #	147267
Ruling Date:	06/11/2015	Violation Date:	04/04/2015
Redistribute Purse:	Yes		

Rules Violated:

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

Owner - Trainer Barbara Alcantara was duly noticed and waived her right to a formal hearing before the Retama Park Board of Stewards and her right to appeal on 6/11/15. An informal hearing was held and the Board of Stewards considered the evidence and testimony presented.

Ms. Alcantara is hereby fined five thousand (\$5000) dollars and suspended for one year (June 15, 2016 through June 15, 2017) because a post race sample labeled #SH061777, taken from her horse, "Nexus," that won the 15th race at Sam Houston Race Park on 4/4/15 tested positive for Zilpaterol, a Class 2A prohibited substance.

Ms. Alcantara suffered a prior Zilpaterol positive on 4/3/15, see ruling # SHRP 4881, however because both of these positives occurred on consecutive days, this case is also considered a first offense.

During the term of this suspension, Ms. Alcantara is denied access to all areas under the jurisdiction of the Texas Racing Commission. Entry of horses owned or trained by Ms. Alcantara is denied pending transfer to a party approved by the Board of Stewards.

The horse, "Nexus," is hereby disqualified from from the 15th race at Sam Houston Race Park on 4/4/15, a trial race, and "Nexus" is therefore ineligible and declared unplaced in the finals of the Sam Houston Futurity, race 9 at Sam Houston Race Park on 4/25/15, and both purses are ordered redistributed as follows:

1. (1) Honeys Louisiana Pop	1. (5) Ivan James
2. (3) Paint a Special Pop	2. (8) This Is A Deal
3. (7) Dakota Slew	3. (1) EC Jet One
4. (6) Bedawee Jess	4. (2) Miss Aguilar
5. (10) Kings Gotta Game	5. (7) Tempting This Snow
6. (5) Hero Takin Cash	6. (4) Hi Hoppin
7. (4) First Fancy Racy	7. (3) Windschke

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8. (8) Brookstone Cartel  
9. (9) Makinrain  
Unplaced: (2) Nexxus

8. (9) Apachedashing  
9.(10) Mighty Zapata  
Unplaced: 10. (6) Nexxus (Scratched)

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