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Distribution of Standardbred Purse Money in Overnight Races of \$25,000 or Less

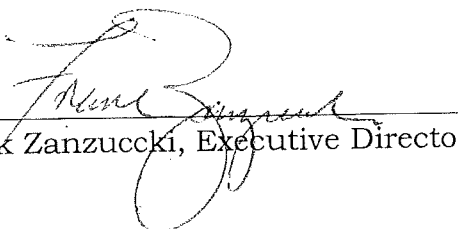
At its meeting on February 10, 2016, the Racing Commission approved the request of the Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association (SBOA) to permit the release of purse money in select races in advance of receiving the post-race testing results. This approval was granted on an experimental basis through December 31, 2016 and applies to all overnight races offering a purse of \$25,000 or less conducted at the Meadowlands and Freehold Racetracks.

Accordingly, the Meadowlands and Freehold Racetracks are authorized to release the purse money in all such races prior to the Racing Commission receiving the test results from the laboratory during this experimental period.

This Directive **does not** apply to horses selected for post-race testing in stake races, overnight races in excess of \$25,000 or the release of claim money prior to receipt of testing results.

BY ORDER OF THE NEW JERSEY RACING COMMISSION
EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY

Dated: February 16, 2016


Frank Zanzuccki, Executive Director

