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## STEWARDS RULING

Ruling number: 22-0038

Track: Keeneland

Date: April 10, 2022

Jockey: Luis Contreras

After a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Luis Contreras, who rode IGNITIS in the seventh race at Keeneland on April 8, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Contreras was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Luis Contreras is hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED (\$500.00) DOLLARS for his improper use of the riding crop by exceeding the allowable use in the overhand manner. Upon receipt of this ruling, it is required within thirty (30) days to pay any and all fines imposed to the Kentucky Horse Racing Commission. Failure to do so will subject the licensee to summary suspension of license pursuant to 810 KAR 3:020 Section 15 (cc).

810 KAR 4:040 Section 15 (6)(a)

By Order of the Stewards

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