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STEWARDS RULING

Ruling number: 22-0039

Track: Keeneland

Date: April 10, 2022

Jockey: Brian J. Hernandez, Jr.

After waiving his right to a hearing before the Board of Stewards, Brian J. Hernandez, Jr., who rode CILLA in the seventh race at Keeneland on April 9, 2022 was found to have violated the crop regulation. This being his first offense, Mr. Hernandez was given the option and chose to pay a fine. Brian J. Hernandez, Jr. 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

Three handwritten signatures in blue ink, stacked vertically. The top signature is "Ronald L. Herbstreit", the middle is "Brooks A. Pennington", and the bottom is "Barbara L. Bond".