



# BOARD OF JUDGES RULING

Kentucky Horse Racing & Gaming

4047 Iron Works Parkway

Lexington KY 40511

Name: Smith Charles E  
 Last First Middle

USTA# 937N73 Occupation: Trainer

Violation: Late Driver Change

Violation Date: 4/13/2026 Ruling Date: 4/13/2026

### Narrative

Mr. Charles Smith was the listed trainer of #9 Apple Patootie for the 5<sup>th</sup> race at Oak Grove on 4/13/2026. Mr. Smith requested a late driver change violating 810 KAR 5:060 Section 26.

Violation Law: 810 KAR 5:060 Section 26

ALL FINES ARE DUE WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THIS RULING

ANY APPEAL OF THIS ORDER MUST BE DELIVERED IN WRITING TO THE KHRG WITHIN 10 DAYS OF THE RULING DATE

**Ruling # OG2026-007**

Fine: \$50.00

Casey Larson  
KHRG Presiding Judge

Jeff James  
KHRG Associate Judge

Dave Magee  
Association Associate Judge



Kentucky Horse Racing & Gaming  
Board Of Judges  
Waiver Of Hearing & Appeal

In The Matter Of: Charles Smith

4-13-2026 Race 5 Oak Grove #9 Apple Patoatie  
810 KAR 5:06G Section 2C  
Late Driver Change

**Penalty Issued is:**

- Fine of \$ 50 due within 30 (Thirty) Days
- Suspension of \_\_\_\_\_ Days (Days Listed Below)

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**WAIVER OF HEARING**

1. The undersigned states that he/she has been advised of the right to a Judges' hearing in this matter and to appeal the ruling to the Kentucky Horse Racing & Gaming pursuant to 810 KAR 9:010 that he/she has been advised of his/her right to legal counsel; and that he/she consents to issuance of this ruling by the Board of Judges.
2. The undersigned hereby waived his/her right to said hearing and appeal and to any judicial review of the Judges' ruling issued in this matter.

Dated: 4-13-2026

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Casey Larson  
KHRG Presiding Judge

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Licensee Signature