



# BOARD OF JUDGES RULING

Kentucky Horse Racing & Gaming

4047 Iron Works Parkway

Lexington KY 40511

Name: Curtin Patrick M  
 Last First Middle

USTA# 790H08 Occupation: Driver

Violation: Unconventional Use Of The Whip

Violation Date: 6/15/2026 Ruling Date: 6/24/2026

### Narrative

Mr. Patrick Curtin was the listed driver of #7 Capt Karma who was in the 5<sup>th</sup> race at Oak Grove on 6/15/2026. Mr. Curtin to use the whip in an unconventional manner violating 810 KAR 5:070 Section 9 – 3 – B by not keeping his arm below his head.

Violation Law: 810 KAR 5:070 Section 9 – 3 – B

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 # OG2026-042**

**Fine: \$200.00**

  
 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: Pat Curtin

6/15/2026 Race 5 Horse #7 CAPT KARMA  
Whipping outside the guidelines.

810 KAR 05 Reg. 070 Section 9:3(b)

**Penalty Issued is:**

- Fine of \$ 200. - 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: 6-11-26

*Casey Larson*

Casey Larson  
KHRG Presiding Judge

*Pat Curtin*

Licensee Signature