

**State of Texas**  
**Texas Racing Commission**

Official Ruling # SHRP4841  
of the  
Board of Stewards

**SAM HOUSTON RACE PARK**

GROOM/HT WALKER	THOMAS, DILLARD	License #	159887
Ruling Date:	03/05/2015	Violation Date:	02/28/2015
Redistribute Purse:	No		

Rules Violated:

311.301 UNAUTHORIZED USE/POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE/DRUG

Groom/Hot Walker Dillard E. Thomas having been duly noticed waived his right to a formal hearing before the Sam Houston Race Park Board of Stewards on 03/02/2015 and his right to appeal. Mr. Thomas is hereby suspended at least 30 days from 02/28/2015 for admitting to the recent use of marijuana.

Reinstatement is contingent upon a satisfactory evaluation by the Texas Racing Commission Medical Review Officer, the providing of a negative sample and compliance with any rehabilitation after care or further testing requirements.

During the term of this suspension Mr. Thomas is denied access to all areas under the jurisdiction of the Texas Racing Commission.

By Order of the Board of Stewards

DAVID ROLLINSON  
ANNE ALLEY  
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