

**RULING****Massachusetts State Racing Commission****PLAINRIDGE PARK, MA - US****NAME:** Samantha K DuBois**USTA No:** 177P74**YEAR OF BIRTH:** 1998**STATE LIC ID:** 28651**RULING NO.:** 102-23**USTA REF #:** 1-8D9V-59WS **ACTION DATE:** 10/3/2023 **INFRACTION DATE:** 9/5/2023**REASON CODE:** PTH1

Positive test- post race

STATE: MA - US**RACE NO:** 4**FINISH:** 6**HORSE:** XIOMARA (No: 7T8831 - Gender: M - YOF: 2019 - FATHER PATRICK - BE BOP SALLY - WISHING STONE)**PHARMACEUTICALS**

Flunixin (Class 4, Banamine)

PENALTY DESCRIPTION

Fined: \$1,000, Horse Disqualified

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

205 CMR 3.29 (3) (a) 2. On 09/25/2023 Industrial Laboratories reported to the Massachusetts State Gaming Commission Commission/Racing Division the post race result of blood sample E623098. The sample was collected from the horse XIOMARA on 09/05/2023 who competed in Race 4 at Plainridge Park and finished 6th. The adverse analytical finding revealed the presence of the drug Flunixin confirmed in blood at 272.5 ng/mL. The measure uncertainty of the method is 3.6 ng/mL at the threshold of 20 ng/mL. Flunixin is a Class 4C drug. After being notified trainer of record Samantha Dubois waived her right to both a split sample and a hearing. As a result of the violation trainer Samantha Dubois is hereby fined the sum of \$1,000.00. The horse XIOMARA finished 6th and is hereby disqualified and placed last. All fines are due within 48 hours of imposition.

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