

**RULING****Massachusetts State Racing Commission****PLAINRIDGE PARK, MA - US****NAME:** James E Hardy**USTA No:** 6470T2**YEAR OF BIRTH:** 1964**STATE LIC ID:** 25067**RULING NO.:** 109-23**USTA REF #:** 1-5GKQ-5A08 **ACTION DATE:** 10/13/2023 **INFRACTION DATE:** 10/10/2023**REASON CODE:** INT6**STATE:** MA - US**RACE NO:** 6**FINISH:** 4

Crowding/putting another wheel under another horse or driver

**HORSE:** HOOD PARTY (No: 4T6238 - Gender: M - YOF: 2019 - BETTING LINE - ROBIN CRUISER - YANKEE CRUISER)**PHARMACEUTICALS****PENALTY DESCRIPTION**

Suspended: Driving - 3 days, 10/19/2023 thru 10/21/2023, Horse Placed 8

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

USTA Rule 18.00 S18.01 (e). On 10/10/2023 at PRC, while driving No.2 HOOD PARTY in Race 6, driver James Hardy did put a wheel under No.1 MISS IRISH ROSE A at the top of the stretch causing him to break stride. As a result of the infraction No.2 HOOD PARTY finished 4th, was disqualified and placed 8th. In addition Mr. Hardy is hereby suspended from driving only for a period of three days beginning Thursday 10/19/2023 through Saturday 10/21/2023.

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