



DATE: May 1, 2009

TO: APHA Show Management

RE: Show Issues Involving Individuals on APHA Suspension List

Show management should read and be familiar with APHA Rule GR-070.K.

- A suspended individual is **not eligible** to participate in any APHA-approved event.
- A suspended individual may be on the grounds, may ride in a warm-up or exercise pen and may sit in the stands. He/she **may not** exhibit in the arena.
- Unless specifically stated in the disciplinary action, the suspended individual is **not barred** from the show grounds. No suspended individual is currently barred from the show grounds as part of his/her suspension as of May 1, 2009.
- A horse owned in whole or in part by the suspended individual **may not** be exhibited in any event approved or recognized by APHA.
- A horse owned in whole or in part by the spouse of a suspended individual **may not** be exhibited in any event approved or recognized by APHA.
- The spouse of a suspended individual **is eligible** to exhibit a horse which is owned by someone **other than** the suspended individual or any entity with which he/she is associated in an APHA-approved event.
- Futurities are **not** APHA-approved events. If futurity rules prohibit an individual suspended from APHA from exhibiting or participating, then the futurity can bar them. This should be addressed in futurity rules.