

**AGENDA
MAINE STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION
MEETING**

**April 29, 2010
Conference Room, Gambling Control Board
Department of Public Safety Building
45 Commerce Drive, Augusta, Maine
Starting Time 11:30 AM**

Call the Meeting to Order: George McHale, Chair

Adjudicatory Hearings:

- 1. In Re:** Ronald Cushing is appealing the decision of Presiding Judge Steven Mancine for an alleged violation of Chapter 7 Section 54.M, Interference. Mr. Cushing is appealing the alleged infraction and the penalty imposed by Mr. Mancine. Mr. Cushing was granted a Stay of Penalty by Commission Chair George McHale.
- 2. In Re:** Christopher Lefebvre – Mr. Lefebvre has appealed the preliminary denial of his application for a harness racing license for calendar year 2010 for the alleged violation Maine State Harness Racing Commission rule Chapter 17 Section 3, sub-section 1. C. 1, 2, &4. Mr. Lefebvre is alleged to have violated Maine Harness Racing Commission rules for you were found guilty of a civil violation in March 4, 2004 of Cruelty to Animals (7 M.R.S.A. Section 4011 (1) (E).

Unfinished Business:

- 1.** Review and take action on the Consent Agreement signed by L. Alex MacDonald.

Reports:

- 1.** NONE

New Business:

- 1.** The Maine Standardbred Breeders and Owners Association is requesting permission to move the 2 year old pacing colt division from Monday, August 30 to Tuesday, August 31, 2010. Windsor Fair is in agreement with this request.
- 2.** Pursuant to 8 MRSA Section 287, the Commission must review and approve the proposed Capital Improvements submitted by the commercial racetracks for calendar year 2010.

Other Business: Approve the minutes of the April 6 and 14, 2010 meetings.

Date of Next Meeting:

- 1.** May 13, 2010

Adjourn: