

STEWARDS ADVISORY COMMITTEE RULING

Friday, May 31, 2019

By ruling dated May 9, 2019, the NSA Stewards Advisory Committee ordered the suspension of the owner's license of Walter Puddifer for his failure to appear at a hearing to respond to a Complaint from the Committee alleging violations of the NSA rules and the NSA's Code of Conduct Policy. Mr. Puddifer subsequently requested a hearing, and his request was granted. A hearing was conducted on Thursday, May 23, 2019 in the NSA office in Fair Hill, Maryland. Mr. Puddifer appeared and waived his right to counsel.

At the conclusion of the hearing, Mr. Puddifer was requested to provide certain information to the Committee in support of statements he made and in his defense. Mr. Puddifer agreed to provide the information no later than Friday, May 31, 2019.

On Wednesday, May 29, 2019, Mr. Puddifer advised the Committee that he would not seek to be reinstated by the NSA, was relinquishing his owner's license and "would not apply for a license at any time again in the future."

Accordingly, and as a result, the Committee has determined that the owner's license of Mr. Puddifer be, and it is hereby ,revoked and he is no longer considered to be in good standing. Mr. Puddifer may not, directly or indirectly, participate in NSA sanctioned races.

Stewards Advisory Committee

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