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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE

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| In re: |) | HPA Docket No. 14-0199 |
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| HERBERT DERICKSON, an individual, |) | |
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| Respondent |) | |
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| In re: |) | HPA Docket No. 16-0107 |
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| TERRY ALAN RIDDLEY, an individual, |) | |
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| Respondent |) | |
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| In re: |) | HPA Docket No. 17-0163 |
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| HERBERT DERICKSON, an individual; |) | |
| and TERRY ALAN RIDDLEY, an |) | |
| individual, |) | |
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| Respondents. |) | CONSENT DECISION AND |
| |) | ORDER AS TO RESPONDENT |
| |) | TERRY ALAN RIDDLEY |

These consolidated proceedings were instituted under the Horse Protection Act (15 U.S.C. § 1821 *et seq.*)(HPA or Act), by complaints filed by the Administrator, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, United States Department of Agriculture (APHIS), September 18, 2014 (HPA Docket 14-0199), May 6, 2016 (HPA Docket 16-0107), and January 12, 2016 (HPA Dockets 17-0163 and 17-0165), alleging that the respondents violated the Act.

Respondent Terry Alan Riddley admits the jurisdictional allegations in the complaints as to him, specifically admits that the Secretary has jurisdiction in this matter, denies the remaining allegations, and waives oral hearing and further procedure. The parties consent and agree to the entry of this decision for the purpose of settling these proceedings as to respondent Terry Alan Riddley, and resolving any and all other alleged or potential violations of the Act by him occurring up to and including September 2, 2018. This decision is entered pursuant to the consent decision

provisions of the Rules of Practice applicable to this proceeding (7 C.F.R. § 1.138).

Findings of Fact

1. Respondent Terry Alan Riddley is an individual residing in [REDACTED], and at all times mentioned herein was a "person" and an "exhibitor," as those terms are defined in the regulations promulgated under the Act (9 C.F.R. Parts 11 and 12).

2. On or about August 22, 2014, respondent Terry Alan Riddley allowed the entry of a horse he owned (The Perfect Gen) for showing in class 50-A in a horse show in Shelbyville, Tennessee.

3. On or about August 27, 2016, respondent Terry Alan Riddley allowed the entry of a horse he owned (Selfie) for showing in class 81 in a horse show in Shelbyville, Tennessee.

Conclusion of Law

Respondent Terry Alan Riddley having admitted the findings of fact set forth above, and the parties having agreed to the entry of this decision, such decision will be entered.

Order

1. Respondent Terry Alan Riddley is disqualified for eight months, beginning November 1, 2018, and ending June 30, 2019, from showing, exhibiting, or entering any horse, directly or indirectly through any agent, employee, or other device, and from judging, managing or otherwise participating¹ in any horse show, horse exhibition, or horse sale or auction, directly or indirectly through any agent, employee, or other device.

¹"Participating" means engaging in any activity beyond that of a spectator in connection with a horse show, horse exhibition, or horse sale or auction, and includes, without limitation, transporting or arranging for the transportation of horses to or from equine events, personally giving instructions to exhibitors, being present in the warm-up or inspection areas, or in any area where spectators are not allowed, and financing the participation of others in equine events.

2. Respondent Terry Alan Riddley is assessed a civil penalty of \$1,100, which shall be paid by January 1, 2019, by check made payable to USDA/APHIS, indicating that the payment is in reference to HPA Dockets Nos. 16-0107 and 17-0165, and sent to:

USDA, APHIS, MISCELLANEOUS
P.O. Box 979043
St. Louis, Missouri 63197-9000

The provisions of this order shall become final and effective as of November 1, 2018. This order may be executed in counterparts. Copies of this decision shall be served upon the parties.



Terry Alan Riddley
Respondent


Thomas B. Kakassy
Attorney for Respondent



Colleen A. Carroll
Attorney for Complainant

Done at Washington, D.C.,
this 13th day of December 2018



Channing D. Strother
Chief Administrative Law Judge