

Thoroughbred Rule 2099.1(a)(4) Amendment Summary

This amendment requires a horse which has not run for a period of six (6) months or more to be examined and approved for racing by the trainer's practicing veterinarian; formerly, the Commission veterinarian performed these duties. It also sets out the required number of work outs prior to entering a race for horses that have not raced in six (6) months or more.

Thoroughbred Rule 2099.1(a)(4) Mark Up

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(4) A horse which has not started for a period of six (6) months or more prior to a race day must have at least three (3) officially published timed workouts, two (2) of which must be within ~~30~~ thirty (30) days of the race and one (1) of which must be at a distance of four (4) furlongs or more. A horse which has not started for a period of six (6) months or more must also undergo a physical examination by ~~a regulatory~~ the trainer's practicing veterinarian ~~and be approved,~~ and the trainer's practicing veterinarian must approve the horse for racing in writing ~~by~~ to the ~~regulatory official~~ veterinarian prior to being entered in a race. The workouts must have occurred at a pari-mutuel horse racing facility or a recognized horse training facility approved by the Stewards.

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