



## NATIONAL STEEPLECHASE ASSOCIATION

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### STEWARDS' REPORT

**RACE MEETING:** Colonial Downs

**DATE:** August 9, 2021

**WEATHER:** clear

**COURSE CONDITION:** firm

**CLERK OF SCALES:** Jessie Garcia

**STARTER:** Harrison Young

**STEWARDS:** Pat Bovenzi  
Jack Houghton  
Tad Zimmerman

#### OFFICIAL ACTIONS:

**First Race:** without incident

**Second Race:** *SPEED ALERT* hesitated at takeoff and fell at the fourth fence. She was caught and left the racecourse on her own.

Bernie Dalton, the rider of second place finisher *DOWN ROYAL*, and Gerard Galligan, the rider of fifth place finisher *CAINUDOTHETWIST*, claimed foul against the winner, *SCEEN IMAGE*, ridden by Eddie Keating, for interference prior to and at the beacon at the top of the stretch.

After careful review of the video the Steward's disallowed the claims of foul. Unfortunately, the Stewards were unable to speak directly with the riders, due to a breakdown in the communications link with the Assistant Clerk of the Scales.

Harrison Beswick was examined by the Course Physician and cleared to ride.

**OFFICIAL COMMENTS:** none

Tad Zimmerman