

decision for the purpose of settling this proceeding as to respondent Ronal Young, 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 Ronal Young 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 26, 2016, respondent Ronal Young entered a horse (I'm in the Cash) for showing in class 53 in a horse show in Shelbyville, Tennessee.

3. On or about September 1, 2016, respondent Ronal Young entered a horse (Line Up José) for showing in class 158 in a horse show in Shelbyville, Tennessee.

Conclusion of Law

Respondent Ronal Young 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

Respondent Ronal Young is disqualified for two years, beginning September 3, 2017, and ending September 2, 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.

The provisions of this order shall be final and effective as of September 3, 2017. This order

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.

may be executed in counterparts. Copies of this decision shall be served upon the parties.

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Respondent

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Done at Washington, D.C.,
this 25 day of April 2019

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Jill S. Clifton
Administrative Law Judge