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Michigan Racing Commissioner Issues 2009 Thoroughbred Horse Racing Schedule

LANSING, MI - Racing Commissioner Christine C. White today signed the order authorizing the 2009 live and simulcast horse racing calendar for Pinnacle Race Course, Michigan's thoroughbred horse race track.

The 2009 live thoroughbred race schedule calls for 82 days of live racing at the New Boston location beginning on Friday, June 5 running until Saturday October 24. Live races will run on Tuesdays, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. The following are the exceptions: racing shall be conducted on Monday, September 7, while no racing shall be conducted on Tuesday, September 8.

Full schedules with exception days will be posted on the Office of Racing Commissioner website at www.michigan.gov/horseracing.

The ORC received a dates' application from Silver Stallion Development Corporation also called, Silver Stallion Race Course, LLC. The Commissioner denied any live or simulcast dates.

In addition to the thoroughbred race dates, Commissioner White also signed orders detailing the live race dates for the four standardbred harness race tracks, involving five meets (Hazel Park Raceway, Jackson Harness Raceway, Northville Downs, Northville Racing Corporation and Sports Creek Raceway) as well as the mixed breed track (Mount Pleasant Meadows).

The Office of Racing Commissioner is the official state agency charged with regulating, promoting and serving the horse racing industry in Michigan. During 2008, Michigan horse racing is celebrating its 75th Anniversary of pari-mutuel horse racing in our State. For more information about upcoming events, the six pari-mutuel horse race tracks, racing schedules and Michigan horse racing, visit www.michigan.gov/horseracing.

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