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## Thoroughbred Official Ruling

**Ruling Number 3279721**

**Licence No.: AJKY1461794**

**Date: July 27, 2025**

Woodbine Racetrack

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**IN THE MATTER OF THE *HORSE RACING LICENCE ACT, 2015*,  
S.O. 2015, c.38, Sched. 9;  
AND IN THE MATTER OF Xarel Athelston Forde**

Take Notice that Apprentice Jockey Xarel Athelston FORDE, while riding "Babbo" in Race 10 at Woodbine Racetrack on July 20th, 2025, did cause interference in the stretch, resulting in a placing. Mr. Forde was found to be in violation of AGCO Thoroughbred Rules 11.07, 11.09.01 and 11.09.03.

Mr. Forde is hereby assessed a 3 day riding suspension, to be served on August 3rd, August 7th and August 8th, 2025.

AGCO Rules 9.14.01, 9.14.02, 9.14.03, 11.09.05, 11.12 and 11.14 and 16.13 (c)

By Order of the Racing Officials

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