

## P R E S S   R E L E A S E

### 15 years ineligibility for horse trainer Fabrice Souloy

The Norwegian Trotting Association's (DNT) adjudication panel has found horse trainer Fabrice Souloy guilty in an intentional violation of DNT's anti-doping rules, after the racehorses Your Highness, Un Mec d'Heripre, Lionel and Timone Ek tested positive for Cobalt in blood- or urine samples immediately after racing at Bjerke Racetrack on June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2016.

Fabrice Souloy was given the following sanctions:

1. A 15 year period of ineligibility, involving;
  - loss of right to any training or driving license issued by The Norwegian Trotting Association,
  - loss of right to participate in any trotting races,
  - loss of right to visit or use any training or racing facility owned or financed by The Norwegian Trotting Association.
2. A fine of 500 000 NOK.
3. The period of ineligibility will take effect immediately.

The verdict was unanimous.

The Secretary General in The Norwegian Trotting Association can give additional details:

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