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## **INTEGRITY STRATEGIES – THOROUGHBREDS**

The Office of Racing Integrity today undertook out of competition testing on a number of thoroughbred horses from various stables located in the North West region of the state.

Chairman of Stewards – Thoroughbreds, Mr John Zucal said “with many feature races on the horizon, we are increasing our equine drug controls strategies to ensure that participants and the general public have the greatest confidence in our races. Trainers are on notice that there will be increased testing, both in and out of competition”.

Office of Racing Integrity has increased its commitment to extra drug control for all racing codes to ensure that races are conducted with the highest level of integrity.

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