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#### **5 Panel Information as it Pertains to Woroniecki Ranch Quarter Horses**

At Woroniecki Ranch Quarter Horses we order a genetic kit through AQHA and the results are sent to VGL laboratory of the School of Veterinary Medicine at the University of California, Davis. VGL is internationally recognized as a pioneer and expert in DNA-based animal testing. The effects of these equine diseases are wide-ranging, from mild and manageable to severe and terminal. We have compiled a short description of each disorder tested. In many instances we only test the necessary specific test based upon the parents test results. If both parents are N/N on all or some diseases then the offspring is also N/N on those diseases by default. Please see ALL PAGES of this document link.

Glycogen Branching Enzyme Deficiency (GBED) doesn't allow a foal to store enough sugar in its cells for energy, function of the brain, heart and skeletal muscles. Most die within couple weeks of age, but none have been known to survive more than 2 months of age. These foals are often still born. GBED is a recessive trait and only horses that inherit both recessive genes from each parent (G/G) will be afflicted. Carriers (N/G) and non-carriers (N/N) will have no problems in their lives as they will NOT be afflicted at all and they will be able to perform all performance activities. If deciding to breed a carrier (N/G) it is highly advised to not breed to another carrier to avoid producing afflicted offspring.

Hereditary Equine Regional Dermal Asthenia (HERDA) causes the skin on a horse's back to literally peel away. The skin will slough becoming loose and tented to never return to its original position. HERDA is a recessive trait and only horses that inherit both recessive genes from each parent (HDR/HDR) will be afflicted. Carries (N/HDR) and non-carries (N/N) will have no problems in their lives as they will NOT be afflicted at all and they will be able to perform all performance activities. If deciding to breed a carrier (N/HDR) it is highly advised to not breed to another carrier to avoid producing afflicted offspring

Hyperkalemic Periodic Paralysis (HYPP) is a muscle condition that leads to weak muscles or severe twitching of the muscles. In most cases symptoms include tremors, weakness, cramping, sweating and inability to relax. In severe cases horse can collapse from a heart attack or respiratory failure and die. HYPP is a dominant trait and carriers (N/H) will be afflicted, but can be managed with careful nutritional care. It is highly recommended NOT to breed a carrier.

Malignant Hyperthermia (MH) is a rare but deadly disorder triggered by the use of anesthesia, muscle relaxant succinylcholine and stress. The horse will often experience high heart rate along with rapid breathing and extreme fever. This can also lead to death in some cases. Some horses are also a carrier of PSSM along with MH. MH is a dominant trait and carriers will be afflicted if undergoing surgery or extreme stress. It is highly recommended NOT to breed a carrier.

Polysaccharide Storage Myopathy (PSSM1) is when the muscles store too much glycogen causing muscle stiffness and muscle tying up. Most horses experience pain with strenuous exercise. PSSM1 is a dominant trait but carriers (N/PSSM1) can be managed with proper diet and exercise. It is highly recommended NOT to breed a carrier.

# Morocco Bartender JW (AQHA) 2018 Bay Roan Stud Colt

GBED Status N/N HERDA Status N/N

HYPP Status N/N

MH Status N/N PSSM1 Status N/N

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## AQHA GENETIC DISEASE PANEL TEST RESULTS

AMERICAN QUARTER HORSE ASSOCIATION P.O. BOX 200 AMARILLO, TX 79168-0001

Case:

**QHA168729** 04-Dec-2014

Date Received:

08-Dec-2014

Print Date: Report ID:

0461-4992-5772-4006

Verify report at www.vgl.ucdavis.edu/myvgl/verify.html

Horse: JACKS OUR BARTENDER

Reg: 4425254

YOB: 2003

Breed: QH

Sex: S

Alt. ID: 5198859

Sire: BARTENDERS MEMORY
Dam: WATCH MISS JO JACKIE

Reg: 3736501

CNE

Reg: 3301428

GBED	N/N
HERDA	N/N
НҮРР	N/N
MH	N/N
PSSM1	N/N

N/N - Normal - Does not possess the disease-causing GBED genc

N/N - Normal - horse does not have the HERDA gene

N/N - Normal - Does not possess the disease-causing HYPP gene

N/N - Normal - horse does not have the MH gene

N/N - Normal - horse does not have the PSSM1 gene

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PSSM1 - Polysaccharide Storage Myopathy Type 1. Muscle disease characterized by accumulation of abnormal complex sugars in skeletal muscles. Signs include muscle pain, stiffness, skin twitching, sweating, weakness and reluctance to move. Inherited as a dominant disease.

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Case:

QHA207919

Date Received:

11-Sep-2015

Print Date:

15-Sep-2015

Report ID:

1646-0931-7521-1055

Verify report at www.vgl.ucdavis.edu/myvgl/verify.html

Horse: MUJER LADY DIAL JW

Reg: 4857419

Dam: LADY TIFF JAY

YOB: 2006 Sex: Mare Breed: Quarter Horse Alt. ID: 5702683

Sire: MUJER TACKY JAY

Reg: 2580521

Reg: 2962300

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