

BELMONT PARK - June 28, 2013 - Race 4

STARTER OPTIONAL CLAIMING - Thoroughbred

(UP TO \$9,500 NYSBFOA) FOR THREE YEAR OLDS AND UPWARD WHICH HAVE STARTED FOR A CLAIMING PRICE OF \$25,000 OR LESS AND WHICH HAVE NEVER WON A RACE OTHER THAN MAIDEN, CLAIMING, OR RESTRICTED OR OPTIONAL CLAIMING PRICE OF \$25,000 FOR THREE YEAR OLDS. Three Year Olds, 119 lbs.; Older, 124 lbs. Non-winners Of Two Races Since April 28 Allowed 2 lbs. Claiming Price \$25,000 (Races where entered for \$20,000 or less not considered in allowances). (C) **Claiming Price:** \$25,000

Six Furlongs On The Dirt **Track Record:** (Artax - 1:07.66 - October 16, 1999)

Purse: \$50,000

Available Money: \$50,000

Value of Race: \$49,000 1st \$30,000, 2nd \$10,000, 3rd \$5,000, 4th \$2,500, 5th \$1,500

Weather: Clear **Track:** Fast

Off at: 4:33 **Start:** Good for all



[Video Race Replay](#)

Last Raced	Pgm	Horse Name (Jockey)	Wgt	M/E	PP	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin	Odds	Comments
16May13 ⁶ BEL ²	4	Litigate (Ortiz, Jose)	122	L b	3	5	5	3 ^{1/2}	1 ¹	1 ⁴	1.10*	ins run 5/16, drift out
30May13 ² BEL ¹	3	Poised to a Tee (Saez, Luis)	122	L f	2	1	4 ³	4 ⁶	4 ¹⁰	2 ¹	12.60	lite bump st, 4w upper
7Jun13 ² BEL ³	1	Road Agent (Rosario, Joel)	117	L b	1	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ¹	3 ^{3 1/4}	1.70	lite bump brk, near ins
22Feb13 ² GP ²	5	Perfect Trippi (Castellano, Javier)	122	L	4	2	2 ^{2 1/2}	2 ^{1/2}	3 ^{Head}	4 ^{20 1/2}	9.70	prompted 2p, gave way
4Apr13 ⁷ GP ¹	6	Dreaming of Joey (Lezcano, Jose)	117	L bf	5	4	3 ^{Head}	5	5	5	4.50	chased 3w, folded

Fractional Times: 21.85 44.71 57.40

Final Time: 1:10.31

Split Times: (22:86) (12:69) (12:91)

Run-Up: 52 feet

Winner: Litigate, Chestnut Gelding, by Closing Argument out of Deja Entendu, by Menifee. Foaled Apr 21, 2008 in New York.

Breeder: JMJ Racing Stables, LLC. **Winning Owner:** Silverton Hill LLC

Scratched Horse(s): Demon's Deputy (Stewards), Tizmas (Trainer)

Total WPS Pool: \$237,741

Pgm	Horse	Win	Place	Show	Wager Type	Winning Numbers	Payoff	Pool
4	Litigate	4.20	2.90	2.10	\$2.00 Exacta	4-3	19.00	158,541
3	Poised to a Tee		6.60	2.70	\$2.00 Quinella	3-4	15.20	9,131
1	Road Agent			2.20	\$2.00 Trifecta	4-3-1	29.20	95,306
					\$2.00 Pick 3	2-8-4 (3 correct)	36.40	21,433
					\$2.00 Daily Double	8-4	6.20	47,815

Past Performance Running Line Preview

Pgm	Horse Name	Start	1/4	1/2	Str	Fin
4	Litigate	5	5 ^{6 1/2}	3 ^{1 1/2}	1 ¹	1 ⁴
3	Poised to a Tee	1	4 ^{3 1/2}	4 ²	4 ²	2 ⁴
1	Road Agent	3	1 ¹	1 ¹	2 ¹	3 ⁵
5	Perfect Trippi	2	2 ¹	2 ¹	3 ²	4 ^{8 1/4}
6	Dreaming of Joey	4	3 ^{3 1/2}	5 ⁸	5 ¹²	5 ^{28 3/4}

Trainers: 4 - Duggan, David; 3 - Reynolds, Patrick; 1 - Jacobson, David; 5 - Martin, Carlos; 6 - Adsit, Abigail

Owners: 4 - Silverton Hill LLC; 3 - The Players Group; 1 - Drawing Away Stable and Jacobson, David; 5 - Blue Devil Racing Stable (Holliday); 6 - Meligon Racing Stable;

Footnotes

LITIGATE was placed along the inside well before reaching the end of the backstretch, unleashed a strong rail run from the five-sixteenths pole to boldly burst upon the scene by the end of the bend, was settling into upper stretch after cutting the corner when asked for run, gave it, moved past the front runners along the inside corridor to take charge, drifted outward steadily despite some strong right handed stick work in the final sixteenth. POISED TO A TEE bumped lightly with ROAD AGENT at the start, gave chase primarily two wide on the turn, hand urged while undergoing the task, got set down to a drive prior to the quarter pole and fanned four wide into upper stretch, was straightened away and came home with good energy to garner the place. ROAD AGENT made contact with the runner up as the field was sent on its way, was put to mild hand urging securing a forward position, argued to maintain control, kept to hand encouragement, from near the rail, had already drifted into the two path for the commencement of the stretch drive, yielded before completing the run through the furlong grounds, then weakened into the show slot. PERFECT TRIPPI forced the issue from the outside until upper stretch before giving way. DREAMING OF JOEY chased three wide on the turn, folded.