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**KANSAS RACING AND GAMING COMMISSION ORDERS DEADLINE FOR
TRACKS TO RESUME OPERATIONS**

Topeka- The Kansas Racing and Gaming Commission today ordered Kansas greyhound and horse tracks to provide proposed race dates and a re-opening plan by the end of the next year's legislative session or face automatic revocation of their licenses. This order includes both the organization and facility manager licensees at The Woodlands in Kansas City, Camptown Greyhound Park in Frontenac and Wichita Greyhound Park in Wichita. Each of the track's licenses will stay in effect until 30 days after the Sine Die close of the 2009 legislative session or until 30 days after June 5, 2009, whichever is earlier.

“The commission's priority is to get the greyhound and horse racing and breeding industries active again in Kansas,” said Stephen Martino, executive director of the commission. “This order allows the track owners to seek legislative changes they say are necessary to reopen their facilities.”

The tracks have 15 days to petition for reconsideration of this matter. The complete order is posted at krgc.ks.gov.

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