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Nominated as WESTERN ACTIVE DIRECTOR

I am the owner and president of a commercial construction company for over 35 years. I grew up in Saskatchewan where I started my company. I moved the company and my family to Beaumont, Alberta in 1992. My wife Erna and I raised our family of 4 in Beaumont.

I started owning standardbred race horses in 1996 at Northlands Park. I now race horses in BC., Alberta, Ontario, NJ, NY and PA. I also have brood mares in Alberta, Ontario and NY.

Racing and breeding horses in many different jurisdictions has provided me with many aspects of the industry. Some good and some that require change. I have served several years on the board of directors of the Alberta Standardbred Horse Association acting as owners chairman and 2 years as president. I am currently representing standardbred breeders on the board of Horse Racing Alberta. I sit and serve the regulatory and licensing committee of HRA. I have served on the audit and finance committee of HRA as well.

I would like to bring my vast knowledge of the standardbred industry to Standardbred Canada with the intent of helping the organization in continuing to improve Standardbred Canada's stewardship of the industry. I believe Standardbred Canada needs to play a much larger role as the national voice of racing to the provincial governments and race tracks in all the racing jurisdictions that it serves. SC must present a strong united voice to help all the various racing jurisdictions deal with governments and race tracks.