

AFFAIRS OF STATE



**By DEPUTY MINISTER** (1979). Canadian horse of the year, stakes winner of \$696,964, Young America S.-**G1**, etc. Leading sire twice, sire of 21 crops of racing age, 1162 foals, 873 starters, 89 stakes winners, 6 champions, 599 winners of 1967 races and earning \$82,421,367. Leading broodmare sire, sire of dams of 141 stakes winners, including champions Curlin, Rags to Riches, Halfbridled, Deputy's Report, and of Magistretti, Kane Hekili, Redattore (BRZ), Request for Parole, Maruka Diesis, License Fee.

**1st dam**

**SEXY SLEW**, by Slew o' Gold. 5 wins at 3 and 4, \$216,463, Dark Star H. [L] (SA, \$34,250), 2nd Meadowlands Budweiser Breeders' Cup H. [**G3**], Rancho Bernardo Breeders' Cup H. [**G3**], Monrovia H. [**G3**], Fantastic Girl H. [L] (DMR, \$12,000), 3rd Chicago Budweiser Breeders' Cup H. [L] (AP, \$17,353). Half-sister to **ANGELINA BALLERINA** (Total: \$134,955, Manton Rose Bowl S., 2nd California Oaks [L] (GG, \$28,100), etc.), **AL-EX NUREYEV** (Premio Daumier, etc.). Dam of 13 registered foals, 13 of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2008, 8 to race, 7 winners, incl.--

**Affairs of State** (f. by Deputy Minister). Stakes-placed winner, see record. Leon Pride (c. by Danzig). Winner at 2, ¥5,900,000, in Japan. (Total: \$58,770). Luvandgo (c. by Grand Slam). Winner at 3, 2008, \$41,500.

Main Edition (f. by Nureyev). Unraced. Dam of 8 foals, 7 winners, incl.--

**PLATINUM BALLET** (f. by Skip Away). 6 wins, 2 to 5, \$355,291, Iowa Distaff Breeders' Cup S. [L] (PRM, \$75,000), 2nd Bayakoa S. [L] (OP, \$20,000), Panthers S. (PRM, \$10,000), Remington Park Oaks (RP, \$8,000), 3rd Sixty Sails H. [**G3**] (HAW, \$27,500), Azeri Breeders' Cup S. [**G3**] (OP, \$17,500), Iowa Distaff Breeders' Cup S. [L] (PRM, \$12,500), Prairie Meadows Oaks [L] (PRM, \$9,750), Wild Rose S. (PRM, \$6,000), Pippin S. (OP, \$5,000), Wild Rose S. (PRM, \$5,000), Mariah's Storm S. (AP, \$4,551), Northbound Pride S. (CBY, \$4,400).

**Top Story** (f. by Carson City). Winner at 2, placed at 3, 2008, \$30,800, 3rd Princess S. (LAD, \$5,000).

Kournikova. Winner at 3 and 4, \$70,743.

**RACE RECORD:** At 2, unraced; at 3, three wins, once 2nd (Railbird S. [**G3**] (HOL, \$21,260)), once 3rd in 6 starts. Earned \$124,340.

**PRODUCE RECORD:**

2004 unnamed f. by Thunder Gulch, died as a weanling.

2005 Racketeer Kid, g. by Lemon Drop Kid. Unplaced in 1 start.

2006 Unconstitutional, f. by Grand Slam. Unraced.

2007 f. by Broken Vow; 2008 c. by Songandaprayer.

Mated to Seeking the Gold (Mr. Prospector--Con Game) and Successful Appeal (Valid Appeal--Successful Dancer), last service April 25, 2008. (Believed to be **PREGNANT**).