#### THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

#### Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 12 July 2017

<u>Stewards</u>: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (M), J. Adams (F), C. Deakin (HT), & T. Vanderstok (Stewards), D. Southgate & N. Hawkins (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

#### TRACK: Good 4

#### WEATHER: Overcast

# RAIL: Out 5 metres from 800 metres to 400 metres, out 2 metres from 400 metres to Winning Post, out 5 metres from 1900 metres to 1500 metres, true remainder.

#### **RIDER CHANGES**:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	AMBER DIAMONDS	J. Holder	T. Pannell	Transport difficulties.
3	DE VALOR	A. Jordsjo		Late notification.
7	BOLD JAZZ	B. Griffiths	A. Doyle	Overweight.
7	CHAMBRAY	E. Finnegan	T. Zanker	Overweight.

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## RACE 1: BALAKLAVA CUP SEPTEMBER 13 / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**ANAMNESIS** (A. Doyle) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. Raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted onto HE'S GOT SKILLS. Rider reprimanded.

**BERNIE** (E. Finnegan) – reared in its barrier after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was ruled unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards order the withdrawal of BERNIE at 11.59 am. Trainer, Mr W. Clarken, was advised that the gelding would be required to be tractable in the barriers in an Official Trial or Jump-out prior to accepting for a future race.

**BLUES YOUR BALL** (P. Gatt) – examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the barriers who reported that the colt had blood in its near side nostril and would be unfit to start. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew the colt at 11.56 am. The Veterinary Surgeon attributed this blood to be the result of a recent trauma and no further action was taken.

**HE'S GOT SKILLS** (K. Crowther) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres was obliged to be eased and alter course when ANAMNESIS shifted in.

**REAP THE BENEFIT** (T. Pannell) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

## RACE 2: MY BUTCHER / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1618 metres

**THE HOFFICER** (J. Potter) – proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr A Beswick, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Shifted in, in the vicinity of the 1300 metres when insufficiently clear of WAKE UP BRIAN, which was forced to steady and taken in onto EXALTED ADAM, which was taken in onto XAARIAN, which had to be eased when taken in onto LIZZIE LOUISE, which was forced to check to avoid the heels of ZAARIAN. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Monday, 17 July 2017 and to conclude midnight Saturday, 29 July 2017, a period of five meetings.

**UNFLYNNCHING** (S. Cahill) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

**WAKE UP BRIAN** (A. Jordsjo) – had to be taken hold of in the vicinity of the 1300 metres when THE HOFFICER shifted in, resulting in the gelding being taken in onto EXALTED ADAM.

# RACE 2: MY BUTCHER / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD & OVER MAIDEN PLATE - 1618 metres (cont'd)

**EXALTED ADAM** (D. Caboche) – taken in by WAKE UP BRIAN in the vicinity of the 1300 metres onto XAARIAN.

**XAARIAN** (K. Bishop) – had to be eased in the vicinity of the 1300 metres when taken in by EXALTED ADAM onto LIZZIE LOUISE.

**SIGNATURE DISH** (C. Lindop) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid out rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**LIZZIE LOUISE** (A. Doyle) – had to be checked in the vicinity of the 1300 metres and lost its position to avoid the heels of XAARIAN, which had been taken in.

## RACE 3: GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1059 metres

**AEROFY** (J. Kah) – in the vicinity of the 50 metres clipped the heels of HE IS GOLDEN, which shifted out resulting in the gelding knuckling and losing its position. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a minor laceration to the off fore cannon. First aid administered.

**HE IS GOLDEN** (S. Price) – brushed at the start when MAZUREK jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. Shifted out under riding over the concluding 100 metres and in the vicinity of the 50 metres shifted into the running line of AEROFY, which clipped the heels of HE IS GOLDEN. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence midnight Sunday, 16 July 17 and to conclude midnight Wednesday, 26 July 2017, a period of four meetings. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MAZUREK** (E. Finnegan) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out brushing HE IS GOLDEN.

**DE VALOR** (A. Jordsjo) – raced in restricted room for a short distance in the vicinity of the 400 metres when awkwardly placed between the heels of AEROFY and MAZUREK.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow E. Finnegan (MAZUREK) placed second, and J. Kah (AEROFY) placed third, to view the official vision in the straight.

## RACE 4: WOODSTOCK / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1218 metres

**ALMADRAM** (D. Thornton) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**GRONKY** (Z. Spain) – shifted in and away from FIRSTEE in the vicinity of the 1000 metres onto HE'S A VALLEYBOY.

**HE'S A VALLEYBOY** (C. Lindop) – slow to begin. Had to take hold in the vicinity of the 1000 metres when GRONKY shifted in and away from FIRSTEE.

FIRSTEE (J. Toeroek) – shifted in onto GRONKY in the vicinity of the 1000 metres. Rider reprimanded.

**STONE COLD FOX** (T. Pannell) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SKALARM** (D. Caboche) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**EXALTED TRAVELLER** (B. Griffiths) – rider reported that the gelding raced greenly throughout the event.

#### RACE 5: ROSEWORTHY CAR SPA BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 2236 metres

**JAGARNA** (J. Kah) – rider reported that the gelding travelled well in the early and middle stages; however, it had not finished off the race as she had anticipated. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 5: ROSEWORTHY CAR SPA BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 2236 metres (cont'd)

**LETSAVA WIN (NZ)** (A. Jordsjo) – contacted on jumping away. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TREICHELN (B. Griffiths) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

**THE BIG CHEESE** (J. Holder) – shifted out on jumping away and bumped LETSAVA WIN (NZ).

**DIVINE WEAVER** (D. Thornton) – held up from the vicinity of the 600 metres until near the 400 metres.

**MIDSOMER BARNABY** (T. Zanker) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

## RACE 6: CONDONS NORTH LAURA HOTEL/MOTEL BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP – 1618 metres

**LOKITIN** (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**COMPLETE CLASS** (R. Clark) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

**THE OTHER GUY** (J. Potter) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 7: THE ADVERTISER CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1418 metres

**HOLY TRILOGEY** (J. Toeroek) – slow to begin.

**JET EXPRESS** (D. Caboche) – became fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

**EXPLODE INTO SPACE** (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed an injury to the its off hind flexor tendon. First aid administered. Trainer, Mr S. Trenowden, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

LONE STAR RIPA (J. Potter) – raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

**OCTOMINT** (A. Jordsjo) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event and in the vicinity of the 1200 metres improved onto the heels of EXPLODE INTO SPACE.

## RACE 8: COOPERS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1218 metres

**COMBAT DANCER** (J. Kah) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**OUR PROSPECT** (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**OBLIQUE LINE** (K. Bishop) – reared on jumping away.

**ECOLANE** (J. Potter) – Trainer, Mr S. Whittle, was fined \$50 under AR59A for failing to produce the Thoroughbred Identification Card. The horse was permitted to start as it was able to be identified from records held by Stewards.

**WHITE JADE** (A. Jordsjo) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**SHEANNA** (A. Doyle) – slow to begin.

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# **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)**

Race 1 – TRIAGE (winner) Race 2 – EXALTED ADAM (winner) Race 3 – HE IS GOLDEN (winner) Race 4 – LUCKY WICK (winner)

Race 5 – MIDSOMER BARNABY (winner) Race 6 – COMPLETE CLASS (winner) Race 7 – GAME PIE (IRE) (winner) Race 8 – MAGNUS KNIGHT (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 3 – Mr M Webb – Fined \$100 – LR18.1 – Late notification of rider for DE VALOR.		
	Race 7 – E. Finnegan – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on CHAMBRAY.		
	Race 7 – B. Griffiths – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on BOLD JAZZ.		
	Race 8 – Mr S. Whittle – Fined \$50 – AR59A – Failing to produce the TIC for ECOLANE.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – A. Doyle (ANAMNESIS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
	Race 4 – J. Toeroek (FIRSTEE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
SUSPENSIONS	Race 2 – J. Potter (THE HOFFICER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – from midnight 17/07/17 to midnight 29/07/17 – 5 meetings.		
	Race 3 – S. Price (HE IS GOLDEN) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – from midnight 16/07/17 to midnight 26/07/17 – 4 meetings.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – BERNIE – Suspended – be required to be tractable in the barriers in an Official Trial or Jump-out prior to accepting for a future race – Fractious in barrier.		
	Race 2 – THE HOFFICER – Warning – Difficult to load.		
	Race 7 – EXPLODE INTO SPACE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Injured off hind tendon.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		

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