THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Saturday, 8 July 2017

<u>Stewards</u>: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), & C. Deakin (F), (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas & R. Dinning (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge & B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons)

TRACK: Heavy 9

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Out 3 metres from the 800 metres to the 400 metres, out 2 metres remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	LORD ROSENTHAL	S. Price	B. Griffiths	Overweight.
3	CASH IN COMING	A. Doyle		Emergency – notified.
4	ENEMY OF THE STATE	A. Jordsjo		Late declaration.
7	SCRATCHY LASS	H. Coffey		"
8	CHONDRA	K. Bishop		Emergency – notified.

RACE 1: GAWLER CARAVAN PARK HANDICAP - 1206 metres

LORD ROSENTHAL (B. Griffiths) – slow to begin. Raced very greenly throughout the event and was uncompetitive. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Co-trainers Ms K. McAnulty and Mr C. Binnie, were advised that the gelding would now be required to perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race. On Monday, 10 July 2017, Ms McAnulty advised Stewards that LORD ROSENTHAL had developed signs of a respiratory infection since racing on Saturday. The gelding will now be treated and spelled.

MIGHTY MICK (M. Neilson) – awkward to begin. Rider reported that in his opinion the gelding was not suited by the underfoot conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PEARL RAIDER (C. Lindop) – slow to begin.

RACE 2: A MOMENT IN TIME EVENT HIRE HANDICAP – 2112 metres

CHOSEN ANGEL (J. Holder) – struck the mounting yard fence en route to the barrier. Underwent a prerace veterinary examination and was passed fit to start. Severely hampered at the start.

RANCHO RELAXO (C. Lindop) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to have cardiac arrhythmia. Co-trainers, Mr L. Macdonald and Mr A. Gluyas, were advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.

COLONEL KLINK (NZ) (B. Claridge) – very awkward to begin and shifted in onto CHOSEN ANGEL, which was severely hampered.

MIGHTY MAHER (T. Pannell) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BON ELISE (J. Potter) – rider reported that it was not his intention to lead; however, after beginning fairly well from an outside barrier, being trapped wide in the early stages and having regard for the apparent lack of pace in the event, he elected to push forward and take up a position closer to the running rail, rather than being trapped wide without cover.

RACE 3: GBJC LIFE MEMBERS APPRECIATION HANDICAP - 1106 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes owing to GOLD DENARI proving fractious after being loaded into its barrier stall.

SIR CHARLESTON (NZ) (J. Holder) – Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after arrival on course. Late scratching by Order of Stewards acting on Veterinary advice that the gelding was lame in the near foreleg at 11.28 am. Trainer, Mr G. Young, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

JOY FLIPPER (S. Fawke) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 meters and was reprimanded. A post-race veterinary examination revealed excess upper respiratory noise. Trainer, Mr B. Mueller, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness with laryngoscopic examination was required prior to a future trial or race.

GOLD DENARI (H. Coffey) – became fractious in its barrier stall, reared and dislodged H. Coffey. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to start. Late scratching by Order of Stewards on Veterinary advice at 1.10 pm. H. Coffey was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and cleared of injury. Mr M. Seyers, acting on behalf of trainer Mr L. Kennewell, was advised that the filly would now have to prove tractable in either an Approval to Race Jump-out or Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race.

HONEY PRINCESS (FR) (Z. Spain) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

COPERNICUS (B. Griffiths) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

STRAGUN (A. Jordsjo) – became unbalanced for a stride near the 800 metres.

MAZUREK (E. Finnegan) – late scratching at 7.33 am by order of Stewards.

RACE 4: COOPERS BREWERY HANDICAP - 1506 metres

I'LL DECIDE (D. Thornton) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near foreleg. Mr C. McEvoy, acting on behalf of trainer, Mr T. McEvoy, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

POUND STERLING (C. Lindop) – jumped a patch near the 1400 metres.

UNRELATED (J. Toeroek) – slow to begin.

RACE 5: GOLDIN FARMS HANDICAP - 1206 metres

GALAXY FALLS (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GAME OF WAR (M. Neilson) – hampered for a short distance near the 800 metres.

HIDDEN FORTUNE (J. Toeroek) – awkward to begin. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres shifted in and inconvenienced HARLEM CHILD, which was taken in onto GAME OF WAR. Rider reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground.

MICA BE THE ONE (E. Finnegan) – Stewards considered a submission from trainer, Mr P. Stokes, to declare the filly a late scratching on the basis that the track conditions may not suit the filly having regard to it having its first start after a lay off. Stewards acceded to Mr Stokes' request and declared MICA BE THE ONE to be a late scratching at 1.58 pm.

HARLEM CHILD (V. Wong) – taken in near the 1000 metres and inconvenienced and thereafter approaching the 800 metres raced in restricted room inside HIDDEN FORTUNE and brushed with GAME OF WAR on a number of occasions resulting in GAME OF WAR being hampered.

RACE 6: AUSBIA ELECTRICAL HANDICAP - 1706 metres

STYLISH MISS (H. Coffey) – which weakened from rounding the home turn and performed below expectations underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities. Rider could offer no explanation for the horse's performance.

OCTOBER DATE (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAGIC BOY (J. Holder) – held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 600 metres until near the 400 metres.

ROSELLI STING (M. Neilson) – laid in throughout in the straight.

CREANCE (Z. Spain) – slow to begin.

VINTAGE GROVE (J. Toeroek) – laid in over the concluding stages.

RACE 7: LIFE MEMBER RAY BRUMBY TRIBUTE - 1506 metres

ALLEZ TARA (D. Caboche) – which had not raced since September 2016 underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

HOYLAKE (NZ) (A. Jordsjo) – which had not raced since August 2016 underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

BABITZIN (J. Toeroek) - Stewards considered a submission from trainer, Mr S. Burford, to declare the gelding a late scratching on the basis that the track conditions may not suit the gelding. Stewards acceded to Mr Burford's request and declared BABITZIN to be a late scratching at 2.45 pm.

DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR (D. Thornton) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SOCIAL SET (S. Cahill) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RAHEEBA (S. Fawke) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MR LIBERTY (V. Wong) – lost an off hind shoe during the event.

IMPORTANT (C. Lindop) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8: BACK TO THE EXCHANGE HOTEL AFTER PARTY HANDICAP - 1206 metres

BATTLE BREWING (R. Clark) – slow to begin. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

SANDHILL FLASH (S. Fawke) – hung out from in the vicinity of the 400 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

KILLAWARRA (S. Cahill) – laid in, in the straight.

GOLDEN CENTURY (M. Neilson) – late scratching by Order of Stewards at 8.09 am acting on advice from trainer, Mr J. Stevens, that the mare had an injury to the off foreleg.

PATCH HERO (J. Kah) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (12):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses:

Race 3 – PALE ALE, HONEY PRINCESS (FR). Race 4 – BREAKER OF CHAINS, KING TOMLOLA, STORM FOX. Race 6 – STYLISH MISS, ROSELLI STING. Race 7 – ALLEZ TARA, AFFRAY, SOCIAL SET. Race 8 – BATTLE BREWING, PATCH HERO.

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Race 6 – STYLISH MISS (unplaced)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 – FANCY RUMBLE (winner)

Race 2 – BON ELISE (winner)

Race 3 - CLASSY JACK (winner)

Race 4 – BREAKER OF CHAINS (winner)

Race 5 – IT'S BEEN A BATTLE (winner)

Race 6 – MAGIC BOY (winner)

Race 7 – LADY SILHOUETTE (winner)

Race 8 – BATTLE BREWING (winner)

SUMMARY					
FINES	Race 4 – Mr R. Balfour – Fined \$100 – LR18.1 – Late declaration of rider for ENEMY OF THE STATE.				
	Race 7 – Mr J. Hickmott – Fined \$100 – LR18.1 – Late declaration of rider for SCRATCHY LASS.				
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil				
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – S. Price – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on LORD ROSENTHAL. Race 3 – S. Fawke (JOY FLIPPER) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.				
	Race 5 – J. Toeroek (HIDDEN FORTUNE) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 8 – R. Clark (BATTLE BREWING) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.				
SUSPENSIONS	Nil				
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – LORD ROSENTHAL – Suspended – Must perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start. Race 2 – RANCHO RELAXO – Not to race – Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Vet and Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial – cardiac arrhythmia. Race 3 – SIR CHARLESTON – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. Race 3 – JOY FLIPPER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness with laryngoscopic examination required prior to a future trial or race – excess upper respiratory noise. Race 3 – GOLD DENARI – Suspended - Required to prove tractable in either an Approval to Race Jump-out or Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race – Tractable in barriers. Race 4 – I'LL DECIDE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.				
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil				
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil				