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

# Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 15 August 2018

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), C. Deakin (M), & M. Williams (F) (Stewards), K.

Lemay-Robbins (Cadet Steward), N. Hawkins & B. Schmidt (Deputy Stewards) Dr P.

Horridge & Dr R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 4 WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Normal

## **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CONSTANT RETURN	N. Newton	T. Sadler	Explanation accepted.
1	DAREBIN	J. Lynch		íí
6	BALTIC PRINCE	A. Chan	J. Huxtable	Indisposed.
7	RED DAZZLE	u	C. Lions	"

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### RACE 1: NATIONAL JOCKEYS TRUST STEEPLECHASE - 3280 metres

**URBAN EXPLORER (NZ)** (S. Pateman) – lost its off hind plate during the event.

**CONSTANT RETURN** (T. Sadler) – jumped the second steeple awkwardly.

**DAREBIN** (J. Lynch) – approaching the 600 metres was held up for clear running for a short distance.

All horses underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 2: TRANS AUSTRALIAN LIVESTOCK PTY LTD / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

**EURO GOLD** (J. Holder) – in the vicinity of the 500 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider.

**TROUBLESOME LAD** (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin.

WOODCROFT (R. Sakai) - in the vicinity of the 500 metres laid in marginally under pressure.

**HINDLEY STREET** (J. Kah) – for a short distance in the vicinity of the 500 metres raced in restricted room to the inside of WOODCROFT. As a result, HINDLEY STREET made contact with the running rail, became extremely unbalanced and lost its position. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr T. McEvoy, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

# RACE 3: MARY RAISON MEMORIAL / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

**WAIKATO EXPRESS** (J. Huxtable) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out inconveniencing CLAREFELILI.

BRUSSIA (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

# RACE 3: MARY RAISON MEMORIAL / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

**CLAREFELILLI** (K. Bishop) – inconvenienced on jumping away when WAIKATO EXPRESS jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

**JUST KAUTO** (E. Finnegan) – raced greenly in the straight.

**LUNCH MONEY** (P. Gatt) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACY ROSIE (R. Clark) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in inconveniencing CLAREFELILI.

# RACE 4: NATIONAL TRANSPORT INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

**AFRICAN LEGEND** (G. Lo) - slow to begin and then inconvenienced on jumping away when taken wider when BLUE TABLE jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

**GETOUTTHEWAY** (D. Morgan) – slow to begin. Raced greenly in the straight and laid in under pressure.

**DASH FOR SHARES** (J. Potter) – slow to begin.

**HIGHLY SKILLED** (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin.

**MISS ELEGANCE** (E. Finnegan) – performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**BLUE TABLE** (S. Fawke) – jumped away awkwardly and shifted out inconveniencing AFRICAN LEGEND, which was taken wider. Inclined to race greenly throughout the event.

### RACE 5: DON'T BOTHER ME @ GLENRAE STUD BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 900 metres

CELTIC BLAST (R. Hurdle) - jumped away awkwardly.

**GOLDEN LUSTRE** (G. Lo) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**FIRST REWARD** (E. Boyd) – from the vicinity of the 300 metres to inside the 100 metres had difficulty obtaining clear ground.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow G. Lo (GOLDEN LUSTRE), placed fifth, and trainer, Mr P. Stokes, to view the vision of the start. After doing so G. Lo and Mr Stokes made a submission to Stewards that GOLDEN LUSTRE being declared a non-runner on the grounds that the mare was impeded at the start. It was established that GOLDEN LUSTRE was fractious as the start was effected and as a result dropped its head and was slow to begin. Acting on their own observations and on the official vision Stewards deemed GOLDEN LUSTRE to be a starter and correct weight was delared.

## RACE 6: TERMINIX PEST & WEED CONTROL BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

**SUPERVELOCE (NZ)** (K. Lau) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**BIG BOY BLEV** (T. Pannell) – approaching the 100 metres had to be momentarily steadied when it improved onto heels.

**EVIL PRINCESS** (R. Hurdle) – performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**AMBER ALERT** (J. Potter) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

# RACE 6: TERMINIX PEST & WEED CONTROL BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP

- 1600 metres (Cont'd)

**JARRVIS** (A. Lindsay) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

#### RACE 7: PATERSON BULK TRANSPORT BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

**GIGGLON** (R. Clark) – performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MISTA KNOWITALL (D. Tourneur) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in bumping RED DAZZLE.

**SEEK TO DESTROY** (S. Fawke) – in the vicinity of the 1100 metres was awkwardly placed on heels for a short distance.

**RED DAZZLE** (C. Lions) – inconvenienced shortly after the star when MISTA KNOWITALL jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. 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.

**FORCE OF THREE** (E. Boyd) – jumped away awkwardly. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**MANHATTAN MELODY** (A. Lindsay) – late scratching at 8.01 am as this mare was found to have a skin irritation.

**DEEKS** (K. Bishop) – 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 fined \$200.

## RACE 8: JST TRANSPORT BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

**BLONDE MISSILE** (K. Lau) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100.

**SIR CHARLESTON (NZ)** (J. Kah) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SAND CAT** (S. Fawke) – bumped on jumping away when SCOTTISH THREAD jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

SCOTTISH THREAD (K. Crowther) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out bumping SAND CAT.

**PURRFECT KISSES** (P. Gatt) – from the vicinity of the 100 metres was inclined to lay in under pressure and was unable to be fully tested to the line.

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (1):

Race 5 – CELTIC BLAST (winner)

## **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):**

Race 1 – URBAN EXPLORER (NZ) (winner)

Race 2 – BURNING MAN (winner)

Race 3 - SWING IT SISTER (winner)

Race 4 – BRIMARVI VEHERÒ (winner)

Race 5 – CELTIC BLAST (winner)

Race 6 - EXALTED HONEY (winner)

Race 7 – BORRIS IN OSSORY (winner)

Race 8 – EXALTED DEE (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 7 – K. Bishop (DEEKS) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+5] – Whip offence.		
	Race 8 – K. Lau (BLONDE MISSILE) – Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 7 – C. Lions (RED DAZZLE) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – HINDLEY STREET – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	A. Chan		