THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Wednesday, 26 September 2018

<u>Stewards</u>: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (HT), S. Callanan (F) & M. Williams (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robbins (Cadet Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 4 (Upgraded to Good 3 at 1.26 pm retrospective to Race 2)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CHUMPUNYA	T. Pannell	A. Chan	Explanation accepted.

RACE 1: AUSBIA ELECTRICAL / SABOIS PLUS MAIDEN/CLASS ONE PLATE - 2100 metres

DOUBLESPEAK (J. Toeroek) – rider reported that the mare laid in throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JOHNNY JOHNNY (E. Finnegan) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider explained that it was not her intention to lead in today's event; however, due to the mannerisms of the gelding in the early stages it had taken up the lead of its own accord.

MANCHURIAN (W. Cave) – reared on jumping away. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

NUCLEAR BANG (D. Caboche) – jumped away awkwardly. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the vicinity of the 600 metres to near the 300 metres.

RED QUIRINA (C. Lions) – improved onto the heels of DOUBLESPEAK in the vicinity of the 400 metres and had to be steadied for a number of strides prior to shifting out to obtain clear ground.

CHUMPUNYA (T. Pannell) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

POETIC DIVA (J. Holder) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 2: TERRACE FUNCTION CENTRE CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1200 metres

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

DOUBLE DENMAN (J. Holder) - inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

CELEBRITY TYCOON (S. Fawke) – jumped away awkwardly.

MAXSAMIA (K. Bishop) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 3: KINGSFORD HOTEL / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

AMBIBELLA (S. Fawke) – rolled in inside the 400 metres.

NGAIRE (D. Tootell) – had to be momentarily steadied inside the 400 metres when AMBIBELLA rolled in slightly.

RACE 4: FRI 26TH OCTOBER GAWLER CUP / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1700 metres

INSTINCTUAL (T. Pannell) – late scratching at 7.45 am by order of Stewards. Trainer advised of his obligations under LR19.1.

KARAOKE EXPRESS (R. Hurdle) – inclined to lay in throughout the event.

SLIPPERY JOURNEY (K. Lau) – kicked by another runner on arrival at the barriers. Underwent a prerace veterinary examination and was passed fit to start.

SHE'S HOFF DANCING (K. Crowther) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: HOLDFAST INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes.

BLAZING ROW (D. Tourneur) – rider explained that the gelding had only travelled fairly during the event and when placed under pressure at the entrance to the straight failed to respond as he had anticipated. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DUG DEEP (K. Bishop) – late scratching at 3.09 am when it refused to load. Trainer, Ms S. Brennan, was advised that the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

THANASI (J. Toeroek) – fractious in its barrier after being loaded. Trainer, Mr D. Koch was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding. Shifted in on jumping away onto GOODGEE. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

ULTIMATE REALITY (J. Holder) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event and in the vicinity of the 700 metres rolled in onto STAR STATUS. Held up from the vicinity of the 600 metres until near the 300 metres.

STAR STATUS (E. Boyd) – had to be steadied in the vicinity of the 700 metres when ULTIMATE REALITY rolled in.

GOODGEE (D. Tootell) – proved difficult to load. Trainer, Mr P. Day, was advised that the filly would be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier trial prior to a future race start. Lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto ULTIMATE REALITY by THANASI. Race fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 6: COOPERS DRY BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1700 metres

TURNPIKE (A. Jordsjo) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

SIR CHARLESTON (NZ) (A. Chan) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FIRST DRAFT (D. Tootell) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

JUST RANGER (S. Fawke) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr D. O'Leary, was advised that a veterinary certificate of fitness was required prior to a future trial or race start.

RACE 7: GOLDIN FARMS - AKEED MOFEED BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1500 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

SPIRITOF ENDEAVOUR (USA) (J. Huxtable) – struck the barrier structure when attempting to be loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to start.

RACE 7: GOLDIN FARMS - AKEED MOFEED BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1500 metres (Cont'd)

HURRICANES (E. Finnegan) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid in over the concluding 600 metres and in the vicinity of the 400 metre laid in onto TAMARA MARIE.

JESTWIN (J. Kah) – shifted in on jumping away onto DOUBLE POCKETS. Had difficulty obtaining clear ground in the straight.

DOUBLE POCKETS (R. Hurdle) – hampered and lost its position on jumping away when JESTWIN shifted in.

RED DAZZLE (C. Lions) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

HE'S A VALLEYBOY (A. Chan) – slow to begin.

TAMARA MARIE (K. Crowther) – taken in by HURRICANES in the vicinity of the 400 metres onto SELDOM HOME.

SELDOM HOME (A. Jordsjo) – hampered in the vicinity of the 400 metres when TAMARA MARIE was taken in.

RACE 8: SCHILD ESTATE WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

INCUBUS (NZ) (G. Lo) - held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 100 metres.

ANYPORTINASTORM (E. Finnegan) - slow to begin.

GET IN THE BOWL (K. Crowther) – inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

OUR WITNESS (C. Lions) – raced fiercely throughout the event and inclined to shift about. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

ALBERDINI (D. Caboche) – reared on jumping away and was slow into stride.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

Race 1 – CHUMPUNYA (winner) Race 2 – MAXSAMIA (winner) Race 3 – MAGIC SUNSET (winner) Race 4 – SWEET MISCHIEF (winner) Race 5 – MAGNA BELLA (winner) Race 6 – I'M BULLETPROOF (winner) Race 7 – BURIED TREASURE (winner) Race 8 – PRICKLES (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Nil	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil	
REPRIMANDS	Nil	
SUSPENSIONS	Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 5 – DUG DEEP – Suspended – Must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start – Refused to load. Race 5 – THANASI – Warning – Fractious in barrier. Race 5 – GOODGEE – Suspended – Must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start – Difficult to load. Race 6 – JUST RANGER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near hind leg.	
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil	
ADJOURNED INQUIRY	Nil	

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