

THOROUGHBRED RACING SA LIMITED

ADDITIONAL STEWARDS' REPORT - BEAUTIFUL FLYER - DISQUALIFICATION

TRSA OFFICES - 11 MAY 2020

On Monday 16 March 2020 the South Australian Racing Appeals Tribunal (RAT) heard Trainer Mr. Len Jarvis' Appeal against the decision by TRSA Stewards on 30 January 2020, in respect of the racehorse BEAUTIFUL FLYER and the post-race urine sample taken from that horse on 22 June 2019.

It is noted that the post-race urine sample detected upon analysis the prohibited substance Cobalt at a level of 173 micrograms per litre, which is above the threshold of 100 micrograms per litre as declared under Division 3 Prohibited List B - Thresholds - part 11.

On 30 January 2020 Mr. Jarvis was found guilty of a charge under AR240(2), the particulars being that as a licensed trainer and the trainer of BEAUTIFUL FLYER at all relevant times leading up to and including Saturday, 22 June 2019, he did bring the said racehorse to the Morphettville Racecourse to participate in Race 8, the TAB Benchmark 75 Handicap run over 1200 meters for the purpose of starting in the said race and following the mare winning the event a post-race urine sample taken from BEAUTIFUL FLYER detected the prohibited substance Cobalt at a level of 173 micrograms per litre, which is above the threshold of 100 micrograms per litre as declared under Division 3 Prohibited List B - Thresholds - part 11.

Mr. Jarvis, pleaded not guilty, but was found guilty of the charge and his Trainers License was suspended for a period of 12 months. The suspension was ordered to commence at midnight on Thursday 6 February 2020 and to expire at midnight on Saturday 6 February 2021. In determining penalty, Stewards had regard for Mr. Jarvis's personal circumstances, his plea, factors relating to individual and general deterrence and the serious nature of breaches relating to prohibited substances. Stewards also noted this was Mr. Jarvis's fourth offence under the presentation rule.

At the Appeal before the RAT, Mr. Jarvis changed his plea to guilty. After considering the evidence, the RAT ordered the appeal be allowed and reduced the suspension to a period of six months, to commence at midnight on Monday 23 March and to expire at midnight 23 September 2020.

At the conclusion of the inquiry on 30 January 2020 Stewards, acting under AR240(1), determined that BEAUTIFUL FLYER be disqualified from Race 8, the TAB Benchmark 75 Handicap run over 1200 meters on Saturday, 22 June 2019 at the Morphettville racecourse. Having regard for the fact that the Appeal by Mr. Jarvis has now been finalised, Stewards advise the new result of the race is:

1 st	DEXELATION
2 ND	ARCHWAY TO HEAVEN
3 RD	EXTREME THRILL
4 TH	NEUROTIC
5 TH	FRANCE'S BOY
6 TH	MYSTIFIED

Sean Callanan
Senior Stipendiary Steward
21 May 2020
