## Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 12 October 2022



# <u>Stewards:</u> C. Deakin (A/Chairman), S. Callanan (F) & M. Zarb (HT) (Stewards), K. Rayson, H. Matthews (Cadet Stewards), L. Murch (Deputy Steward), Dr B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 3(Track with good grass coverage and cushion)Downgraded to Good 4 at 4.16pm retrospective to Race 6(Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Showers

#### RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	LOVE ME HARDER	J. Hampson	E. Boyd	Indisposed
4	DAUNTING DECISION		J. Toeroek	Emergency - notified

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#### RACE 1: TQCSI BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP (HEAT OF COUNTRY SERIES) - 1400 Metres

COOL MAGNUM (J. Maund) – rider could offer no explanation in relation to the gelding's below market expectation performance. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VICTORY BANDIT (M. Collett) - lost its off hind plate during the event.

SCARLET RIVER (A. Livesey) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHONCAPE (B. Wong) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

NEAR MAGIC (S. Fawke) - slow to begin.

RACE 2: AGFERT MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 Metres

ALMARHOE (S. Fawke) – raced greenly throughout the event. At the entrance to the straight shifted out and bumped ZARATSU. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HI CARL (NZ) (T. Pannell) – near the 400m was obliged to be steadied when tightened between DENMANSURA and RED FEATS, which shifted in. Rider explained the gelding never travelled. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.



MR NAFPLION (NZ) (P. Gatt) – approaching the 200m laid out and inconvenienced LAKE TITICACA.

#### RACE 2: AGFERT MAIDEN PLATE (1) - 1300 Metres (Cont'd)

RED FEATS (B. Wong) – laid in, in the straight. Approaching the 400m shifted in and tightened HI CARL (NZ). Rider reported the gelding raced greenly throughout the event.

ZARATSU (E. Wong) - at the entrance to the straight was bumped by ALMARHOE.

LAKE TITICACA (E. Boyd) – laid in throughout the event. Approaching the 200m was inconvenienced by MR NAFPLION (NZ). Rider explained that the mare laid in throughout the event and for that reason she was unable to fully test her mount in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PIER SEVENTEEN (J. Benbow) – held up for clear running from the 100m and was not fully tested to the finish. Rider reported that the gelding laid in throughout the event and for that reason was unable to improve to the outside of other runners.

MISSILE STAR (M. Collett) – laid in, in the straight. In the vicinity of the 200m shifted in and became awkwardly placed on the heels of QUIZZLE for a short distance. Rider reported that the filly was reluctant to improve between runners in the straight.

RACE 3: HAULMARK MAIDEN PLATE (2) - 1300 Metres

FINAL REIGN (K. Crowther) - laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LEAN THY ARMS (NZ) (J. Doyle) – inconvenienced on jumping away by ZILX. Approaching the 400m improved onto the heels of SUBUKI and was obliged to shift out. Lost its near hind plate during the event.

SIPSMITH (J. Holder) - slow to begin.

ZILX (B. Wong) – hampered on jumping away by HUMEA and was taken out onto LEAN THY ARMS (NZ).

DECIBELLES (D. Caboche) – in the vicinity of the 800m was hampered by FRUSCIANTE, which shifted out.

FRUSCIANTE (E. Wong) – approaching the 800m stumbled, shifted out and bumped DECIBELLES. Lost both fore plates during the event.

SHEMA (S. Fawke) – became awkwardly placed on the heels of SIPSMITH between the 600m and the 500m.

HUMEA (F. Atkinson) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and hampered ZILX. Rider reported that it was not her intention to lead in today's event; however, after jumping away well the filly found the lead and was reluctant to come back underneath her to allow her to find cover.

#### RACE 4: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

CLUB RAIDER (J. Doyle) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Raced greenly throughout the event. Near the 200m became awkwardly placed on the heels of SUBJUGATE, which was giving ground, shifted out to obtain clear running. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FAMILY TIES (P. Gatt) – on request by the rider, on arrival at the barriers, underwent a pre-race veterinary examination, which revealed no visible abnormalities. After further consultation with the rider and considering his concerns, FAMILY TIES was a late scratching by order of Stewards 2.59pm. Trainer Mr B. Hotham was advised that a Veterinary Clearance is required prior to a future jump out, trial or race.

MOORCHESTER (D. Tourneur) – proved difficult to load. Co-trainer, Mr J. Hickmott was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners.

OPAL BEACH (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 4: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1050 Metres (Cont'd)

TOSEN LAD (J. Maund) – jumped away awkwardly. In the vicinity of the 400m was bumped by LUCKY FORTUNA.

TOSEN ROYALE (D. Caboche) - laid in under pressure over the final 100 metres of the event.

LUCKY FORTUNA (A. Jordsjo) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 400m shifted out to obtain clear running and bumped TOSEN LAD.

PRIMED MELODY (B. Wong) - laid out throughout the event. Hung out at the entrance to the straight.

SECOND TO NUN (B. Price) – raced greenly in the straight. In the vicinity of the 400m shifted in onto the heels of TOSEN LAD.

SUBJUGATE (J. Benbow) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced in two years and was deemed suitable to race. Rider explained that he became concerned with the filly's action in the straight and for that reason did not ride his mount in his normal manner over the final 200m. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LOVE ME HARDER (E. Boyd) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination on arrival on course as it had not raced for 12 months and was deemed suitable to race.

#### RACE 5: TAYLORS WINES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

KONG (A. Livesey) – laid out rounding the home turn. At the entrance to the straight shifted out taking MR WHITACRE wider on the track. Rider was reminded of her obligations and advised to stop riding and straighten her mounts sooner when they commence to shift ground. Rider explained that KONG settled further back than intended. She added that at the entrance to the straight was too far back off the lead, given the tempo of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DEFACTOR (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and hampered MR WHITACRE.

BRAZILLIANT (J. Doyle) – laid out in the straight. Approaching the finish shifted out and tightened the running of LOPE DE WOLF. Rider was reminded of her obligations and advised in future to stop riding and straighten her mounts sooner when they commence to shift ground.

MR WHITACRE (K. Crowther) – hampered on jumping away by DEFACTOR. At the entrance to the straight was taken wider on the track by KONG.

LOPE DE WOLF (J. Toeroek) – in the vicinity of the 200m lost its near side winker. Approaching the finish was obliged to be steadied when tightened between KONG and BRAZILLIANT, when both runners shifted ground and was untested to the finish.

#### RACE 6: COOPERS BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres

VIDUKA (A. Livesey) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as the gelding had not raced in the past 12 months and was deemed suitable to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SEA WITNESS (J. Benbow) - jumped away awkwardly.

SHORT STORIES (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin. Rider explained the gelding was back in distance in today's event was unable to keep pace with the field in the early and middle stages of the event.



CLASSY KENNY (J. Maund) - in the vicinity of the 300m became disappointed when attempting a run to the outside of STRAWBERRY SWING and elected to shift back to its inside to obtain clear running.

STRAWBERRY SWING (B. Price) - jumped away awkwardly.

#### RACE 6: COOPERS BENCHMARK 68 HANDICAP - 1050 Metres (Cont'd)

MANAGE THE CYCLE (L. Neindorf) - jumped away awkwardly.

#### RACE 7: ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES CLASS TWO HANDICAP - 1300 Metres

YARDSTICK (A. Jordsjo) – rider explained her instructions were to settle where comfortable however, after jumping away well from the inside gate, the gelding found the lead. She added it was not the intention to lead the race. She stated YARDSTICK travelled comfortably in front.

INDY MAGIC (A. Livesey) – laid in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

IS THAT SO (P. Gatt) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

TEXAN WINDSTORM (L. Neindorf) - laid in, in the straight. Approaching the 300m shifted in.

CENTRE SCOOTA (B. Vorster) - jumped away slowly.

SHE'S FULL OF IT (J. Potter) - slow to begin.

SCOTCH ON THE ROCK (J. Eaton) – jumped away slowly. Laid out throughout the event. Rider reported that she had become concerned with the gelding's action on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8: ATLAS EVENT & PARTY HIRE RATING 0-54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

PRESCIENT (J. Eaton) – laid in, in the straight. Approaching the 100m shifted in tightening the running of BLUDOG. Rider was reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to straighten her mounts when they commence to shift ground in future.

BLUDOG (P. Gatt) – in the vicinity of the 200m improved into the run to the inside of PRESCIENT shifted in and away from that gelding tightening the running of EPAULETTE PRINCE. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and advised to make a greater effort to straighten his mounts sooner when they commence to shift ground.

EPAULETTE PRINCE (R. Hurdle) - inside the 200m was hampered by BLUDOG taken in onto CELERITATE REGEM and was obliged to be checked.

TAJAVEDO (B. Wong) - got its down as the start was affected and as a result, was slow to begin. Inside the 200m was obliged to shift out to avoid the heels of EPAULETTE PRINCE.

COMPARDY (M. Collett) - laid out throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 800m shifted out.

HIGHLY RIGHTEOUS (J. Holder) – in the vicinity of the 700m was bumped by PRINCESS SALLY and became unbalanced and stumbled.

CELERITATE REGEM (J. Doyle) - inside the 200m was hampered by EPAULETTE PRINCE and was obliged to be steadied.

CHEH CHEH CHARLEE (J. Toeroek) – held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until the 300m.

POLLYANNA (B. Price) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HARDASHIAN (D. Tourneur) - inside the 200m inconvenienced by TAJAVEDO, which shifted out.

PRINCESS SALLY (L. Neindorf) - when racing in restricted room inside the 700m between HIGHLY RIGHTEOUS and CHEH CHEH CHARLEE became awkward, shifted out and bumped HIGHLY RIGHTEOUS taking that runner wider.



Correct weight was delayed to allow P. Gatt (BLUDOG), placed second, and Trainer Mr D. Jolly to view the vision in the straight.

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#### ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

- Race 1 HYPERCANE (winner)
- Race 2 DASH IT (winner) Race 3 VICTORY TIME (winner) Race 4 LUCKY FORTUNA (winner)
- Race 5 MAGIC PHANTOM (winner)
- Race 6 SEA WITNESS (winner)
- Race 7 TEXAN WINDSTORM (winner)
- Race 8 PRESCIENT (winner)

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### REPRIMANDS FOR WHIP USE

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Stewards reprimanded the following riders under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using the whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 meters. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of whip use.					
		Prior to 100m	Final 100m		
Race 1	E. Wong (HYPERCANE) -	+2	5		
Race 2	C. Murray (TOUGH PARTY)	+1	0		
Race 3	S. Fawke (SHEMA)	+2	4		
Race 5	A. Jordsjo (SMARTKAP)	+1	3		
Race 6	D. Caboche (AMANI FARASI)	+2	2		
Race 6	B. Vorster (TWO ODD SOX)	+1	4		

SUMMARY				
FINES	Nil			
SEVERE	Race 8 - P. Gatt (BLUDOG) - AR131(a) - Careless riding			
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - FAMILY TIES - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to official jump out, trail or race - Late scratching Race 4 - MOORCHESTER - Warned - Barrier manners.			
ADJOURNED	Nil			
INQUIRIES				
MEDICAL	Nil			
CLEARANCE				



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