# Racing SA Ltd Stipendiary Stewards' Report

Report on Race Meeting held at Clare Racecourse by the Clare Racing Club on Sunday, 12 March 2023



Stewards: E. Scott (A/Chairman), P. Ryan (HT) & A. Hayles (F) (Stewards), D. Jonas & K.

Marnane (Deputy Stewards), Dr T. Koenig (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 4 (Track with some give in it)

RAIL: True

WEATHER: Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:** 

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	MARGIN OF ERROR	J. Potter	D. Caboche	Transport difficulties
5	MISS MCGREGOR	S. Logan	E. Wong	Not riding at meeting

## RACE 1: SC HEINRICH AND CO PTY LTD MAIDEN PLATE - 1800 Metres

KEMI (E. Wong) - hampered shortly after the start when POWERFUL FLYER shifted out abruptly.

POWERFUL FLYER (C. Tootell) - jumped away awkwardly and shortly after shifted out abruptly hampering KEMI and HI BABY FACE. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

EXALTED BELLE (D. Tourneur) - near the 300m shifted out when insufficiently clear resulting in LENTINO having to steady. Rider reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

HI BABY FACE (S. Metcalfe) - hampered shortly after the start when POWERFUL FLYER shifted out abruptly. Rider reported that the mare did not handle today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LENTINO (B. Price) - obliged to be steadied near the 300m to avoid the heels of EXALTED BELLE, which shifted out.

PRANCING IBIS (J. Eaton) - on passing the winning post on the first occasion got its head up whilst over-racing and raced ungenerously for a short distance.

## RACE 2: BIG SCREEN VIDEO FILLIES & MARES BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately four minutes.

INDIAN GAZELLE (D. Tourneur) – lost its off hind plate en route to the barrier and was required to be reshod. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to race. Rider explained that the mare was not suited to the tempo of the race, and in his opinion would be better suited over greater distances. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LADY WAIRUA (NZ) (C. Munro) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

#### RACE 3: 5CS AND MAGIC FM MAIDEN HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

FOREIGN LEGION (S. Payne) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and bumped TENTATIVE BID.

ENUFF RED (T. Pannell) – on jumping away shifted out and became unbalanced when its hindquarters were contacted by TENTATIVE BID. Near the 1000m bumped with I'M APRANCER and became unbalanced. Approaching the winning post shifted in slightly and brushed with EASTSIDE DIAMOND.

I'M APRANCER (J. Potter) - near the 1000m bumped with ENUFF RED and became unbalanced. Laid in, in the straight.

EASTSIDE DIAMOND (D. Tourneur) - approaching the winning post shifted out slightly and brushed ENUFF RED.

TENTATIVE BID (F. Atkinson) – on jumping away was hampered and lost its position when tightened onto ENUFF RED by FOREIGN LEGION. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

LOOKING AT YOU KID (E. Wong) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 4: TERRY HOWE COLTS, GELDINGS & ENTIRES BENCHMARK 58 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

LORD VARYS (A. Livesey) - near the 600m laid in and away from SANBUCK tightening OMOPLATA despite the efforts of its rider resulting in OMOPLATA having to be checked. Trainer, Mr M. McClean, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners.

EXCUSES EXCUSES (J. Potter) - inconvenienced on jumping away when CUT TO PIECES shifted out.

YANACOCHA (Z. Lloyd) - refused to load. Stewards declared YANACOCHA a late scratching at 3.02pm. Trainer, Mr D. Page, was advised that the gelding must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start.

FREYCINET (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

OMOPLATA (D. Tourneur) - near the 600m had to be checked when tightened by LORD VARYS, which laid in, and as a result lost considerable ground.

CUT TO PIECES (F. Atkinson) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

### RACE 5: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA RATING 0 - 52 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres

FINAL CHANCE (J. Potter) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed a laceration to the near fore pastern. First aid administered. Trainer, Mr S. Whittle, was advised that a Veterinary Clearance would be required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start.

NORTHERN SUPERSTAR (H. Yuen) - became fractious in the barriers after being loaded. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Co-trainer, Mr G. Searle, was advised that a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its barrier manners.

DUCHESS NICCI (B. Price) - near the 150m, when racing tight to the inside of CYBER INTERVENTION, was taken in onto UNICORNY.

### RACE 5: CLARE VALLEY TOYOTA RATING 0 - 52 HANDICAP - 1100 Metres (cont'd)

CYBER INTERVENTION (D. Tourneur) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. Near the 150m, when racing tight to the outside of DUCHESS NICCI, shifted in slightly taking DUCHESS NICCI in onto UNICORNY, which shifted in and away from that gelding tightening DECISIVE HEART, which had to be checked. Rider was severely reprimanded under AR131(a) and was advised that in future he would be required to make a greater effort to keep his mounts straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SQUADRON LEADER (S. Fawke) - slow to begin.

UNICORNY (D. Caboche) - near the 150m shifted in and away from DUCHESS NICCI, which had been taken in by CYBER INTERVENTION.

DECISIVE HEART (S. Metcalfe) - near the 150m, when weakening, was tightened by UNICORNY, which had shifted in and away from DUCHESS NICCI, which was taken in by CYBER INTERVENTION, had to be checked and lost ground.

#### RACE 6: JIM BARRY 2023 MEMORIAL CUP BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1800 Metres

NEVA DOUBT US (T. Voorham) - slow into stride. Held up for clear running from the 500m until the 300m.

PUISSANCE DUSOLEIL (D. Tourneur) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

SILENT DON (T. Pannell) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100m and was fined \$100. In determining penalty Stewards had regard for the totality of the use of the whip by T. Pannell and noted that he used it on two occasions over the final 100m of the event.

BIANCO NUOVO (J. Potter) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start.

FIABLE (NZ) (B. Price) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a slower than expected recovery.

### RACE 7: TAB BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 Metres

TALES OF CONFLICT (J. Doyle) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was deemed suitable to start. On jumping away shifted in and bumped CHICK IN CHARGE.

GLACIER GREY (A. Livesey) - rider reported that the gelding was slow to begin and settle further back than she had anticipated. She added that the gelding never travelled throughout the event and was disappointing. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HE WILL BOOM (H. Yuen) - shifted out under pressure in the straight.

GRAVITY (T. Voorham) - near the 100m was hampered when awkwardly placed on the heels of HE WILL BOOM, which shifted out under pressure. Held up for clear running between over the concluding stages between TALES OF CONFLICT and HE WILL BOOM.

CHICK IN CHARGE (F. Atkinson) - on jumping away was bumped by TALES OF CONFLICT, which shifted out.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow C. Jones (SAND CAT), placed second, and that mare's trainer, Ms E. Hubbard, and B. Price (COMMANDO MISS), placed third, and the Stewards to view the Official Photo. After doing so Stewards declared correct weight.





Race 2 - MAGIC DELTA (winner) Race 3 - EASTSIDE DIAMOND (winner)

Race 5 - CATALINA BLUE (winner)

Race 6 - LORD OF DARKNESS (NZ) (winner)

Race 7 - CHONCAPE (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 6 - T. Pannell (SILENT DON) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii) - Whip offence [+4].		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 5 - D. Tourneur (CYBER INTERVENTION) - AR131(a) - Careless riding.		
REPRIMANDS	Nil		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - LORD VARYS - Warned - Racing manners - Laid in. Race 4 - YANACOCHA - Suspended - Must load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial prior to a future race start - Refused to load. Race 5 - FINAL CHANCE - Not to race - Vet Clearance required prior to a future jump-out, trial or race start. Race 5 - NORTHERN SUPERSTAR - Warned - Fractious in the barrier.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		

