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

Report on Race Meeting held at the Naracoorte Racecourse by the Naracoorte Racing Club on Sunday, 25 September 2011

Stewards: P. Anderson (A/Chairman) & C. Deakin (HT) (Stewards),

R. Spillman, J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (M) (Deputy Stewards)

Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Dead 4 (Upgraded to Good 3 @ 1.25 pm) WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	GREEN WATERS	N. McLean		Notified

RACE 1: GRAROCK PLUMBING / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

The start of this race was delayed owing to EXOCET EDDY proving difficult to load. Mr. M. Seyers, the Trainer of EXOCET EDDY, was advised a repetition of the gelding's behaviour could lead to action being taken against it.

Approaching the 300 metres FRADEMA (H. McKechnie) shifted in and as a consequence COSTLY ARGUMENT (D. Tourneur) had to be steadied for a short distance. H. McKechnie was advised of her obligations when her mounts shift ground.

From the 200 metres FRADEMA (H. McKechnie) was disappointed when attempting to take a run between HYLENA (K. Walters) to its inside and PRINCESS NOKIA (A. Patterson) to its outside and getting to the 100 metres had to be checked to avoid the heels of HYLENA, which shifted out abruptly to avoid the heels of EXOCET EDDY (S. Price).

Following the running of this race, the Stewards upgraded the track to a Good 3 at 1.25 pm.

RACE 2: COMTEC COMMUNICATIONS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1430 metres

Mrs. B. Marshman, the Trainer of GREEN WATERS, was severely reprimanded for presenting the mare prior to entering the mounting enclosure with incorrect gear, namely winkers not on.

THE NEEDLE EYE (E. Curran) raced wide throughout the event.

During the event, the saddle on SUPA COOL DUDE (J. Potter) slipped.

J. Potter, the rider of the fifth placegetter SUPA COOL DUDE, was severely reprimanded for failing to weigh in following the race.

RACE 3: BE-RAY CABINETS HANDICAP - 1200 metres

When the gates were released ROCKY CAMP (S. Harrison) and PEDANTIC MISS (D. Tourneur) bumped.

RACE 3: BE-RAY CABINETS HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

N. McLean, the rider of TEARS I CRY, was advised she should ride her mounts out to the finish of the race as required under the Rules.

Mr. T. Dansie, the Trainer of IDALOU, reported the gelding had lost its near side fore plate during the event.

RACE 4: G D & V K SCHOLEFIELD RATING 0-76 HANDICAP - 1430 metres

Racing to the 1000 metres SCOUSE (D. Tourneur), which had a tendency to over-race, had to be steadied for a short distance.

Racing to the 100 metres SCOUSE (D. Tourneur) laid in and as a result D. Tourneur had to stop riding and straighten the gelding.

MUMBAI MISS lost its off fore plate during the event.

RATHVILLY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: TAPS PLUMBING RATING 0-65 HANDICAP - 2000 metres

Acting on a confirmed telephone call from Mr. D. Londregan, the Trainer of MR HIERARCHY, that the gelding would not handle the upgraded track condition, Stewards withdrew MR HIERARCHY at 2.20 pm.

FINAL FOLLY (H. McKechnie) had a tendency to over-race in the early and middle stages of the race.

H. McKechnie, the rider of FINAL FOLLY, reported the gelding laid in over the concluding stages of the event.

RACE 6: KERKHOF CONCRETE CONTRACTORS CLASS 1 HANDICAP - 1430 metres

Acting on a confirmed telephone call from Mr. D. Elford, the Trainer of GOLDEN INGOT, that the gelding would not handle the upgraded track condition, Stewards withdrew GOLDEN INGOT at 1.35 pm.

PICOBELLO (A. Patterson) blundered and dipped on jumping away.

Racing to the 100 metres HIDDEN TEARS (J. Potter) and FRIENDSINTHEFIELD (S. Price) brushed.

RACE 7: DONNA ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS RATING 0-59 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed four minutes owing to MALAGANIA, which became cast in the barriers after being loaded, having to be examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare had suffered abrasions to its hind legs and ruled it unfit to race. Acting on this advice, Stewards withdrew MALAGANIA at 5.01 pm. Mr. R. Daniel, the Trainer of MALAGANIA, was advised the mare would be required to prove tractable in the barriers after being loaded to the Stewards' satisfaction prior to accepting for a future race.

MY JESSY (K. Walters) was very slow to begin.

RACE 7 : DONNA ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS RATING 0-59 HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

P. Marks, the rider of SWIPER (NZ), reported on return to Scale his saddle slipped racing to the 500 metres, placing him at a disadvantage for a short distance and as a consequence SWIPER (NZ) laid in over the final 100 metres of the event.

PRE RACE SAMPLES:

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO₂ testing:

Race 5 BISHOP OF DERRY, RETLAW LAD, FINAL FOLLY, BIRCHMORE ROAD.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES:

Race 6 HENRY'S QUEST (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – J. Potter (SUPA COOL DUDE) – Failing to weigh in after race.		
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – Mrs. B. Marshman – Presented GREEN WATERS to race without winkers.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – EXOCET EDDY – Warned – Difficult to load.		
	Race 7 – MALAGANIA – Not to Race – Required to prove tractable in barriers after being loaded prior to accepting for a future race – Fractious and became cast in barriers.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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