THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Gawler Racecourse by the Gawler & Barossa Jockey Club on Wednesday, 5 October 2011

<u>Stewards</u>: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), J. Petzer (F), A. Hayles (HT), & C. Deakin (M) (Stewards), C. Parks (Deputy Steward) & Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Slow 6 (Downgraded to Slow 7 @ 11.30 am)

WEATHER: Showery

Rail: True.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	SHE'SMISUNDERSTOOD	P. Gatt	M. Neilson	Indisposed
2	PERFECT CROWN	"	N. Rose	"
3	BETTER ARK UP	"	T. Pannell	"
3	VIVA LA RANGA	C. Lindop		Late notification
4	STRAIGHT EIGHT	T. Pannell		Late notification – explanation accepted.
5	CALLMEDAN	P. Gatt	J. Potter	Indisposed
8	DAILY FLYER	"	N. Rose	"
8	FLOWER FORCE	J. Matthews	L. Stojakovic	Overweight – explanation accepted.

RACE 1 : COOPERS PALE ALE / SABOIS MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres

AMBLING, which arrived on course with a minor laceration to its jaw, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and ruled fit to race.

MADAM DAWN (S. Price) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto BEEARCH (T. Pannell), which was tightened onto AMBLING (A. Herrmann), which shifted in contacting ANKARGO (T. Zanker).

DESERT TALES (J. Matthews) was inclined to lay out in the straight and in the vicinity of the 200 metres rolled out slightly and brushed FRENCH COLLECTION (S. Cahill).

Racing to the 100 metres FRENCH COLLECTION (S. Cahill) shifted out and away from DESERT TALES (J. Matthews), which continued to lay out, resulting in FRENCH COLLECTION and MEADOWS STORM (C. Lindop), which was racing to the outside of that mare, being inconvenienced when taken off their running lines.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow S. Cahill, the rider of the fourth placegetter FRENCH COLLECTION, to view the official vision in the straight.

AMBLING, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : KINGSFORD HOTEL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1715 metres

On jumping away FRENZIED DANE (M. Neilson) was inconvenienced when tightened between MY EX MATE (S. Cahill), which shifted in slightly, and DELZARGO (L. Hopwood), which shifted out slightly.

RACE 2 : KINGSFORD HOTEL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1715 metres (Cont'd)

PERFECT CROWN (N. Rose) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres FRENZIED DANE (M. Neilson) shifted out and bumped SPECIAL KATE (S. Price), which was inconvenienced.

M. Hoppo, the rider of MEADOWS MAID, reported in his opinion the mare had not handled the track condition. MEADOWS MAID, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported mild tying up in both hindquarters. First Aid was administered.

RACE 3 : GAWLER SOUTH BAKERY / SABOIS C,G&E MAIDEN PLATE - 1111 metres

On jumping away VIVA LA RANGA (C. Lindop) shifted in slightly, contacting RULING DOUBT (S. Cahill), resulting in VIVA LA RANGA being taken out onto SMARTY WELLS (L. Hopwood), which was inconvenienced.

Shortly after the start SMARTY WELLS (L. Hopwood) shifted in slightly and had to be steadied off the heels of VIVA LA RANGA (C. Lindop), which rolled out.

SMARTY WELLS, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : BULLAROOK PARK STUD / SABOIS 3YO MAIDEN PLATE - 1211 metres

KISSED AGAIN (N. Rose) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in onto AUSSIE BANDIT (L. Stojakovic).

On jumping away OUR COVER GIRL (S. Price) shifted out and contacted STRAIGHT EIGHT (T. Pannell) taking that gelding out onto BULLOCK HEART (S. Cahill), which was inconvenienced when taken out onto NADAHKA (J. Frew), which was hampered.

GRANULATOR (A. Patterson) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out abruptly making heavy contact with CALM CLEO (NZ) (C. Lions), which was hampered and lost its position when tightened onto OUR COVER GIRL (S. Price).

Shortly after entering the straight AUSSIE BANDIT (L. Stojakovic) was momentarily held up on the heels of VELOCIDADE (M. Neilson) and in attempting to improve, shifted out onto OUR COVER GIRL (S. Price), which was inconvenienced when taken out onto MUGHAREEGA (D. Tootell).

N. Rose, the rider of KISSED AGAIN, reported to Stewards in his opinion the filly had been galloped on in the incident on jumping away. KISSED AGAIN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a minor laceration to the outside cannon on the near hind leg. First Aid was administered.

CALM CLEO (NZ), which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a persistent cough, which in his opinion was more than likely due to kick back from the track.

RACE 5 : WATERSEARCH / SABOIS + CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 2121 metres

BIRCHMORE ROAD (L. Stojakovic) was slow to begin.

A. Patterson, the rider of PIERREMONT EXPRESS, was questioned regarding a gesture he had made prior to the winning post in that he had patted his mount. A. Patterson was advised in future that type of gesture may be deemed to be celebratory by the Stewards.

RACE 6 : COCA-COLA RATING 0-59 HANDICAP - 1715 metres

CRUZ'N NOW (J. Matthews) was slow to begin.

MAKEATON (A. Patterson) raced wide without cover in the early stages of the event.

M. Neilson, the rider of DIVINE BEING, explained he was comfortable with where he had settled during the event and had asked DIVINE BEING to improve from the vicinity of the 800 metres and was of the opinion it had travelled into the race well. He added he placed DIVINE BEING under pressure in the vicinity of the 400 metres and it failed to respond to his riding and in his opinion had not handled the track condition. DIVINE BEING was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ARAZAMATAZ, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 7 : TARRAWATTA EQUINE SERVICES RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1111 metres

Mr. B. Brook, the Trainer of HE'S A HOUNDOG, put a submission to Stewards that the gelding be scratched due to the condition of the track. Stewards acceded to this request and withdrew HE'S A HOUNDOG at 1.23 pm.

SIXTYKAY (S. Cahill) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, brushing CATTYSHACK (A. Patterson).

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow Mr. B. Bogarts, the Trainer of the second placegetter TWILIGHT DANCER, to view the official footage in the straight.

CATTYSHACK, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : COOPERS CLEAR CLASS 1 HANDICAP - 1211 metres

Acting on confirmed advice from Mrs. L. Ryan, the Trainer of THE CATCHER, that the gelding had an elevated temperature and was unfit to race, Stewards withdrew THE CATCHER at 8.45 am.

MISSIONARY MANN (L. Hopwood) knuckled on jumping away and shortly after that rider was forced to take hold when tightened between the heels of BICKER (C. Lindop), which jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, and JUSTIFY THAT (T. Baker), which shifted in on jumping away.

Approaching the finish SALUTE THE GENERAL (S. Price) was forced to steady momentarily when tightened by JUSTIFY THAT (T. Baker), which shifted in under pressure. T. Baker was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground.

S. Price, the rider of SALUTE THE GENERAL, pleaded guilty to a charge under ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES:

Race 2-MY EX MATE (winner)Race 4-GRANULATOR (winner)Race 8-CLEARLY PASSIONATE (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 3 – Mr. G. Richards – Fined \$50 – LR.18.1 – Late declaration of a rider for VIV LA RANGA.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – S. Price (SALUTE THE GENERAL) – ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) +1 – Whip Offence.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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