

THOROUGHBRED RACING SA LIMITED

ADDITIONAL STEWARDS' REPORT

MORPHETTVILLE – FRIDAY, 29 JUNE 2012

Trainer, Mr. D. O'Leary, in accord with his responsibilities under Rule ARR.140(b), has advised Stewards of recent surgery to horses in his stable.

BREAK THE DRY (last started at Gawler on 21 December 2011 – won)

The Trainer has advised this mare returned to work during April after which it contacted a virus. During veterinary treatment, an issue was detected with regard to its soft palate and subsequently BREAK THE DRY underwent corrective surgery in the first week of May. Mr. O'Leary reported BREAK THE DRY will continue its current preparation.

<u>VALUE AS</u> (last started at Morphettville Parks on 26 November 2011)

Mr. O'Leary has advised that in his opinion, during is previous campaign, the gelding had frequently exhibited virus like symptoms which, despite endoscopic examination, continued to occur. He stated that after VALUE AS returned to work in early April, an issue was detected with regard to its soft palate and the gelding underwent corrective surgery in the first week of May. Mr. O'Leary confirmed VALUE AS would continue its current preparation.

STRATA XAAR (last started at Murray Bridge on 4 December 2011)

Mr. O'Leary has advised that following a jump out in early May, a subsequent veterinary examination of STRATA XAAR, which was having its first preparation for his stable, detected an upper airway problem. Consequently STRATA XAAR underwent corrective surgery in early May. The Trainer confirmed STRATA XAAR would continue its current preparation.