THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Thursday, 19 July 2012

Stewards: J. Petzer (A/Chairman), A. Hayles (F), L. Smith (M), S. Callanan (HT) & C.

Deakin (Stewards), I. Dally & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P Horridge &

Dr. R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Dead 4 WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	STAR CONTESSA	T. Baker		Notified
6	KUITPO DANCER	B. Claridge		,

RACE 1: NOEL HAMDEN TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

DANCES WITH SPURS, which contacted the running rail on route to the barriers, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the start and ruled unfit to race. Acting on this advice, Stewards withdrew DANCES WITH SPURS at 12.32 pm.

The start of this race was delayed slightly owing to MISS INTENSUS proving difficult to load.

MEADOWS MIST (C. Lindop) jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and contacted GOLDBYA (C. Lever).

MEADOWS WINGS (M. Neilson) began awkwardly.

DANCING POETESS (J. Potter) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres MISS INTENSUS (D. Tourneur) shifted in onto DINKY DI GOLD (J. Holder), resulting in DINKY DI GOLD having to be checked, becoming unbalanced and losing its position. D. Tourneur was found guilty of a charge of Careless Riding under ARR.137(a) in that he shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 21 July and to conclude at midnight on Wednesday, 1 August 2012; a period of four (4) meetings.

Racing to the 500 metres GOLDBYA (C. Lever) became awkward on the heels of MISS INTENSUS (D. Tourneur) for a short distance.

Approaching the 150 metres DANCING POETESS (J. Potter), which became held up behind MISS INTENSUS (D. Tourneur) and to the inside of GOLDBYA (C. Lever), which raced greenly, shifted out to improve and brushed GOLDBYA and thereafter shifted out abruptly, of its own accord, inconveniencing GOLDBYA.

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

RACE 2: JOHN HAIGH MAIDEN PLATE - 1950 metres

Racing to the 400 metres TOBY'S STATEMENT (A. Patterson) shifted out and brushed MAGICAL SUN (J. Holder).

RACE 2: JOHN HAIGH MAIDEN PLATE - 1950 metres (Cont'd)

M. Neilson, the rider of MELS LAST STAND, reported his mount hung out during the event.

RACE 3: SAJC LIFE MEMBERS LUNCH MAIDEN PLATE - 1250 metres

SET TO EXCITE (M. Neilson) jumped away awkwardly.

Racing to the 1000 metres BIG POND (T. Pannell) raced in restricted room for a short distance inside ALMIGHTY BULLET (J. Holder), which rolled in.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres I'D PREFERDIAMONDS (L. Hopwood) became awkwardly placed on the heels of STAR CONTESSA (T. Baker) for a number of strides, got its head up, raced ungenerously and lost its position.

Approaching the 400 metres BOLTIN' HENRY (C. Lever) became held up for a number of strides when racing behind SET TO EXCITE (M. Neilson).

In the vicinity of the 300 metres BIG POND (T. Pannell), which was inclined to lay in, was inconvenienced by ALMIGHTY BULLET (J. Holder), which shifted out to improve.

- S. Westover, the rider of GOING CONCERN, reported in his opinion the mare may have been galloped on. GOING CONCERN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.
- L. Hopwood, the rider of I'D PREFERDIAMONDS, reported her mount laid in throughout the event. I'D PREFERDIAMONDS was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4 : SUZANNE MCTAGGART 3YO MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres LAKE DAIAN (T. Pannell) raced ungenerously for a short distance.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres LADY PHOENIX (K. Bishop) became awkwardly placed on the heels of MESTARI (M. Neilson) for a number of strides and was obliged to be steadied.

Inside the 400 metres I'M A MENICE (J. Potter) raced in restricted room between MESTARI (M. Neilson) and KING'S GIFT (J. Bowditch), which both shifted ground slightly. As a consequence I'M A MENICE shifted in abruptly and lost its position.

S. Cahill, the rider of NATURAL HERO, reported the gelding hung out throughout the event. NATURAL HERO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities other than a slightly higher than expected heart rate.

RACE 5: THE GIORGIO CARBONE RATING 0-71 HANDICAP - 1250 metres

SCHOORWIN (D. Tourneur) over-raced in the middle stages of the event.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to permit A. Herrmann, the rider of ZEN, the third placegetter, and that gelding's Trainer, Mr. G. Richards, to view the official photo for second.

RACE 6: DAVID COLES AM RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

DRIFTING SPIRIT (M. Tyndall) shifted out on jumping away, became awkward and contacted with ELEFTHERIA (P. Gatt).

RACE 6: DAVID COLES AM RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1000 metres (Cont'd)

In the vicinity of the 200 metres MEAN JEAN (K. Bishop) shifted out under riding and inconvenienced STELLA JEUNE (C. Lindop). K. Bishop was reminded of her obligations when shifting ground in future.

AL'S AWAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported an elevated heart rate.

J. Toeroek, the rider of AMERICAN TRILOGY, explained his instructions were to take up a forward position. He stated the gelding began only fairly and due to the pace in the early stages of the event, he was obliged to settle a little further back than instructed. He added that the gelding was under pressure from inside the 500 metres, failed to respond to his riding and performed disappointingly. AMERICAN TRILOGY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a minor superficial abrasion to the near hind pastern.

RACE 7: DAN MORIARTY RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

In the vicinity of the 100 metres ELSEWHERE (M. Neilson) shifted out taking NO DOUBTFIRE (K. Bishop) wider for a short distance. M. Neilson was advised in similar circumstances in future he should stop riding and straighten his mount.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to permit K. Bishop, the rider of the second placegetter, NO DOUBTFIRE, and Mr. B. Dunn, the Trainer of the gelding, to view the vision in the straight. After doing so K. Bishop lodged an objection against ELSEWHERE (M. Neilson) being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference over the concluding 100 metres. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *dismissed* K. Bishop's objection.

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

GENERAL:

RACE 1: NOEL HAMDEN TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

Mr. J. Cornell, the Trainer of MEADOWS WINGS, reported on Friday, 20 July 2012 the filly was found to have a boil to the off side of its mouth.

PRE RACE SAMPLES (6):

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

Race 2 COUNT CAPRI, MAGICAL SUN, MICKIEM, TOBY'S STATEMENT, FIREWEED, PRETTY BLONDE.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):

Race 1 MISS INTENSUS (winner) Race 5 KING RODNEY (winner)
Race 2 PRETTY BLONDE (winner) Race 6 ELEFTHERIA (winner)
Race 3 SOCIAL ASSASSIN (winner) Race 7 ELSEWHERE (winner)

Race 4 MESTARI (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Nil	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil	

SUMMARY (Cont'd)			
REPRIMANDS	Nil		
SUSPENSIONS	Race 1 – D. Tourneur (MISS INTENSUS) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 21/7/12 to conclude at midnight 1/8/12 – 4 meetings.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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