



**THOROUGHBRED RACING SA LIMITED**

**ADDITIONAL STEWARDS' REPORT – L. HOPWOOD**

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**BALAKLAVA – WEDNESDAY, 5 DECEMBER 2012**

L. Hopwood, the rider of the second placegetter GOLDEN SCHNAPS, was questioned regarding her use of the whip from the vicinity of the 400 metres. After considering her explanation, L. Hopwood was charged with an offence under ARR.137A(3) in that she had continued to use the whip relentlessly over an extended period, which the Stewards deemed to be excessive. L. Hopwood pleaded guilty and was fined \$200.

L. Hopwood was advised of her right of appeal.

**A.T. HAYLES**

**STIPENDIARY STEWARD**

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