THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

<u>Report on Race Meeting held at Balaklava Racecourse</u> by the Balaklava Racing Club on Wednesday, 19 June, 2013

<u>Stewards</u>: A Hayles (A/Chairman), P Matthews (M), L Michalanney (HT) & S Callanan (F) (Stewards), D Southgate (Deputy Steward) & Dr P Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon).

TRACK: Good 3 (Downgraded to a Dead 4 at 12.51 pm retrospective to Race 3) WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True position.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	ZANDERCAN	C Bishop	K Bishop	Race book error.
3	HOLIDAY HOST	T Pannell		Notified.
4	JETFLIGHT	J Maund		"
7	HE'S A HOUNDOG	D Tootell		"
7	CHUDLEIGH	J Kah		"
8	MYSTIC FOX	J Kah	T O'Donnell	Doubly engaged – explanation accepted.

RACE 1 : SCHWEPPES / SABOIS 2YO MAIDEN PLATE – 1000 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two (2) minutes owing to J Toeroek, the rider of JUST MY STYLE, being dislodged from this filly en route to the barriers. JUST MY STYLE WAS captured after galloping for a short distance and underwent a Veterinary examination on arrival at the start and was passed fit to take its place in the race. J Toeroek was uninjured in the incident.

DIAMOND HUSH (B Claridge) jumped away awkwardly.

JUST MY STYLE (J Toeroek) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres, ZANDERCAN (K Bishop) laid in under pressure.

EVERDEEN (T Pannell) raced greenly in the straight.

S Price, the rider of SERGEANT JAY, could offer no explanation into the poor performance of this gelding today. SERGEANT JAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr Stuart Gower, the Trainer of SERGEANT JAY, was advised the gelding was now suspended from racing and would be required to perform satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

EVERDEEN (T Pannell) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 2 : BARDRILL SABOIS MADEN PLATE – 1050 metres

KARABAY (T Zanker) jumped away very awkwardly and was very slow to begin. On return to Scales, T Zanker reported that her saddle slipped back on jumping away, placing her at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event.

RACE 2 : BARDRILL SABOIS MADEN PLATE – 1050 metres (Cont'd)

BIG WEEKEND (J Holder) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, bumping PIAGE (C Lindop).

KOODA DUCHESS (K Bishop) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, brushing with ZOVISTA (J Potter) which as a result shifted out, bumping CLAREMONT KID (J Maund), which shifted out, making heavy contact with and inconveniencing DIGNITARY (P Gatt).

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres CHINA CLOUD (L Hopwood) shifted in, resulting in CLAREMONT KID (J Maund) having to steady and lose its position. L Hopwood was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres DIGNITARY (P Gatt), which was racing ungenerously, shifted out resulting in CLAREMONT KID (J Maund) being taken out and away, making heavy contact with GENIALITY (L Stojakovic) which, as a result, became unbalanced.

MOONLIGHT FORREST (M Neilson) was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

DIGNITARY (P Gatt) was inclined to lay in severely in the straight.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres HEZA HUSSLER (J Bowditch) shifted in across the running of KOODA DUCHESS (K Bishop) despite the efforts of its rider, resulting in KOODA DUCHESS having to momentarily steady.

In the vicinity of the 150 metres DIGNITARY (P Gatt), which was continuing to lay in severely, shifted in onto the heels of MOONLIGHT FORREST (M Neilson), which was laying out under pressure, resulting in DIGNITARY clipping the heels of MOONLIGHT FORREST and knuckling severely. As a result, DIGNITARY shifted in abruptly, onto CHILLICONI (D Tourneur), which was tightened onto the running rail, having to check severely and lose its position. GOD'S CHILD (A Patterson), which was trailing CHILLICONI, was momentarily inconvenienced.

M Neilson, the rider of MOONLIGHT FOREST, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. M Neilson was charged with an offence under ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner on more than five (5) occasions prior to the 100 metres. M Neilson pleaded guilty and was fined \$200.

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

DIGNITARY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities. Mr D Jolly, the Trainer of DIGNITARY, was advised a warning has been placed on this gelding in regards to its performance.

GOD'S CHILD (A Patterson) lost its near fore plate during the event.

RACE 3 : BALAKLAVA TRANSPORT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

ZANDERCAN (K Bishop) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 800 metres LEMERIO (A Hermann), which was racing ungenerously, had to be steadied off the heels of EDRIGUEZ (M Neilson), resulting in THE WISEMAN (J Toeroek), DARK FANTASY (C Lindop) and ZANDERCAN (K Bishop), which were trailing LEMERIO, all being momentarily inconvenienced. Shortly after ODE TO CAITLIN (J Maund), which was trailing THE WISEMAN, shifted out to avoid the heels of that gelding, resulting in PANTHER'S RUN (D Tourneur) being taken wider on the track.

RACE 3 : BALAKLAVA TRANSPORT / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1200 metres (Cont'd)

Approaching the finish, LEMERIO (A Hermann) was held up for clear running when racing tight between ROCK ON RENNIE (J Potter) and CRYSTAL VOYAGER (A Patterson).

ZANDERCAN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding had sustained minor lacerations to both hind legs and near foreleg. First Aid was administered.

HEZA HUSSLER and PANTHER'S RUN were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

THE WISEMAN (J Toeroek) lost its off hind plate during the event.

Following this race, Stewards downgraded the track to a Dead 4 at 12.51 pm retrospective to Race 3.

RACE 4 : WOODSTOCK BOURBON / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE – 1400 metres

FEEL THE ENERGY (T Pannell) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres BLEVICUS (S Price) had to steady away from the heels of SMART JESTER (L Stojakovic) and lost its position when that gelding shifted in. KAAPRICOSA (C Lindop), which was following was inconvenienced. L Stojakovic was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

In the vicinity of the 450 metres, MR SCHILLER (J Bowditch) shifted out to improve around the heels of BLEVICUS (S Price), resulting in TIMELYINTERRUPTION (A Hermann) being taken wider. J Bowditch was reprimanded for careless riding and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

J Bowditch, the rider of MR SCHILLER, was questioned regarding his use of the whip prior to the 100 metres. J Bowditch was charged with an offence under ARR.137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in a consecutive manner prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty and was reprimanded.

J Bowditch was further charged with an offence under ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip in a forehand manner on more than five (5) occasions prior to the 100 metres. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$200.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J Bowditch, the rider of the second placegetter, MR SCHILLER, to view the official footage in the straight.

RACE 5 : ATLAS EVENT & PARTY HIRE RATING O-62 HCP – 1050 metres

NOIR RASOIR (J Bowditch) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, bumping MARKATE (D Tootell) which, as a result, shifted out, inconveniencing MORCHOWIE MISS (D Tourneur) which brushed GOOD CONDUCT (K Bishop).

DO TELLE (C Lever) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, bumping MONFILS (W Kerford) which shifted out, brushing REGAL RUBEN (L Stojakovic).

RACE 6 : COOPERS BREWERY / SABOIS PLUS RATING 0-68 HCP - 2200 metres

FASTIZIO (A Hermann) was slow to begin.

SHEJTAN (A Patterson) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, brushing PUZZLEMAN (J Toeroek).

In the vicinity of the 1700 metres, FOXTROT NOVEY (C Lindop) had to momentarily steady when racing tight inside the heels of GOLDEN SCHNAPS (J Maund).

GIMME SOME SAVINGS (D Tourneur) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 6 : COOPERS BREWERY / SABOIS PLUS RATING 0-68 HCP – 2200 metres (Cont'd)

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

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

RACE 7 : ADELAIDE GALVANISING INDUSTRIES 0 - 62 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

SOCIAL ASSASSIN (B Claridge) was slow to begin.

CASH JOB (D Stra) jumped away awkwardly and, as a result, was slow into stride.

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres BELLE'S REWARD (S Price) had to steady and lose its position when FITZGIBBONS (J Holder) shifted in. J Holder was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres until approaching the 300 metres MUSTANG SCHILLER (D Tourneur) was held up for clear running when racing on the heels of IMAGE MASTER (L Stojakovic).

FITZGIBBONS and OUR RUBY, which performed below expectations, were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8 : CAROMA RATING 0-71 HCP – 1600 metres

UMALUKA, which reared and struck its head on the barrier stalls, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding fit to take its place in the field.

LIVE IN DOUBT (J Bowditch) knuckled on jumping away.

ENERGIZED (IRE) (T O'Donnell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

POWER TO POSSESS (D Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in, inconveniencing REACHFAR (A Hermann).

SPAIN (C Lever) pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event and was unable to gain clear ground from the vicinity of the 800 metres until the 200 metres. C Lever explained that the tempo of the race in the middle stages of the event had become slower than he expected and, as a result, was placed in an awkward position. He added he considered that it would have been to the disadvantage of the gelding if he attempted to restrain to the back of the field and attempt to try and move to the outside of the field because, in his opinion, the gelding takes a long time to finish its races off strongly. He, therefore, elected to stay on the fence and try and ride for luck in the straight.

ESTHERMAC (A Patterson) laid in under pressure in the home straight.

In the vicinity of the 50 metres ESTHERMAC (A Patterson) had to steady and lose its position when THE SHAMAN (L Stojakovic) shifted out to improve around the heels of RICH PRIDE (J Bowditch), which was shifting out under pressure.

RACE 8 : CAROMA RATING 0-71 HCP – 1600 metres (Cont'd)

THE BOILERMAKER, which performed below expectations, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Ms S Barr, the Trainer of THE BOILERMAKER, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

RACE 9 : ADVERTISER NEWSPAPERS RATING 0-62 HCP - 1400 metres

POWER TO POSSESS (D Tourneur) knuckled on jumping away.

DELPHERE (T Pannell) and KNOXVILLE (A Herrmann) brushed on jumping away.

TRIUMPHANT ONE (J Potter) raced keenly in the early and middle stages, and near the 1000 metres had to be restrained from the heels of KNOXVILLE (A Hermann).

SHAKETHEGROUND (T Zanker) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

In the vicinity of the 450 metres WHERE'S THAT (S Westover) shifted out, brushing SPIRIT OF CAPRI (A Patterson).

In the vicinity of the 450 metres DELPHERE (T Pannell) and MOON BRICKS (M Neilson) brushed on a number of occasions.

From the vicinity of the 50 metres to the winning post MOON BRICKS (M Neilson) and TRIUMPHANT ONE (J Potter) brushed on a number of occasions.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow J Potter, the rider of the second placegetter TRIUMPHANT ONE, to view the official footage in the straight.

DELPHERE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slow recovery.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

- Race 3 ROCK ON RENNIE (winner)
- Race 6 SHEJTAN (winner)
- Race 9 MOON BRICKS (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 2 - M Neilson - Fined \$200 - ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) +3 - whip offence.		
	Race 4 – J Bowditch – Fined \$200 – ARR.137A(5)(a)(ii) +5– whip offence.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 7 – J Holder – FITZGIBBONS - ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.		
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – L Hopwood (CHINA CLOUD) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.		
	Race 4 – L Stojakovic (SMART JESTER) - ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.		
	Race 4 – J Bowditch (MR SCHILLER) – ARR.137(a) – Careless riding.		
	Race 4 – J Bowditch (MR SCHILLER) - ARR.137A(5)(a)(i) – Whip offence.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil.		

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SUMMARY (Cont'd)			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 - JUST MY STYLE – Suspended – Required to complete the course to satisfaction of Stewards in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race - Poor performance. Race 2 – DIGNITARY – Warned – Laid in severely.		
	Race 1 – SERGEANT JAY – Suspended – Required to perform to Stewards' satisfaction in Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – poor performance. Race 8 – THE BOILERMAKER – not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – lame near hind leg.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil.		

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