#### THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

## Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 6 July 2013

<u>Stewards</u>: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (M), A. Hayles (F) & S. Callanan (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate, N. Castle, N. Henry & D. Jonas (Deputy Stewards), Dr. H. Lewis and Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

# TRACK (Morphettville): Slow 7 WEATHER: Overcast/showery (downgraded to Heavy 8 at 1.14 pm retrospective to Race 3) TRACK (Morphettville Parks): Slow 6

<u>RAIL (Morphettville)</u>: Out 11 metres 1200m to Winning Post; 8 metres remainder <u>RAIL (Morphettville Parks)</u>: Out 9 metres 1000m to Winning Post, 4 metres remainder

#### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
5	WHY NOT YOU	S. Price		Notified.

-----

# **RACE 1 : LESLIE SHORT HURDLE** - 3100 metres (Run on Morphettville Parks track)

Approaching the hurdle near the 700 metres on the first occasion SPARKLING VICTORY (M. Kelly) raced in restricted room inside KING TRITON (T. Wells), which was taken in slightly by DUBAI VENGEANCE (A. Herrmann). As a consequence, SPARKLING VICTORY shifted in and away from KING TRITON, contacted the inside wing, became very unbalanced, made the jump very awkwardly, and lost ground as a consequence. A. Herrmann and T. Wells were shown the vision of the event. A Herrmann was advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

SPARKLING VICTORY (M. Kelly) was eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 1000 metres. SPARKLING VICTORY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a small laceration to its off-fore heel.

SPARKLING VICTORY lost its off-fore plate during the event.

TARGET EXPLORER lost its near-fore plate during the event.

As there were no other available riders on course, S. Pateman was granted permission to ride VIKING TIGER one kilogram overweight. S. Pateman was reprimanded under ARR.120(b) for being overweight.

As there were no other available riders on course, P. Gallagher was granted permission to ride TARGET EXPLORER two kilograms overweight. P. Gallagher was fined \$100 under ARR.120(b) for being overweight.

KING TRITON, VIKING TIGER, ALLANTHUS, HONOUR THE FORCE, TARGET EXPLORER, DUBAI VENGEANCE, SEED CAPITAL and BEST OF MINX were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 2 : VEOLIA HANDICAP - 1050 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to CASH IS COMING proving very difficult to load. Mr. K. Sweeney, the Trainer of CASH IS COMING, was advised the filly would now be required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to race jump out before accepting for a future race.

On arrival at the barriers CHARNZEL had to be re-saddled.

CHARNZEL (J. Maund) jumped away awkwardly, shifted in and tightened RUBY LAKE (S. Price) onto KISS ME KETUT (NZ) (C. Lever), resulting in RUBY LAKE and KISS ME KETUT (NZ) being inconvenienced.

GOODFUN GIRL (C. Lindop) was slow to begin and, thereafter, was slow into stride and lost contact with the field in the early stages of the event.

C. Lever, the rider of KISS ME KETUT (NZ), explained his mount raced greenly throughout the event, was inclined to run off in the middle stages, appeared not to be suited to the underfoot conditions, and performed disappointingly. KISS ME KETUT (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 3 : CENTREBET HANDICAP - 1800 metres

In the vicinity of the 500 metres CASTANO GIRL (A. Herrmann) was disappointed for clear ground when attempting to improve to the inside of BIG MEMORY (FR) (V. Colgan) and was obliged to alter course to the outside of that horse to obtain clear running.

V. Colgan, the rider of BIG MEMORY (FR) explained his instructions were to take up a forward position if possible. He added, after establishing a good position forward of mid-field, his mount travelled well until the vicinity of the 600 metres when COMMEMORATE (NZ) (R. Wheeler) improved to his outside. He said the colt was off the bridle and under pressure from that point and failed to finish the race off and performed disappointingly. BIG MEMORY (FR) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

# Following this event the track was downgraded to a Heavy 8 at 1.14 pm retrospective to Race 3.

## RACE 4 : ADELAIDE GALVANISING HANDICAP - 1050 metres

ESPRIT DE BULLET (NZ) (J. Holder) was disappointed for clear running from shortly after entering the straight until near the 200 metres between the heels of MR GOOD CAT (J. Toeroek) and READY STEADY VETTI (E. Boyd) and was obliged to alter course to the outside of MR GOOD CAT to obtain clear running. ESPRIT DE BULLET (NZ) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding suffered a bi-lateral bleeding attack during the event. Mr. J. Hyam, the Trainer of ESPRIT DE BULLET (NZ) was advised the gelding was suspended from racing for a period of three (3) months in accordance with ARR.53A.

J. Toeroek, the rider of MR GOOD CAT, reported as a consequence of his mount beginning better than expected, he raced more forward than intended in this race.

READY STEADY VETTI lost both front plates during the event.

READY STEADY VETTI was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in both forelegs. First aid was administered. Mr R. Balfour, the Co-Trainer of READY STEADY VETTI, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race.

# RACE 5 : HINDMARSH PLUMBING HANDICAP - 2044 metres

WHY NOT YOU (S. Price), WHERE'S TIM (J. Potter) and SEAN BAILE MOR (T. Pannell) contacted at the start when WHY NOT YOU and SEAN BAILE MOR shifted ground.

BALLYPATRICK (J. Frew) jumped away awkwardly.

MANGANESE (C. Lindop) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

Approaching the 400 metres PRINCESS PEGGY (J. Kah) shifted out to improve and tightened RICH PRIDE (A. Herrmann) onto MANGANESE (C. Lindop), which rolled in marginally, resulting in RICH PRIDE having to be restrained, losing its position. J. Kah was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

Shortly after the entrance to the straight PRINCESS PEGGY (J. Kah) was unable to obtain clear running when racing behind UMALUKA (L. Hopwood) and to the inside of BOJANI (J. Matthews), and was only able to obtain clear running inside the 200 metres.

PRINCESS PEGGY lost its off-hind plate during the event.

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

WHERE'S TIM was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Ms D Koch, the Trainer of WHERE'S TIM, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting for a future trial or race. Ms Koch advised the gelding would now be spelled.

#### RACE 6 : SPORTINGBET HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Shortly after the start CHARITY BELLE (A. Darmanin) raced in restricted room between BLAZING COMET (A. Herrmann) and DUKE OF THE CASTLE (V. Colgan), which shifted out resulting in CHARITY BELLE losing its position.

Inside the 600 metres EXCELL SHOES (L. Stojakovic) was unable to obtain clear running when racing behind NIMASAEL (L. Hopwood) and to the inside of BRIDGET BABY (E. Boyd).

In the vicinity of the 400 metres WISE JOURNEY (J. Kah) attempted to improve into a run between NEAREST TO PIN (C. Lindop) and NIMASAEL (L. Hopwood), and as a consequence, was obliged to be restrained and became unbalanced for a number of strides. J. Kah was shown the vision of the incident and advised to only attempt runs to which she is entitled in future.

C. Lindop, the rider of NEAREST TO PIN, reported her mount hung in, in the early stages.

J. Toeroek, the rider of FLIRTATIOUS, reported his mount hung in during the event.

J. Kah, the rider of WISE JOURNEY, explained that the gelding initially appeared reluctant inside NEAREST TO PIN (C. Lindop) shortly after the start, as that horse shifted in abruptly, and thereafter appeared not to be suited by the underfoot conditions and performed disappointingly. WISE JOURNEY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a slower than expected recovery.

#### RACE 7 : HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1600 metres

KINGNADIM (NZ) (B. Claridge) and CONTRACT CATERER (IRE) (T. Baker) were both awkward to begin.

# RACE 7 : HOLDFAST INSURANCE HANDICAP - 1600 metres (Cont'd)

Racing to the 800 metres SOME TARGET (C. Lever) and JULIET'S PRINCESS (USA) (C. Lindop) came together and brushed for a short distance.

In the vicinity of the 600 metres, JULIET'S PRINCESS (USA) (C. Lindop) was awkwardly placed on the heels of KINGNADIM (NZ) (B. Claridge) for a short distance.

Inside the 600 metres KINGNADIM (NZ) (B. Claridge) shifted out and tightened ENDLESS SHADOW (J. Kah) onto SOME TARGET (C. Lever) resulting in these two horses brushing.

ENDLESS SHADOW, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 8 : BOAG'S DRAUGHT HANDICAP - 1200 metres

Prior to the start of the race MAELSTROM was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to start.

AIR COMET was declared a late scratching by order of Stewards at 1.25 pm following a submission by Mr. R. Jolly, the Trainer of that gelding, that the horse would not, in his opinion, be suited to the heavy track condition.

Inside the 1000 metres REEL WAY (J. Holder) raced in restricted room inside DONTMENTIONTHEWAR (V. Colgan), which shifted in, resulting in J. Holder being obliged to take hold of his mount when awkwardly placed on the hindguarters of DAYDREAM CHARLIE (S. Price). REEL WAY was obliged to shift to the outside of DONTMENTIONTHEWAR to obtain clear running and shortly thereafter raced ungenerously for a short distance.

In the vicinity of the 500 metres LEADER'S SAGA (L. Hopwood) shifted out to improve and crossed the running of EMMOOKI'S DASH (A. Herrmann) which was obliged to check to avoid the heels of LEADER'S SAGA, losing its position. L. Hopwood was found guilty of a breach of ARR.137(a) - Careless Riding, in that she shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period of four (4) race dates to commence midnight 10/07/13 and to expire midnight 18/07/13. L. Hopwood was advised of her right of Appeal.

\_\_\_\_\_

PRE RACE SAMPLES (13):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses for the purpose of TCO<sub>2</sub> testing:

- KING TRITON and VIKING TIGER Race 1
- Race 3 BIG MEMORY (FR), YOU'RE DISCREET and COMMEMORATE
- Race 5 FULL BORE, RICH PRIDE and WEEKEND DAZZLER
- Race 7 SOME TARGET, BARON DOURO (NZ) and CHAMPAGNE RUBY
- Race 8 MAELSTROM and FLYING HUSSLER

\_\_\_\_\_

## **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):**

- KING TRITON (winner) Race 1
- CASH IS COMING (winner) Race 2
- Race 2 KISS ME KETUT
- (beaten favourite)
- Race 3
- ESPRIT DE BULLET (NZ) Race 7 (winner) Race 4 (winner)
- Race 5 Race 6 FULL BORE (winner) Race 6 NEAREST TO PIN (winner) Race 6 WISE JOURNEY (beaten favourite) HALAYR JET (winner) FLYING HUSSLER (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Race 1 - P. Gallagher - Fined \$100 - ARR.120(b) - Overweight.	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil.	
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 - S. Pateman - ARR. 120(b) - Overweight. Race 5 - J. Kah - ARR.137(a) - Careless riding.	
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 - L. Hopwood (LEADER'S SAGA) - ARR.137(a) - Careless Riding - Suspended from midnight 10/07/13 to expire at midnight 18/07/13 - 4 race dates.	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 - CASH IS COMING - Suspended - required to load without delay in an Official Barrier Trial or Approval to race jump out - Difficult to load.	
	Race 4 - ESPRIT DE BULLET (NZ) - Bled - suspended for (3) months in accordance with ARR.53A.	
	Race 4 - READY STEADY VETTI - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame both forelegs.	
	Race 5 - WHERE'S TIM - Not to race - Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race - Lame near hind leg.	
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil.	

JP:ai:MORP060713