



THOROUGHBRED RACING SA LIMITED

ADDITIONAL STEWARDS' REPORT – OWNER MR. S FOX

MORPHETTVILLE – MONDAY, 4 NOVEMBER 2013

Stewards inquired into comment made by Mr. S Fox on Facebook on Wednesday, 2 October 2013.

Mr. Fox pleaded guilty to a charge under ARR.175A; the particulars being that on 2 October 2013 he engaged in conduct prejudicial to the image of racing by posting a comment in reference to the track condition at Gawler on Sunday, 29 September 2013, which included foul language, in response to a comment posted by another racing participant, which comment questioned why Officials engaged for the race meeting scheduled at Bordertown on 2 October 2013 “would fly”.

Stewards heard evidence from Mr. Fox and considered material detailing the comment made on Facebook.

In determining penalty Stewards took into account his guilty plea, his clean record and the fact he provided forthright evidence and showed remorse. Mr. Fox was advised that while Stewards did not wish to prevent any person from having an opinion, it was important when expressing opinions on social media websites, as an owner, to do so in a more circumspect manner.

In the circumstances Stewards issued a reprimand.

Mr. Fox was informed of his right of appeal.

J. PETZER
CHAIRMAN OF STEWARDS

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