THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Lincoln Racecourse by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Friday, 6 December 2013

<u>Stewards:</u> S. Callanan (A/Chairman) & M. Santoro (HT) (Stewards), P. Dearman, R. Evans (F), J. Perry (M) & T. Kenny (Deputy Stewards), Dr. G. Sezun (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True.

RACE 1 : D K QUARRIES RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

PICTORELLA (A. Patterson) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto HUNTED ANGEL (E. Boyd), which was tightened onto SUTANOC (M. Neilson).

SEEARDI BLUE (J. Toeroek) was slow to begin.

In the vicinity of the 100 metres PICTORELLA (A. Patterson) was held up momentarily when it improved onto the heels of BUSTERWABBIT (S. Price), which was weakening.

E. Boyd, the rider of HUNTED ANGEL, reported her mount was inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

M. Neilson, the rider of SUTANOC, reported his mount did not feel comfortable in its action during the event. SUTANOC was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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

RACE 2 : DEMPSEY'S SADDLERY & FEED SUPPLIES / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to NORTH HILL proving difficult to load. Mr. T. Haddy, the Trainer of NORTH HILL, was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its loading manners.

MARITA MARIA (R. Bell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto NORTH HILL (L. Hopwood), which lost its position.

LEWIS STREET (P. Roff) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, brushing CHLOBOROUGH (M. Neilson).

In the vicinity of the 400 metres SANS PEUR (J. Toeroek) rolled in as it improved to the outside of HIGH ROLLIN' LADY (A. Patterson), resulting in HIGH ROLLIN' LADY having to be steadied. J. Toeroek was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

In the vicinity of the 100 metres BLACK DANCER (T. Pannell) attempted a tight run inside SANS PEUR (J. Toeroek), brushing that gelding.

RACE 3 : JOHN MARMION MEMORIAL / SABOIS 3YO BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP – 1000 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to PAPAJET proving difficult to load.

SNIP IN TIME (T. Pannell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto EXTREME VALUE (P. Roff), which was tightened onto SOCIAL SET (J. Toeroek), which was taken in by HARDERS (A. Patterson).

JILLY'S EDGE (C. Forrest), which raced wide without cover throughout the event, made the home turn awkwardly and shifted wider on the track.

SNIP IN TIME (T. Pannell) was unable to obtain clear ground from the vicinity of the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight when racing on the heels of EXTREME VALUE (P. Roff).

RACE 4 : CARLTON DRAUGHT RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1360 metres

Ms. J. Branford, the Trainer of LE COLUMBIA, advised Stewards she would instruct Jockey W. Kerford to attempt to obtain a forward position with cover if possible to allow the gelding to finish its race off stronger than in recent starts.

LE COLUMBIA (W. Kerford) was inclined to over-race in the early stages of the event whilst being restrained.

W. Kerford, the rider of LE COLUMBIA, reported his mount laid out over the concluding 600 metres when placed under pressure. LE COLUMBIA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : BRIAN & DOROTHY KOTZ BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

On arrival at the barriers MONTALTO was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon when its rider J. Toeroek had concerns with the mare's action. MONTALTO was ruled fit to race.

SPIRIT OF FLATLEY (A. Patterson) and JAPAN (P. Roff) jumped away awkwardly.

PIONEER PRINCE (C. Forrest) raced keenly in the early stages when being restrained.

MONTALTO, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6 : K & K COOLING BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 metres

On arrival at the barriers ARTFUL TERRA, which contacted the gate on exiting the mounting enclosure, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the mare fit to race.

On jumping away FANTASTIC REIGN (A. Herrmann) shifted out and brushed ARTFUL TERRA (J. Toeroek).

Approaching the 1400 metres SAREM (L. Hopwood) became awkwardly placed on the heels of ARTFUL TERRA (J. Toeroek) and had to be restrained when PRIMAL INSTINCT (W. Kerford) improved to its outside, obliging SAREM to race in restricted room for a number of strides.

TRESETTE (A. Patterson) had difficulty obtaining clear ground from the vicinity of the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres, in an attempt to improve, EBONY ROCK (R. Bell) shifted out onto SAREM (L. Hopwood), which was forced to steady. R. Bell was reminded of his obligations when shifting ground in future.

RACE 7 : WATTTYL, SOLVER, GRANOSITE PAINTS FOUR-YEARS-OLD & OVER RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

MORE READY (T. Pannell) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out onto IMAGE MASTER (S. Price), which was taken out onto ARTIE'S ANGEL (C. Forrest), which lost its position when tightened onto SHE'S GOT SOUL (J. Toeroek), which was taken in by DE VILAINE (S. Westover).

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres KOODA DAWN (A. Herrmann) rolled out onto MORE READY (T. Pannell) at the same time as MEMORY COVE (T. Baker) rolled in, resulting in MORE READY racing in restricted room for a number of strides.

M. Neilson, the rider of TINTAGEL ROCKER, reported his mount was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

E. Boyd, the rider of DISCOUNTED, reported her mount was reluctant to stretch out under pressure in the event. DISCOUNTED was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

THE HEADLINER, which performed poorly, was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):

Race 2 – MR KARGER (winner) Race 5 – TESTATE (winner) Race 6 – PRIMAL INSTINCT (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – J. Toeroek (SANS PEUR) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – NORTH HILL – Warned – Difficult to load.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil

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