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

### <u>Report on Race Meeting held at Ceduna Racecourse</u> by the Ceduna Racing Club on Saturday, 14 December 2013

<u>Stewards Panel:</u> C. Deakin (A/Chairman), P. Dearman, R. Evans (HT), O. Chandler (F) (Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

# TRACK: Good 3

# WEATHER: Fine

#### RAIL: True

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	ROAD TO DANTREE	A. Doyle	K. Brooks	Indisposed
5	DISCOUNTED	"	D. Evans	"

## RACE 1 - MGA INSURANCE CEDUNA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

CANDY'S LUCK (L. Stojakovic), which was slow to begin and thereafter unable to maintain contact with the field, was eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 800 metres. CANDY'S LUCK was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the filly to be shin sore in both forelegs. Mrs. S. Ratsch, the Trainer of CANDY'S LUCK, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the filly for a future trial and CANDY'S LUCK must also prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

From the entrance to the straight until the finish DEEP BLUE (K. Brooks) was inclined to lay in and approaching the 200 metres was obliged to shift to the outside of NORTHSIDE (A. Doyle), which was laying in, to obtain clear ground.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to permit W. Kerford, the rider of the third placegetter DANIEL BOY, to view the official photo finish for first and second.

### RACE 2 – PHILL STEVENS & ASSOCIATES / MIDDLETON & ASSOCIATES RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

On arrival on course OUT FOR LUNCH, which had not raced for twelve months, and HEART OF STONE, which had not raced for twenty months, were examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled them fit to start.

EVE'S DELIGHT was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon on arrival at the barriers and found to be lame in the near foreleg. Acting on that advice, Stewards withdrew EVE'S DELIGHT at 2.06 pm. Mr. T Dawson, the Trainer of EVE'S DELIGHT, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the mare for a future trial or race. Prior to the declaration of Correct Weight, Stewards ordered all bets to be subject to the following deductions: 19 cents in the dollar for the win and 16 cents in the dollar for the place.

From in the vicinity of the 300 metres until inside the 100 metres VINARD (K. Brooks) was inclined to lay in and in the vicinity of the 200 metres was obliged to be steadied momentarily away from ZIADIE (P. Roff), which was inclined to lay out.

# RACE 3 – GYPSUM RESOURCES AUSTRALIA RATING 0-58 HANDICAP –1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately three minutes owing to A. Doyle having to be attended by the ambulance staff after being dislodged when COSTLY ARGUMENT reared in the mounting yard. A. Doyle was ruled unfit to fulfill his remaining engagements and was advised a Medical Certificate would be required before he rode again. COSTLY ARGUMENT was withdrawn by Stewards at 2.41 pm. Prior to the declaration of Correct Weight, Stewards ordered all bets to be subject to the following deductions: 22 cents in the dollar for the win and 19 cents in the dollar for the place. Mr. T. Trenowden, the Trainer of COSTLY ARGUMENT, was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding and that should it perform in a similar manner in future, stronger action may be taken.

ARTIE'S ANGEL (P. Roff) reared on jumping away and as a result was slow to begin.

## RACE 4 - CEDUNA FOODLAND CHRISTMAS RATING 0-78 HANDICAP - 1300 metres

P. Roff, the rider of MARINA DEL RAY, explained the mare had begun well as expected and with the pace of the race he elected to take a sit behind the speed. He added MARINA DEL RAY had travelled well until placed under pressure inside the 400 metres and in his opinion had only finished the race of fairly and may not have been suited by today's track conditions. MARINA DEL RAY was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

### RACE 5 – CEDUNA HOME TIMBER & HARDWRE RATING 0-58 HANDICAP – 1600 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes owing to a problem with the photo finish equipment having to be rectified.

THE BIG RED VEE (M. Henderson) was slow into stride.

OKAMAN (P. Roff) laid out throughout the event.

Inside the 200 metres THE BIG RED VEE (M. Henderson), which laid in across the heels of OKAMAN (P. Roff), which continued to lay out, was obliged to momentarily steady and alter course to the outside of that gelding's heels to obtain clear ground.

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

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#### SWABBING (1):

Race 4 – SPIRIT OF FLATLEY (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
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SUSPENSIONS	Nil		

SUMMARY (Cont'd)			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – CANDY'S LUCK – Not to Race – Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trialling – Shin sore both forelegs		
	Race 1 - CANDY'S LUCK – Suspended – Required to prove competitive in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Uncompetitive.		
	Race 2 - EVE'S DELIGHT – Not to Race - Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame near foreleg.		
	Race 3 - COSTLY ARGUMENT – Warned – Pre-race Behaviour.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		

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