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

#### <u>Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse</u> by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Wednesday, 10 September 2014

<u>Stewards:</u> A. Hayles (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (F), L. Michalanney (HT) & D. Bucknell (M) (Stewards) D. Southgate & A. Quinton (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

#### TRACK: Dead 5

#### WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: True

#### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	CHERRY CHATTER	T. Pannell	S. Price	Indisposed
4	FINAL TWIST	"	J. Potter	"
5	SUSANNE'S GLEN	J. Toeroek	D. Tourneur	"
6	BERNADI	B. Claridge	T. Baker	Overweight
7	FLASH MICK	T. Pannell	C. Lindop	Indisposed
8	LEMERIO	J. Toeroek	R. Hurdle	"
8	HEURIGER	T. Baker		Emergency

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## RACE 1 : SCHWEPPES / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY (L. Stojakovic) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, hampering BOSSY MISS MOSSY (S. Price).

JUST KAPPY (J. Potter) and TRUE EXCEPTION (E. Finnegan) raced keenly in the early stages.

In the vicinity of the 200 metres BOSSY MISS MOSSY (S. Price) was inclined to lay out for a short distance.

E. Finnegan, the rider of TRUE EXCEPTION, explained her instructions were to lead if possible in this event. She added that after jumping away well and attempting to obtain a forward position she was unable to lead as JUST KAPPY (J. Potter) to her inside showed early speed. In the vicinity of the 900 metres she attempted to take a sit outside JUST KAPPY and from this point TRUE EXCEPTION and JUST KAPPY were inclined to race keenly for a short distance.

TRUE EXCEPTION was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported minor lacerations to the off hind leg.

## RACE 2 : BETFAIR / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1600 metres

REAL CASTELLI (D. Tourneur) and LOOKING THROUGH (D. Dunn) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

## RACE 3 : REVOLUTION ROOFING RATING 0-68 HANDICAP - 2050 metres

STURGIS (NZ) (S. Price) jumped away awkwardly.

ALLEZ TARA (R. Mageean) was inclined to lay out under pressure in the straight.

Approaching the 100 metres ALLEZ TARA (R. Mageean) laid out bumping KNOCKFIN ROAD (J. Holder) on two occasions.

#### RACE 4 : HYGAIN HORSE FEED / SABOIS DISTANCE MAIDEN PLATE – 2050 metres

TRANSFORMING (E. Finnegan) stood flat footed and was very slow to begin.

BAD MEDICINE (T. Baker) and FINAL TWIST (J. Potter) bumped shortly after the start.

FINAL TWIST (J. Potter) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 150 metres BAD MEDICINE (T. Baker) rolled in marginally brushing the running rail for a number of strides.

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

## RACE 5 : XXXX GOLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

In the vicinity of the 700 metres DEVARICH (R. Hurdle) rolled in marginally brushing the running rail for a number of strides.

From the vicinity of the 100 metres until the finish MISTER ROCKSTAR (J. Kah) laid in under pressure.

## RACE 6 : FINNISS LODGE THOROUGHBREDS RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

SOCIAL FINALE (A. Herrmann) and CONQUER THE MOMENT (C. Forrest) brushed on jumping away.

MILD MANNERED (J. Kah) raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages.

In the vicinity of the 1200 metres MILD MANNERED (J. Kah) was inclined to lay out resulting in LADS ON FIRE (J. Potter) being inconvenienced when that gelding was taken wider.

On return to scale S. Cahill the rider of HALAYR JET, reported that in his opinion the gelding felt awkward in its action. HALAYR JET was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

## RACE 7 : MCLEAY & SONS CARPETS CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1350 metres

FLASH MICK (C. Lindop) was slow to begin.

ALAKAZOO (T. Baker) raced four wide without cover throughout the event.

LITTLE BUSTER (L. Hopwood) raced keenly in the early and middle stages.

## RACE 7 : MCLEAY & SONS CARPETS CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1350 metres – (Cont'd)

From in the vicinity of the 600 metres until approaching the 200 metres ZOVISTA (J. Potter) was held up for clear running when racing between the heels of KING CLUB (A. Patterson) and LITTLE BUSTER (L. Hopwood).

From in the vicinity of the 350 metres until the 200 metres RUSSIAN ROCKER (GB) (S. Cahill) was held up for clear running when racing tight between TOKEN ONE (A. Herrmann) and ZOVISTA (J. Potter).

In the vicinity of the 200 metres TOKEN ONE (A. Herrmann) had to be steadied losing its position when ZOVISTA (J. Potter) shifted in. J. Potter was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

Inside the 100 metres MR LAMBORGHINI (J. Kah) was held up for clear running when racing on the heels of KING CLUB (A. Patterson) and to the inside of ALAKAZOO (T. Baker).

From the 100 metres to the winning post ALAKAZOO (T. Baker) was held up for clear running when racing tight between KING CLUB (A. Patterson) and COME FOLLOW ME (J. Holder).

## RACE 8 : FPAG GRANT LYON FERTILISER RATING 0-58 HANDICAP- 1200 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately two minutes owing to LEMERIO refusing to load. LEMERIO was withdrawn by Stewards at 5.30 pm. Trainer Mr B. Bogarts was advised that the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Approval Jump Out or an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

JUST TESS (A. Doyle) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out hampering MOONLIGHT FOREST (J. Holder).

DO TELLE (NZ) (J. Holder) jumped away awkwardly.

Shortly after the start ANNANDALE LASS (A. Patterson) which jumped away awkwardly, shifted in at the same time as GOLDEN LION (R. Mageean) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out, resulting in DO TELLE (NZ) (J. Holder) being inconvenienced.

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres TIPSY ON RED (C. Lindop) had to be momentarily steadied when ANNANDALE LASS (A. Patterson) shifted in. Shortly thereafter TIPSY ON RED had to shift out around the heels of ANNANDALE LASS resulting in TIPSY ON RED racing ungenerously for a short distance. A. Patterson was reprimanded and advised to take greater care in future when shifting ground.

In the vicinity of the 600 meters MOONLIGHT FOREST (J. Holder) shifted out abruptly bumping JACK'S A TIGER TOO (L. Hopwood).

In the vicinity of the 100 metres HARRISVILLE TOFF (S. Cahill) shifted out and away from JUST TESS (A. Doyle) which was shifting out under pressure.

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## **GENERAL:**

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## RACE 6 : FULLER VIEWS CABIN PARK RATING 0-62 HANDICAP - 1867 metres

Mr R. Wilkinson, the Trainer of KING'S DELIGHT, advised Stewards on Tuesday, 9 September 2014, the gelding had fractured its off fore cannon bone. KINGS'S DELIGHT is scheduled to be operated on and will have an extended period in the paddock prior to its next preparation.

## PRE RACE SAMPLES (2):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

Race 2 SWEET CAROLINE Race 6 KAIBAR

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# **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):**

Race 1 – BOSSY MISS MOSSY (winner) Race 2 – LOOKING THROUGH (winner) Race 3 – KNOCKFIN ROAD (winner) Race 4 – FIGURE THIS (winner) Race 5 – MISTER ROCKSTAR (winner) Race 6 – DARK FANTASY (winner) Race 7 - ZOVISTA (winner) Race 8 – TIPSY ON RED (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 6 – B. Claridge – Fined \$100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on BERNADI.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 7 – J. Potter (ZOVISTA) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – A. Patterson (ANNANDALE LASS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 8 – LEMERIO – Suspended – Required to load without delay in Approval Jump Out or Official Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Refused to load.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		