# 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 December 2014

Stewards: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro, S. Callanan (F) & P. Ryan (HT) (Stewards),

D. Southgate, N. Castle, S. Allen, A. Quinton & N. Symonds (Deputy Stewards),

Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Upgraded to Good 3 @ 1.49 pm, retrospective to Race 3) WEATHER: Overcast

**RAIL**: Out 3 metres 1200m to Winning Post, True remainder.

#### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	MR HUMPHRIES	M. Neilson	D. Tourneur	Injured
2	DANCE FOR CASH	"	A. Patterson	"
4	PERESSINI	"	M. Vance	££
6	DR DAPPER	"	D. Tourneur	"
7	FROST DOGER	"	J. Holder	ű
9	TIME TO TEST	"	B. Claridge	и

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### RACE 1: HAIGH'S CHOCOLATES PLATE - 1050 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately ten minutes initially owing to MR HUMPHRIES proving fractious in the mounting enclosure and dislodging Jockey M. Neilson. M. Neilson was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and ruled unfit to fulfil his engagements in Races 1 and 2. The start was further delayed to allow a replacement rider to weigh out in respect of MR HUMPHRIES. M. Neilson was to be re-assessed prior to Race 4. Mr. R. Balfour, representing Mr. D. O'Brien, the Trainer of MR HUMPHRIES, was advised a warning had been placed on the colt in relation to its pre-race behaviour.

MR HUMPRHIES (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

RAHEEBA (A. Patterson) shifted out on jumping away and inconvenienced LAHQA (J. Holder).

INVINCIBLE JULES (D. Dunn) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

INVINCIBLE JULES (D. Dunn) laid out rounding the home turn inconveniencing LAHQA (J. Holder), which was taken wider on the track.

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

RAHEEBA was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the colt to be mildly shin sore in the off foreleg.

## RACE 2: BASIN SANDS LOGISTICS HANDICAP - 1506 metres

On arrival at the barriers LEAD THE WITNESS required resaddling and a bridle adjustment.

MONICA KATE (M. Vance) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

#### RACE 2: BASIN SANDS LOGISTICS HANDICAP - 1506 metres (Cont'd)

GOODFUN GIRL (C. Lindop) and LEAD THE WITNESS (D. Dunn) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

In the vicinity of the 400 metres YOU ARE MY WORLD (FR) (J. Kah) shifted out to improve, inconveniencing REBELLE (J. Holder), which was taken wider on the track.

YOU ARE MY WORLD (FR) (J. Kah) laid in, in the straight.

YOU ARE MY WORLD (FR) lost its near fore plate during the event.

J. Kah, the rider of YOU ARE MY WORLD (FR), reported the mare made a breathing noise during the event. YOU ARE MY WORLD (FR) was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

DANCE FOR CASH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. Mr. S. Mathrick, the Trainer of DANCE FOR CASH, was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to presenting the mare for a future trial or race. Mr. Mathrick advised the mare would now be retired.

Following this race, M. Neilson was re-assessed by the Club's Doctor and stood down from his remaining riding engagements.

#### RACE 3 : THE DECK @ MORPHETTVILLE 19/12 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

On jumping away RIVER'S LANE (J. Cartwright) shifted out onto KUSHADASI (J. Toeroek), which lost its position when tightened onto DYLANSON (D. Tourneur). In the incident J. Cartwright lost the use of his off side iron for a short distance.

At the entrance to the straight DYLANSON (D. Tourneur) shifted out onto TEXAN WARNEY (J. Holder), which was hampered when taken out onto KUSHADASI (J. Toeroek), which was inconvenienced and taken wider on the track. D. Tourneur was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

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

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

#### RACE 4: WOLF BLASS & ASSOCIATES MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 metres

MARYORE (D. Tourneur) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

Inside the 800 metres ALPHA MATE (K. Cross) got its head up and raced awkwardly for a number of strides, resulting in INNOVATIVE JILL (J. Holder) becoming awkwardly placed on that gelding's heels for a short distance. INNOVATIVE JILL was then forced to check and lost its position when avoiding the heels of MOLTO VIVACE (A. Herrmann), which shifted out at the same time as CRAYZED (S. Carr) shifted in.

Rounding the turn near the 600 metres ALPHA MATE (K. Cross) rolled out resulting in CRAYZED (S. Carr) becoming awkwardly placed on that gelding's heels for a number of strides.

Approaching the entrance to the straight CRAYZED (S. Carr) rolled out and brushed with PERESSINI (M. Vance), resulting in the hindquarters of CRAYZED being turned.

#### RACE 5: BLACKWELL FUNERALS HANDICAP - 1100 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to JIMMY THE BUTCH getting its off hind leg up in the barriers after being loaded. JIMMY THE BUTCH was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

DREAMTIME BABY (A. Patterson) jumped away awkwardly and shifted out at the same time as CASINO WIZARD (C. Lindop) jumped away awkwardly and shifted in, resulting in HERENOA (J. Cartwright) being tightened and losing its position.

HIGHLAND HENRY (E. Boyd) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event when being restrained off the heels of SWIFT EXIT (D. Tourneur).

From in the vicinity of the 400 metres until inside the 200 metres HIGHLAND HENRY (E. Boyd) had difficulty obtaining clear ground when racing behind SWIFT EXIT (D. Tourneur), which was inclined to roll about.

Approaching the 200 metres J. Holder, the rider of MIDNIGHT SONG, accidentally dropped his whip. J. Holder was reprimanded and advised future instances of carelessness may result in a penalty being imposed.

SWIFT EXIT (D. Tourneur) commenced to lay out under pressure from the vicinity of the 200 metres and in the vicinity of the 50 metres shifted out, inconveniencing DREAMTIME BABY (A. Patterson), which was forced to be steadied. D. Tourneur was severely reprimanded and advised to make a greater effort to keep his mounts straight when they commence to shift ground in future.

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

#### RACE 6: G ORMANDY & B LEAHY HANDICAP - 1050 metres

The start of this race was delayed approximately one minute owing to RED MAGNET, which reared in the barriers after being loaded, being examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who ruled the gelding fit to race.

LAST DAY (NZ) (J. Holder) was slow to begin.

RED MAGNET (J. Kah) jumped away awkwardly.

DR DAPPER (D. Tourneur) raced wide without cover throughout the event.

LAST DAY (NZ) (J. Holder) was held up for a short distance rounding the home turn.

LAST DAY (NZ) (J. Holder) laid in under pressure from in the vicinity of the 200 metres and shifted in, brushing with STRATUMSPHERE (E. Creighton) inside the 100 metres and taking that gelding on an inwards course over the concluding stages. J. Holder was reminded of his obligations and advised he would be required to make an effort to straighten his mounts when they commence to shift ground in future.

SHEEZ ON TOP (K. Cross) laid in over the concluding stages of the race.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow E. Creighton, the rider of the second placegetter STRATUMSPHERE, to view the official footage over the concluding stages. After doing so, E. Creighton lodged an objection against LAST DAY (NZ) (J. Holder) being declared the winner on the grounds of alleged interference over the final 100 metres. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage, acting on their own observations and that LAST DAY (NZ) had taken STRATUMSPHERE in approximately two horses over the final 100 metres, Stewards *upheld* the objection. The amended placings were —

### RACE 6: G ORMANDY & B LEAHY HANDICAP - 1050 metres (Cont'd)

First	No. 5	STRATUMSPHERE (E. Creighton)
Second	No. 7	LAST DAY (NZ) (J. Holder)
Third	No. 8	JENNYFROMTHEBLOCK (J. Toeroek)
Fourth	No. 9	SHEEZ ON TOP (K. Cross)
Fifth	No. 1	OUR SNIPPY (D. Dunn)

D. Tourneur, the rider of DR DAPPER, reported the gelding hung out throughout the event. DR DAPPER was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 7: PENNA MICHAEL CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS HANDICAP - 1600 metres

SUPER SILKS (NZ) (A. Patterson) jumped away awkwardly and contacted UMALUKA (J. Kah).

TIDY PROPHET (E. Boyd) shifted out on jumping away and contacted FROST DODGER (J. Holder).

SUPER SILKS (NZ) (A. Patterson) and TOO COOL TO FOOL (NZ) (C. Lindop) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

The saddle on TIDY PROPHET (E. Boyd) shifted forward in the early stages of the event, placing that rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event and approaching the 200 metres the gel pad fitted to the saddle dropped onto the track.

Correct Weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to give consideration to the provisions of AR143(a) with respect to TIDY PROPHET. After doing so, TIDY PROPHET was declared a runner as Stewards were satisfied the mare had carried it's correct weight after taking into account the ½ kg allowed for the bridle provided for in the Rule.

SENIOR COUNCIL was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a minor laceration to the inside bulb of the heel on the off hind leg.

#### RACE 8 : CITY OF MARION STAKES - 1200 metres

In the vicinity of the 1000 metres EXODUS (D. Tourneur) shifted in onto DUBAWI GOLD (D. Dunn), which was severely hampered for several strides and taken in onto ALPHA MAN (K. Cross), which was tightened onto TILDY LAD (J. Holder), which had to be checked and was tightened onto and made contact with the hindquarters of NEAREST TO PIN (C. Lindop), turning that gelding out, severely hampering NEAREST TO PIN and severely unbalancing C. Lindop. D. Tourneur pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(a) in that he shifted ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Wednesday, 10 December and to conclude at midnight on Friday, 26 December 2014; a period of nine (9) meetings.

In the vicinity of the 700 metres TILDY LAD (J. Holder) laid out and had to be checked to avoid the heels of DUBAWI GOLD (D. Dunn), which shifted in slightly.

In the vicinity of the 300 metres MEADOWS JIM (S. Carr) was disappointed when attempting a tight run to the outside of DUBAWI GOLD (D. Dunn) and inside WHITLAM (B. Claridge) and was obliged to alter course to the inside of DUBAWI GOLD to obtain clear ground.

C. Lindop, the rider of NEAREST TO PIN, reported after being interfered with near the 1000 metres her mount did not stride out for the remainder of the event. NEAREST TO PIN was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 8: CITY OF MARION STAKES - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

A. Patterson, the rider of KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE, reported he was concerned with the gelding's action during the event. KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported atrial fibrillation and a poor recovery. Mr. B. Smith, representing Mr. J. Smith, the Trainer of KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE, was advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

TILDY LAD lost its off fore plate during the event.

TILDY LAD was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported minor lacerations to both forelegs. First Aid was administered.

DUBAWI GOLD was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported a severe abrasion to the near side hock. First Aid was administered.

#### RACE 9: GARY RADFORD & SONS HANDICAP - 2006 metres

Mr. J. McLean, the Trainer of SMARTY MAC, was questioned regarding his presenting the gelding in a tongue tie, which was not part of its approved gear. Stewards permitted SMARTY MAC to race in a tongue tie. Mr. McLean was fined \$200 under AR140A(3).

The start of this race was delayed approximately four minutes to avoid a clash with an interstate race.

KING OF DUDES (GB) (E. Creighton) jumped away extremely awkwardly and was slow into stride.

MY EX MATE (D. Dunn) jumped away awkwardly and was slow to begin.

LATE NIGHT DRINK (J. Kah) shifted out on jumping away and bumped SMARTY MAC (J. Cartwright).

GATALISTIC (A. Patterson) raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

LANGRIDGE STREET (C. Lindop) raced three wide without cover throughout the event.

Approaching the 1800 metres TIME TO TEST (B. Claridge), which raced keenly when being restrained, shifted in and inconvenienced AMALGAMATE (A. Herrmann) for several strides. B. Claridge was reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

MAJESTIC MOMENT (J. Toeroek) was held up from in the vicinity of the 500 metres until the entrance to the straight when racing behind GATALISTIC (A. Patterson) and inside TIME TO TEST (B. Claridge).

TIME TO TEST was examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon who reported no visible abnormalities.

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#### PRE RACE SAMPLES (23):

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

- Race 2 DANCE FOR CASH, TEAR GAS (NZ).
- Race 3 KUSHADASI, CHESTNUT CHARLIE.
- Race 4 HADDA COUPLE, ZAHSPEED.
- Race 5 HERENOA, CASINO WIZARD, SWIFT EXIT.
- Race 6 KING'S PARDON, RED MAGNET, STRATUMSPHERE, DR DAPPER, LAST DAY (NZ).
- Race 8 CONSERVATORIUM, NEAREST TO PIN, DUBAWI GOLD, WHITLAM, , BRIMARVI PRINCE, TILDY LAD.
- Race 9 KING OF DUDES (GB), LANGRIDGE STREET, SMARTY MAC.

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## **POST RACE SAMPLES (4):**

Blood Samples were taken from the following horses:

Race 3 CHESTNUT CHARLIE.

Race 5 HERENOA.

Race 6 RED MAGNET.

Race 8 WHITLAM.

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### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (11):**

Race 1	INVINCIBLE JULES (winner)	Race 6	RED MAGNET (unplaced)
Race 2	TEAR GAS (NZ) (winner)	Race 7	FROST DODGER (winner)
Race 3	DYLANSON (winner)	Race 8	WHITLAM (winner)
Race 4	INVINCIBLE ME (winner)	Race 8	BRIMARVI PRINCE (second)
Race 5	CASINO WIZARD (winner)	Race 9	MAJESTIC MOMENT (winner)
Race 6	LAST DAY (NZ) (second)		,

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SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 9 – Mr. J. McLean – Fined \$200 – AR140A(3) – Presenting SMARTY MAC to race in tongue tie, which was not part of its approved gear.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – D. Tourneur (SWIFT EXIT) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.			
REPRIMANDS	Race 3 – D. Tourneur (DYLANSON) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 5 – J. Holder (MIDNIGHT SONG) – AR137(a) – Carelessness in dropping his whip. Race 9 – B. Claridge (TIME TO TEST) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 8 – D. Tourneur (EXODUS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – from midnight 10/12/14 to conclude at midnight on 26/12/14 – 9 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – MR HUMPHRIES – Warned – Fractious in mounting enclosure and dislodged jockey.  Race 2 – DANCE FOR CASH - Not to race – Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race – Lame off foreleg.  Race 8 – KOSCIUSZKO'S SIDE - Not to race – Results of ECG to be forwarded to TRSA Vet &Vet Certificate of Fitness required prior to performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial – Atrial fibrillation.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			

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