THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Ceduna Racecourse by the Ceduna Racing Club on Saturday, 5 December 2015

<u>Stewards Panel:</u>
D. Bucknell (A/Chairman), M.Williams (HT), P. Dearman (Stewards) & G. Harvey (Deputy Steward, Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Firm 2 WEATHER: Hot

RAIL: Normal

RIDER CHANGES:

Ī	Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
ľ	2	SHAZZAMATTAZ	W. Kerford	L. Stojakovic	No firm engagement

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RACE 1 : PHIL STEVENS & ASSOCIATES / MIDDLETON SECURITIES BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

PHOENIX MISS (L. Stojakovic) – rider reported her mount failed to handle the going. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

THE HEADMISTRESS (B. Griffiths) – hung out throughout and shifted out making the home turn.

FACE LEICA STAR (R. Vigar) – bumped on jumping away by WOTZINTHEBAG, which shifted out.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Stewards to confirm the Judge's placing's as the photo finish equipment had malfunctioned during the event. This failure was rectified prior to the next event.

RACE 2 : FLINDERS PORTS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1000 metres

DINNER CAMP (B. Griffiths) – very slow to begin and lost considerable ground. Warning issued.

BAZILLION (M. Poon) – the mare underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had struck the running rail en route to the barriers and was passed fit to race. Raced greenly in the straight.

DECANTRUM (R. Vigar) – raced in restricted room over the concluding stages.

SHAZZAMATTAZ (L. Stojakovic) – late withdrawal at 1.09 pm on Veterinary advice after colliding with the barriers on a number of occasions. Stewards ordered that all monies invested on SHAZZAMATTAZ be refunded and that all successful wagers placed prior to 1.09 pm to be subject to the deductions of 4 cents in the dollar for the win and 5 cents in the dollar for the place. Mr T. Haddy was reprimanded under LR18.7 for declaring W. Kerford as the rider of the mare without a firm engagement,

RACE 3: CEDUNA FOODLAND CHRISTMAS HANDICAP - 1000 metres

EXALTED OMEGA (G. Willoughby) – late withdrawal on Veterinary advice at 1.40 pm. Stewards ordered that all monies invested on EXALTED OMEGA be refunded and that all successful wagers placed prior to 1.40 pm be subject to the deductions of 19 cents in the dollar for the win.

GOT TO HURRY (M. Poon) – hung out rounding the home turn.

RACE 4: VITERRA / GLENCORE GRAIN THEVENARD CUP - 1600 metres

EBONY ROCK (Jemma Frew) – Jemma Frew pleaded guilty to charges under AR137A(5)(a)(i) and AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip in consecutive strides and on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

RACE 4: VITERRA / GLENCORE GRAIN THEVENARD CUP - 1600 metres (Cont'd)

TESTATE (T. O' Donnell) – raced keenly in the early and middle stage of the event.

RACE 5 : CEDUNA HOME TIMBER & HARDWARE BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

COSTLY ARGUMENT (G. Willoughby) – inclined to lay in, in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

HERO TO VILLIAM (R. Vigar) - R. Vigar pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that he used his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

WILLY THE RABBIT (M. P.	'0011) – Siow to begin.
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ROUTING SWAB SAMPLES (2):

Race 4 – JAPAN (winner)

Race 5 – ALERT THE WORLD (winner)

SUMMARY		
FINES	Nil	
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil	
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – Mr T. Haddy (SHAZZAMATTAZ) – LR18.7 – Declaring rider without firm engagement.	
	Race 4 – J. Frew (EBONY ROCK) – AR137A(5)(a)(i)[+1] – Whip offence	
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	Race 5 – R. Vigar (HERO TO VILLIAN) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence	
SUSPENSIONS	Nil	
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – PHOENIX MISS – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. Race 2 – DINNER CAMP – Warned – Slow to begin Race 4 – EBONY ROCK - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.	
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil	
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil	