THOROUGBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Lock Racecourse by the Lock Racing Club on Sunday, 14 February 2016

<u>Stewards:</u> C. Deakin (A/Chairman), M. Williams (HT), J. Perry (M) & P. Dearman (F) (Stewards) R. Evans (Deputy Stewards) Dr A. Forrest. (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 3

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	ECHINACEA	Jemma Frew	D. Caboche	Indisposed
3	LEWIS STREET	"	B. Griffiths	"
3	HOST ESPRIT	R. Hurdle	A. Doyle	Overweight
4	MILOS	T. Zanker		Explanation accepted
6	TRESETTE	Jemma Frew	J. Kah	Indisposed

RACE 1: HANNFORD (EP) PTY LTD / WUDINNA HARDWARE BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

SLIDE OF HAND (R. Hurdle) – began awkwardly and was slow into stride.

LAUDJOE (W. Kerford) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after striking a perimeter fence en route to the barrier and was passed fit to race.

PERFECT YANK (B. Griffiths) – began awkwardly and shifted in contacting THE HEADMISTRESS.

THE HEADMISTRESS (D. Caboche) – inconvenienced at the start.

RACE 2: WILSON SHEARING / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

AL ZAFIR (B. Griffiths) – in the vicinity of the 500 metres was obliged to be steadied to avoid the heels of BULK BILLING, which shifted in. In the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted in and contacted the running rail.

BULK BILLING (T. O' Donnell) – laid in throughout the event and in the vicinity of the 500 metres shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow W. Kerford (MISS ALLIE) placed second to view the photo finish.

RACE 3: LOCK HOTEL / WEST END / BILL HITCHCOCK MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP – 1200 metres

No Report

RACE 4: LOCK IGA / IRON ROAD LTD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1400 metres

MOONSHAFT (D. Caboche) - rider explained, in his opinion, the gelding did not appreciate the kick back and was reluctant to maintain its position with the field despite the efforts of its rider. Performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Warning issued.

ROCK SPEED (L. Stojakovic) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres was obliged to race in restricted room when SCHOONER WON rolled in and away from STRAVINSKA.

MILOS (T. Zanker) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres was obliged to race in restricted room when ROCK SPEED rolled in and away from SCHOONER WON.

SCHOONER WON (R. Hurdle) – in the vicinity of the 1000 metres was obliged to race in restricted room when STRAVINSKA rolled in.

STRAVINSKA (A. Doyle) – in the vicinity of the 1000 metres rolled in and inconvenienced SCHOONER WON.

MYSTIC'S FINALE (W. Kerford) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as the mare had not raced for six months and was passed fit to race. Performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Trainer, Mr J. Hickmott, advised on return to stable that the mare was lame in the off foreleg and would recommend to the owners that MYSTIC'S FINALE should be retired.

RACE 5: RAMSEY BROS LOCK CUP – 1900 metres

TESTATE (T. O'Donnell) – inside the 1400 metres was obliged to alter course to avoid the heels of MOON DEVIL, which shifted in.

MOON DEVIL (B. Griffiths) – inside the 1400 metres shifted in. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to only shift ground when entitled to do so.

MONTALTO (A. Doyle) – held up for clear running from the 400 metres until the entrance to the straight.

CALIGO (W. Kerford) – held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 600 metres until the entrance to the straight.

RACE 6: LOCK AG SERVICES / MURRAY PEST CONTROL – CLEVE BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP – 1800 metres

ARTEMISIA (B. Griffiths) – reared on jumping away. Rider explained that after the mare lost considerable ground at the start, and in his opinion, the mare was unable to finish off the race as expected.

LAMU LAD (L. Stojakovic) – pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

WILLY THE RABBIT (A. Doyle) – slow to begin. Rider reported from in the vicinity of the 1200 metres the gelding was off the bridle and failed to maintain contact with the field despite the efforts of its rider. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4)

Race 1 – TENNESSEE GROOM (winner) Race 2 – CONTEGO (winner) Race 3 – SCENIC MINT (winner) Race 5 – MOON DEVIL (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 3 – R. Hurdle – Fined \$100 - AR120(b) – Overweight and		
	having to be replaced on HOST ESPRIT		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 5 – B. Griffiths (MOON DEVIL) – AR137(a) – Careless riding		
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – L. Stojakovic (LAMU LAD) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip		
	offence		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 - MOONSHAFT – Warned – Uncompetitive.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		