THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Murray Bridge Racecourse by the Murray Bridge Racing Club on Wednesday, 4 May 2016

Stewards: A. Hayles (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (F), J. Adams (HT) & D. Bucknell (M) (Stewards), M.

Williams, D. Southgate, N. Coldbeck & B. Lambert (Deputy Stewards) Dr P. Horridge &

Dr R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 3 (Downgraded to a Good 4 @ 10.26 am)

(Downgraded to a Soft 5 @ 2.40 pm retrospective to Race 5)

WEATHER: Overcast

RAIL: Out 3 metres 840 metres to winning post, out 3 metres winning post back to 1500 metres,

true remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Ī	Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
	8	CASH JOB	R. Hurdle	S. Lacey	Indisposed

RACE 1 : QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY HOLIDAY RACEDAY – MONDAY 13 JUNE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 906 metres

CRYSTAL MOMENT (O. Ridge) - jumped away awkwardly. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Approaching the 300 metres shifted in abruptly. Laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BIT OF A FLIRT (C. Lindop) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

PELLINA (J. Cartwright) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. Approaching the 400 metres had to steady off heels when continuing to over-race. Approaching the 300 metres attempted a tight run and had to steady off heels. In the vicinity of the 50 metres raced in restricted room for a short distance.

SASSY JO (M. Poon) – inconvenienced shortly after the start.

TRUTH ABOUT LOVE (J. Toeroek) – inconvenienced shortly after the start.

RACE 2 : SAMBEC SHEDS / SABOIS TWO-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1006 metres

DYADAMO (P. Marks) - slow to begin. Approaching the 600 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider.

EXPLOSIVE GIFT (P. Gatt) – bumped on jumping away. Approaching the 600 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider.

SWIPE ME RIGHT (M. Poon) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. Approaching the 600 metres had to be checked and lost its position.

TWO ODD SOX (R. Hurdle) – approaching the 600 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider.

BANGS (J. Toeroek) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as the filly was fractious in the barriers and passed fit to race. Warning issued.

GOLDPHON (D. Tootell) – approaching the 600 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of SWIPE ME RIGHT. D. Tootell was found guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on 11 May, and to conclude at midnight on 14 May 2016: a period of three (3) meetings.

RACE 3: HOTELIER'S RACE DAY 16 MAY – BOOK A TABLE NOW / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1206 metres

NEVER WITHOUT YOU (S. Cahill) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed an elevated heart rate.

LITTLE JAY JAY (D. Caboche) – laid in under pressure in the straight.

SPLASH OF CRISTAL (J. Bowditch) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 4: CARLTON DRAUGHT / SABOIS PLUS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 2210 metres

CRYSTAL ICON (J. Cartwright) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Rider 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 fined \$200.

GRAND ARROW (H. Mccarthy) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres had to be checked and lost its position.

MR LAMBORGHINI (J. Turner) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 400 metres shifted out when insufficiently clear of GRAND ARROW. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 8 May, and to conclude at midnight on Friday 13 May 2016: a period of three (3) meetings.

RICH PRIDE (E. Finnegan) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

RACE 5: SPRY EARTHMOVERS BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1206 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

WISE AND HAPPY (K. Brooks) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

THE OTHER GUY (C. Jones) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

GAME BREAKER (Z. Spain) – inconvenienced on jumping away.

MANHATTAN PRINCE (E. Finnegan) - slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 6: BATES MECHANICAL BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1606 metres

CREANCE (P. Gatt) – laid in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a laceration to the near side of the mouth.

WHAT'S IN A NAME (J. Holder) - slow to begin.

BEAU'S MY BOY (J. Cartwright) – rider 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 fined \$200.

After the running of the event R. Hurdle was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and ruled unfit to fulfill his remaining engagements.

RACE 7: REQUEST RECRUITMENT BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1006 metres

JOY FLIPPER (E. Finnegan) – inconvenienced shortly after the start. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. Rider explained that after jumping away and attempting to be more forward, in her opinion, the mare was reluctant to race throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 8: TERRY CRITCHLEY ACCOUNTANT BENCHMARK 70 HANDICAP - 1406 metres

FASTCAR (Z. Spain) - in the vicinity of the 600 metres was momentarily inconvenienced.

GOLDEN BUCKLEBOO (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

SILENT MAN (J. Toeroek) - in the vicinity of the 600 metres was held up for a short distance when racing on heels.

SWEET SATURDAY (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

DANOULI (G. Cartwright) – inconvenienced shortly after the start. In the vicinity of the 600 metres was momentarily inconvenienced. Rider 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 fined \$100.

CASH JOB (S. Lacey) - slow to begin.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8)

Race 1 - CRYSTAL MOMENT (winner)

Race 2 – BANGS (winner)

Race 3 – MODEL DRAGON (winner)

Race 4 – MR LAMBORGHINI (winner)

Race 5 - BELEAGUER (winner)

Race 6 - WHAT'S IN A NAME (winner)

Race 7 – BRIMARVI EQUIADA (winner)

Race 8 – SHEEZ ON TOP (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 4 – J. Cartwright (CRYSTAL ICON) – Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.		
	Race 6 – J. Cartwright (BEAU'S MY BOY) - Fined \$200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.		
	Race 8 – G. Cartwright (DANOULI) - Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
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SUSPENSIONS	Race 2 – D. Tootell (GOLDPHON) – AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 11/5/16 to 14/5/16 – 3 meetings.		
	Race 4 – J. Turner (MR LAMBORGHINI) - AR137(a) – Careless riding – From midnight 8/5/16 to 13/5/16 – 3 meetings.		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – BANGS - Warned – Fractious in barriers.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	R. Hurdle		