THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Strathalbyn Racecourse by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Sunday, 22 May 2016

<u>Stewards:</u> A. Hayles (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (F), M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), D. Jonas (M), N. Henry & N. Coldbeck (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Good 4 (Downgraded to a Soft 5 @ 1.13 pm retrospective to Race 3)

WEATHER: Windy / Showers

<u>RAIL</u>: Out 2 metres from winning post back to 1200 metres, 2 metres 800 metres to 200 metres, true remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	MAYBE THIS TIME	E. Finnegan	A. Doyle	Indisposed
4	ROBBERG	T Pannell	J. Toeroek	"
5	DERONIMO	E. Finnegan	J. Mamat	"
6	CLAIR	J. cartwright	P. Gatt	"
7	VERNON	"	D. Caboche	"
7	ALREADY LEICA	T. Pannell	L. Stojakovic	"
7	TIMES LIKE THESE (NZ)	J. Cartwright	P. Gatt	"
8	FRAYVILLE	E. Finnegan	K. Brooks	"

RACE 1 : PHILMAC / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1605 metres

KING OF SIAM (NZ) (J. Frew) – pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

BANGARANG (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly. Approaching the 150 metres jumped a section of the track for no apparent reason. Lost its near hind plate during the event.

CLOCKIMUS PRIME (J. Potter) – pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres raced ungenerously for a short distance when being restrained.

NOIR CHEVAL (D. Caboche) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow into stride. A postrace veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow P. Gatt (BANGARANG) placed second to view the official footage.

RACE 2 : WBS PUMPS-LOWARA PUMPS / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1105 metres

BACKSTAGE PASS (J. Cartwright) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in bumping ALEXIS JET.

PUBLICANS PROMISE (J. Kah) - performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

ALEXIS JET (J. Frew) – bumped on jumping away. In the vicinity of the 700 metres pulled hard for a short distance. On pulling up after the event Jemma Frew was dislodged from this filly. Jemma Frew was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and passed fit to fulfil her remaining engagements. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

RACE 2 : WBS PUMPS-LOWARA PUMPS / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1105 metres (Cont'd)

TORCHLIGHT (D. Tourneur) – approaching the 400 metres was momentarily steadied when racing tight to the inside of ALEXIS JET.

RACE 3 : TEAM POLY / SABOIS COLTS, GELDINGS & ENTIRES MAIDEN PLATE - 1355 metres

AUDEAMUS (S. Cahill) – slipped on jumping away and as a result jumped away awkwardly brushing POLAR BEERS.

LABELS (J. Cartwright) – in the vicinity of the 800 meters when the pace of the race eased became awkwardly placed on heels and shifted out bumping VINTAGE GROVE.

LONDOSTAR (J. Kah) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

VINTAGE GROVE (P. Gatt) – pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 800 metres was inconvenienced when taken wider as LABELS shifted out.

HE'S A VALLEYBOY (Z. Spain) - jumped away awkwardly.

RACE 4 : AAP VALVES AND FITTINGS / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1355 metres

SILENT SINNER (R. Hurdle) - bumped on jumping away.

DANISH GOLD DIGGER (Z. Spain) – slow to begin.

IT'S A TOFF (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in bumping SILENT SINNER. Laid in under pressure in the straight.

SPINNAKER COVE (D. Caboche) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5 : MITAVITE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1355 metres

HERE COMES THEBOOM (R. Hurdle) – racing inside the 100 metres had to be checked and lost its position.

EMMOOKI'S STAR (Z. Spain) - slow to begin.

MEADOWS CADDY (M. Poon) – inside the 100 metres shifted out when insufficiently clear causing interference. M. Poon 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 Monday, 23 May, and to conclude at midnight on Saturday, 4 June 2016: a period of five (5) meetings.

HIGHLAND HENRY (K. Brooks) - held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight to the vicinity of the 200 metres.

After the running of this event J. Cartwright was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and ruled unfit to fulfil his remaining engagements.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow J. Cartwright rider of MIKAELA and its Trainer, Mr G. Lesnikowski to view the official footage of the finish.

RACE 6 : DAISH STRATH 20 YEARS CELEBRATIONS / SABOIS F&M BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1205 metres

PROFOUND WISDOM (S. Cahill) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after being fractious in the barriers and passed fit to race. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

DULCIE JANE (J. Toeroek) – bumped on jumping away.

CLAIR (P. Gatt) – bumped on jumping away.

RACE 7 : ADELAIDE BELT & HOSE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1205 metres

SPARTAN WARRIOR (D. Tourneur) – slipped on jumping away. Performed below expectations. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

CHRISTOPHERSON (J. Toeroek) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted in to improve around heels. Lost its off fore plate during the event.

TIMES LIKE THESE (NZ) (P. Gatt) – in the vicinity of the 100 metres was inconvenienced when shifting in and away from DOWN THE AISLE, which shifted in and away marginally from CHRISTOPHERSON, which was shifting in to improve around heels.

RACE 8 : ORANGE PUMPS CLASS 2 HANDICAP - 1605 metres

SILENT MAN (D. Tourneur) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted out marginally.

GREEN HORNET (NZ) (P. Gatt) - jumped away awkwardly and pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event.

MAGGIE'S CALL (A. Doyle) - pulled hard in the early and middle stages of the event.

EPONA REBEL (L. Stojakovic) - very slow to begin. Rider reported the gelding felt awkward in its action in the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the off hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

FIGURE THIS (D. Caboche) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres had to momentarily steady.

FRAYVILLE (K. Brooks) – knuckled on jumping away.

GAME BREAKER - on arrival at the barriers underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and revealed the gelding to be lame. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew GAME BREAKER at 4.09 pm.

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (1):

Race 6 – ALERTNESS (winner)

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):

- Race 1 AALI MIA (winner)
- Race 2 CLANDESTINE AFFAIR (winner)
- Race 3 VINATGE GROVE (winner)
- Race 4 SASSY JO (winner)
- Race 5 DERONIMO (dead heat)
- Race 5 MIKAELA (dead heat)
- Race 6 ALERTNESS (winner)
- Race 7 OUR PROSPECT (winner)
- Race 8 MAJESTIC RIDGE (winner)

SUMMARY				
FINES	Nil			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Nil			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 5 –M. Poon (MEADOWS CADDY) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – From midnight 23/5/16 to midnight 4/6/16 – 5 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – ALEXIS JET – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future race – Lame near foreleg.			
	Race 2 – PUBLICANS PROMISE - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future race – Lame near hind leg.			
	Race 6 – PROFOUND WISDOM - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future race – Lame near hind leg.			
	Race 8 – EPONA REBEL - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future race – Lame off hind leg.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	J. Cartwright			