THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Bordertown Racecourse by the Bordertown Racing Club on Sunday, 3 July 2016

<u>Stewards</u>: S. Callanan (A/Chairman) & M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), R Spillman, J. Foster (F) & S. Bright (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Goulding (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Heavy 8 (Downgraded to Heavy 9 @ 11.45 am) (Downgraded to a Heavy 10 @ 12.45 pm)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	BACK TO REALITY	J. Frew	E. Finnegan	Explanation accepted
3	WADHAM BLUES	J. Kah		Late Notification
8	MAGIC PEGASUS	R. Booth		Notified
8	COURT RANGER	A. Doyle		"

RACE 1 : WOOLSHED INN /SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

WALKABOUTCREEK (D. Caboche) – hindquarters turned shortly after the start as MAPPINGA MELODY jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MAPPINGA MELODY (A. Doyle) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted the hindquarters of WALKABOUTCREEK. 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 reprimanded.

RACE 2 : BORDER AG / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1300 metres

NEED PRAGMATISM (T. Pannell) – contacted at the start as BRAEVIEW MISS jumped away awkwardly and shifted out.

BRAEVIEW MISS (J. Potter) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted NEED PRAGMATISM.

CRYSTAL GLASS (D. Caboche) – over-raced throughout the event.

WHITE LIONESS (J. Cartwright) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GRACEFUL INTENT (Z. Spain) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted out. Rider reported in his opinion the filly may not have handled today's track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : WICKHAM FLOWER & CO / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1550 metres

BACK TO REALITY (E. Finnegan) – approaching the finish rolled in marginally and brushed CENTENARY SHOT. 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 reprimanded.

CENTENARY SHOT (R. Hurdle) - approaching the finish brushed with BACK TO REALITY, which rolled in marginally.

MATALISTIC (Z. Spain) – raced wide without cover in the early and middle stages of the event.

TORCHLIGHT (D. Tootell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3 : WICKHAM FLOWER & CO / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1550 metres (Cont'd)

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow R. Hurdle (CENTENARY SHOT) placed second to view the official footage in the straight.

RACE 4 : MALONEY BUILDERS BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

CHRISTOPHERSON (M. Poon) – slow to begin losing several lengths. Approaching the 100 metres brushed with MOHINI (NZ), which shifted in.

EXALTED APPEAL (D. Caboche) - in the vicinity of the 1300 metres became tight for room and had to be restrained for a number of strides.

TROUBLED GLASS (E. Finnegan) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

MOHINI (NZ) (J. Cartwright) – approaching the 100 metres shifted in under pressure and brushed CHRISTOPHERSON.

LADS ON FIRE – a late scratching at 12.51 pm as it had injured itself in the float en route to the course.

SARAH'S WAY (R. Booth) – had difficulty in obtaining clear ground from in the vicinity of the 500 metres until approaching the 300 metres.

WRIGHT CHOICE (Z. Spain) – inside the 1000 metres improved onto the heels of SARAH'S WAY and had to be restrained.

Following the running of this event A. Doyle was examined by the First Care Medical Personnel and passed fit to fulfil his remaining engagements.

RACE 5 : FARMER'S LEAP WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1550 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately six minutes due to a tractor malfunction.

MARANEKA (E. Finnegan) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SPARTAN WARRIOR (R. Hurdle) – rider explained it was his intention to be more forward, however, after beginning marginally slow and being unable to muster early speed, rather than being caught wide, he elected to obtain cover. He added the gelding was on and off the bit during the event, however, finished the race off well. Trainer Mr G. Young advised the instructions were to have the gelding where comfortable but urged the rider not to encourage the gelding early in the event.

INVIDIA (A. Doyle) – marginally slow to begin. Approaching the 1400 metres dipped for no apparent reason.

KINGDOM OF RAIN (J. Maund) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

RORY'S UNION (J. Potter) – held up for clear running from inside the 400 metres until in the vicinity of the 200 metres when racing between KINGDOM OF RAIN and GREEN BACK DOLLAR.

RACE 6 : CRAIG JARRETT PAINTING BENCHMARK 72 HANDICAP - 1300 metres

SASSY JO (A Doyle) - Trainer Mr S. Theodore advised the filly would now be spelled.

RACE 7 : MURCH PLUMBING & ROOFING BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP – 2000 metres

UNIVERSAL SOUND (D. Caboche) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since August 2014 and passed fit to race. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

RACE 8 : WILLOW GROVE STUD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

EXALTED WILLIAM (D. Tootell) – dipped on jumping away, as a result rider became unbalanced for a number of strides and lost several lengths.

ANOTHER TWISTER (J. Maund) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

PRIME SUSPECT (J. Maund) - difficulty in obtaining clear ground from inside the 400 metres until in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

SHE'S ALL POWER (J. Potter) - slow to begin. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

COURT RANGER (A. Doyle) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and was slow into stride.

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RACE 8 : MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1200 metres

ALITAKA – Trainer Mr S Theodore advised upon examination at his stable on Sunday, 3 July 2016, the gelding was found to be lame in the off hind leg and would now be spelled.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):

Race 2 – AUSSIE BOB (winner)

Race 4 – MOHINI (NZ) (winner)

Race 5 – ADIOS ATLANTIS (winner)

Race 8 – MAGIC PEGASUS (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – A. Doyle (MAPPINGA MELODY) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip Offence.		
	Race 2 - E. Finnegan (BACK TO REALITY) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip Offence.		
	Race 3 – Mr F. Belot – LR18.1 - Late Notification of rider for WADHAM BLUES.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		