THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

<u>Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse</u> by the Strathalbyn Racing Club on Friday, 16 September 2016

<u>Stewards:</u> J. Adams (A/Chairman), M. Santoro (M), C. Deakin (HT), S. Callanan (F), D. Jonas & N. Coldbeck (Stewards), D. Southgate (Deputy Steward), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. R Haensel (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Heavy 8

WEATHER: Fine

<u>RAIL</u>: Out 3 metres 1000 metres to 400 metres, True remainder.

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CASINO CLUB	T. Pannell	P. Gatt	Indisposed
2	STAR POSTMAN	T. Pannell	J. Kah	دد
3	ANGUS CAROLUS	C. Puls	K. Bishop	Explanation accepted
7	THE BLACK SUPERMAN	D. Thornton	P. Gatt	"
7	BEL STREAK	T. Pannell	R. Hurdle	Indisposed
7	STONE SOBER	E. Boyd		Emergency

RACE 1 : DAVID DRIDAN / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES MAIDEN PLATE - 1400 metres

This event was delayed approximately eight minutes owing to a mechanic malfunction with the winning post.

BELL HERO (E. Finnegan) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed superficial lacerations to the left hind pastern and fetlock. First aid administered.

JEST IN VAIN (K. Brooks) - laid in when placed under pressure in the straight.

SAVANETA (M. Poon) – hampered on jumping away.

CASINO CLUB (P. Gatt) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LOCKS WELL (L. Stojakovic) – began awkwardly, shifted out making contact with SAVANETA.

PRETTY PUNK (C. Lindop) – slow to begin.

RACE 2 : HOWLIN' GALE WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP (1) - 1550 metres

JIMMY ROYALE (A. Jordsjo) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after losing its off hind plate and passed fit to race. Permission was given to race bare in the off hind leg. Began awkwardly, shifted out taking LUCKY NOW out onto MERRY CHRISTMAS. Rider reported in her opinion the gelding did not handle the heavy track conditions. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LUCKY NOW (J. Bowditch) – hampered on jumping when taken out onto MERRY CHRISTMAS. Over-raced in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MERRY CHRISTMAS (D. Tourneur) – hampered on jumping away.

SHEANNA (Z. Spain) – when questioned regarding the tactics on the mare, apprentice Z. Spain stated that he was instructed to race in a positive position without the mare overracing. He stated after beginning well and with runners to his inside being hampered on jumping, he elected to roll forward and take up a prominent position. He added that SHEANNA began to race keen in the early stages. Apprentice Z. Spain also added that his mount laid out when placed under pressure in the straight.

RACE 3 : HOWLIN' GALE WINES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP (2) - 1550 metres

MAN SHE'S FAST (J. Kah) – trainer advised he would instruct the rider to attempt to lead in this event. Began awkwardly, shifted out hampering TOTALLY WICKED. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SHADOWS ABOVE (J. Holder) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DIVINE WEAVER (C. Lindop) – over-raced in the early stages of the event.

TOTALLY WICKED (Z. Spain) – hampered on jumping away. Laid in when placed under pressure in the straight.

RACE 4 : MICK VERCO MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 70 HCP - 1400 metres

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow the connections of LOQUETEUX placed second to view the vision.

MARCO POLO (D. Caboche) – 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. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TABLEAUX (A. Jordsjo) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid out when placed under pressure in the straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) and was reprimanded.

LOQUETEUX (J. Toeroek) – hampered shortly after jumping away. Laid out when placed under pressure in the straight.

RACE 5 : HOWLIN' GALE WINES "CATEGORY 5" BENCHMARK 60 HCP - 1950 metres

MATERIALISED (P. Gatt) – 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.

FRAYVILLE (L. Stojakovic) – when questioned rider stated that her mount began well and was able to lead in accordance with her instructions. She added that when she placed FRAYVILLE under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres the gelding commenced to weaken and was disappointed in its finishing effort. In her opinion FRAYVILLE did not handle the heavy track conditions. Trainer, Mr S. Dodd, was advised that a warning would be placed on FRAYVILLE for being uncompetitive. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SEBRING MAGIC (J. Kah) – raced wide without cover throughout.

RACE 6 : CA HAIGH MEMORIAL CLASS ONE HCP - 1400 metres

DAPPER AFTER DARK (M. Poon) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DAREBEN HALARO (B. Claridge) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

BETTY BUTTERSCOTCH (K. Brooks) – declared a late scratching at 3.01 pm after apprentice K. Brooks was kicked in the mounting enclosure and was stood down for her remaining riding engagements as no other rider was available.

KEMERI (L. Stojakovic) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

KISMET (D. Caboche) – laid out rounding the home turn and in the straight.

YOUDINI (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

COCOLICIOUS (J. Toeroek) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SPIRITED MATCH (Z. Spain) – over-raced in the early and middle stages.

RACE 7 : PITCHER PARTNERS BENCHMARK 60 HCP - 1250 metres

TIME WALKER (E. Finnegan) – began awkwardly, shifted out and made contact with SHE'S A STORM. In the vicinity of the 300 metres was bumped after SHE'S A STORM improved into a narrow run to her outside.

SHE'S A STORM (C. Lindop) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after being fractious in the barriers and was passed fit to start. Began awkwardly, shifted in making contact with TIME WALKER. Over-raced in the early stages of the event. Held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight to inside the 300 metres. In the vicinity of the 300 metres improved into a narrow run between COMBAT DANCER and TIME WALKER.

BEL STREAK (R. Hurdle) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

COSMIC KHELEYF (K. Bishop) – trainer advised Stewards that he would instruct his rider to be further forward today.

STONE SOBER (E. Boyd) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to future trial or race.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES ():

Race 1 – PRETTY PUNK (winner) Race 2 – KESAN (winner) Race 3 – GRAND ARMADA (winner) Race 4 – TABLEAUX (winner) Race 5 – JUST RANGER (winner) Race 6 – SPIRITED MATCH (winner)

Race 7 – ALERTNESS (winner)

SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 4 – D. Caboche (MARCO POLO) – Fined \$200 – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip offence.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – A. Jordsjo (TABLEAUX) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+1] – Whip offence.			
	Race 5 – P. Gatt (MATERIALISED) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.			
SUSPENSIONS	Nil			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 5 – FRAYVILLE – Warned – Uncompetitive.			
	Race 7 – STONE SOBER – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	T. Pannell			