#### THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

#### Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Lincoln Racecourse by the Port Lincoln Racing Club on Sunday, 18 December 2016

Stewards:	J. Adams (A/Chairman), N. Coldbeck (HT) (Stewards), P. Dearman (F), J. Perry (M),
	R. Evans & T. Kenny (Deputy Stewards), Dr. R. Haensel (Veterinary Surgeon)

#### TRACK: Good 3

#### WEATHER: Fine

#### RAIL: True

#### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
1	CYCLONE STRYKER	T. Pannell	R. Hurdle	Indisposed
2	O'WELL	B. Griffiths	M. Poon	"
2	RONDAFERRO	E. Boyd	J. Maund	"
3	LATER BABY	B. Griffiths	D. Caboche	"
3	SUPER SILKS (NZ)	E. Boyd	J. Potter	"
4	SAINT VALENTINE	T. Pannell	D. Caboche	£6
4	ARTFUL MONTY	B. Griffiths	A. Jordsjo	"
5	KUNGSLEDEN	"	D. Caboche	"
6	LUDUS MAGNUS	T. Pannell	R. Hurdle	£6
7	DIRE WARNING	E. Boyd	J. Huxtable	"
7	TINTAGEL ROCKER	B. Griffiths	Z. Spain	"

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# RACE 1: SCHWEPPES / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

**CYCLONE STRYKER** (R. Hurdle) – knuckled on jumping away. Shortly after was hampered by GALAXY FALLS, which shifted out on jumping away. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres was hampered after CLASSY CARMEN shifted out while over-racing. In the vicinity of the 300 metres shifted out to improve around the heels of ROCKY VALLEY making contact with CLASSY CARMEN. In the vicinity of the 50 metres had to check when crowded for room between GALAXY FALLS, which shifted in and ROCKY VALLEY, which shifted out.

**GALAXY FALLS** (J. Kah) – began awkwardly and shifted in. In the vicinity of the 300 metres was taken wider on the track. Laid in when placed under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 50 metres laid in making contact with CYCLONE STRYKER.

**ROCKY VALLEY** (M. Poon) - in the vicinity of the 50 metres shifted out when insufficiently clear of CYCLONE STRYKER. Rider severely reprimanded for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was advised he would be referred to the Riders Skills Panel for remedial training.

**CLASSY CARMEN** (B. Claridge) – over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event. in the vicinity of the 1000 metres shifted out after improving onto the heels of GALAXY FALLS and hampered CYCLONE STRYKER. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 2: MGA INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1210 metres

**O'WELL** (M. Poon) - in the vicinity of the 300 metres laid in becoming momentarily awkwardly placed on the heels of VELOCE ROCK, which also shifted out under pressure.

**VELOCE ROCK** (J. Potter) – shifted out when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 300 meters.

# RACE 2: MGA INSURANCE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1210 metres (Cont'd)

**GRAVITY FALLS** (J. Kah) - slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**GOLDPHON** (A. Jordsjo) – rider reported her mount over-raced throughout the event and in the vicinity of the 800 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of ARTFUL RAMBLER. Held up for clear running from the 600 metres until inside the 300 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 3: RSM BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1750 metres

**EMMOOKI'S DASH** (A. Jordsjo) – hampered on jumping away.

**ZIPALANG** (J. Maund) – laid in when placed under pressure over the concluding stages.

**THE HARD WAY** (Z. Spain) - slow to begin. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**LATER BABY** (D. Caboche) – hampered on jumping away. In the vicinity of the 1400 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of SUPER SILKS (NZ). Rider reported he was concerned with the action of the mare in the vicinity of the 700 metres and elected not to put the mare under pressure over the concluding stages. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**PHOENIX EAGLE (NZ)** (M. Poon) – began awkwardly shifting out taking LATER BABY out onto EMMOOKI'S DASH.

**SUPER SILKS (NZ)** (J. Potter) - in the vicinity of the 1400 metres made the crossing awkwardly and shifted in crowding LATER BABY.

#### RACE 4: KEMP REAL ESTATE CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1390 metres

**READY AGAIN** (B. Claridge) – raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**HERE COMES THEBOOM** (J. Huxtable) - in the vicinity of the 150 metres was hampered and had to check to avoid the heels of ARTFUL MONTY, which shifted in despite the efforts of its rider.

**ICELANDIC STAR** (J. Maund) - in the vicinity of the 1200 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of TICKET TO PARIS. Rider reminded of his obligations to be clear when shifting ground in future.

**SAINT VALENTINE** (D. Caboche) – began awkwardly and shifted out abruptly.

**TASSIE** (J. Kah) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 150 metres was hampered by HERE COMES THEBOOM, which was taken in by ARTFUL MONTY.

**TICKET TO PARIS** (R. Hurdle) - in the vicinity of the 1200 metres had to be retrained to avoid the heels of ICELANDIC STAR, which shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**ARTFUL MONTY** (A. Jordsjo) - slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 150 metres shifted in abruptly despite the efforts of its rider making heavy contact with HERE COMES THEBOOM, which was taken in onto TASSIE. Trainer advised a warning was placed on the gelding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

GODLEN CLASS (M. Poon) - slow to begin.

**I DREAM OF GINA** (Z. Spain) - slow to begin.

#### RACE 5: LIBERTY RURAL PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

**EXTREME SHOT** (B. Claridge) – Trainer representative Ms J. Stoetzer was advised a warning was placed on the gelding after being beaten 27.8 lengths. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

# RACE 5: LIBERTY RURAL PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1210 metres (Cont'd)

**SLIDE OF HAND** (Z. Spain) – rider dropped his off side rein in the vicinity of the 50 metres placing him at a disadvantage over the concluding stages.

**CONTEGO** (J. Maund) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after proving fractious behind the barriers and passed fit to race. Trainer was advised that the gelding would be required to perform to the satisfaction of the Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race, after attempting to buck shortly after jumping away.

# RACE 6: PORT LINCOLN TIMES BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

**NIPPY LIPPY** – a late scratching at 12.13 am as there was no available rider.

**HEZAFRAAR** (A. Jordsjo) – raced wide without cover throughout the early and middle stages of the event. In the vicinity of the 100 metres was hampered when crowed by ARWA, which shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**SCHOONER WON** (Z. Spain) - in the vicinity of the 300 metres became momentarily hampered when attempting a narrow run between LUDUS MAGNUS and DUTTON BAY.

NITRO MAGIC (D. Caboche) – began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**DE VILAINE** (J. Maund) – hampered on jumping away.

**MR ROADSTAR** – a late scratching at 11.34 am as there was no available rider.

**DUTTON BAY** (J. Kah) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres had to be restrained to avoid the heels of LUDUS MAGNUS after being taken in by CHANDLERY, which was taken in by HEZAFRAAR, which was crowded after ARWA shifted in when insufficiently clear.

**CHANDLERY** (M. Poon) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres was crowded after HEZAFRAAR was taken in by ARWA, which shifted in when insufficiently clear. Raced in restricted room over the concluding stages and had to be checked to avoid the heels of ARWA, which shifted in passing the finish.

**ARWA** (J. Huxtable) - in the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted in when insufficiently clear of HEZAFRAAR, taking that gelding onto CHANDLERY, which in turn was taken in onto DUTTON BAY, which had to be checked to avoid the heels of LUDUS MAGNUS. Continued to shift in over the concluding stages. Rider was reprimanded under AR137(a) for shifting in when insufficiently clear.

# RACE 7: SHIELD SECURITY BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

KILLAWARRA (J. Kah) – began awkwardly. Over-raced in the early and middle stages of the event.

**DIRE WARNING** (J. Huxtable) – laid in when placed under pressure in the concluding stages.

**GEORDIE'S SECOND** (B. Claridge) – rider reported the gelding hung in throughout the event.

# RACE 8: AVIS PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1390 metres

**SPALDING COVE** (J. Kah) – rider reported the gelding hung out throughout the event.

**CAPITOLINE** (A. Jordsjo) – laid out rounding the home turn and continued to hang out when placed under pressure in the straight.

**CARDINAL MISSION** (J. Potter) – rider reported his mount dipped in the vicinity of the 800 metres.

**IN TAIPEI** – a late scratching at 9.43 am as there was no available rider.

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# **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (8):**

Race 1 – GALAXY FALLS (winner)
Race 2 – BOUTONNIERE (winner)
Race 3 – A CHILLER (winner)
Race 4 – TICKET TO PARIS (winner)
Race 5 – KUNGSLEDEN (winner)
Race 6 – LUDUS MAGNUS (winner)
Race 7 – PUNTER'S LASS (winner)
Race 8 – SPALDING COVE (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Nil		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – M. Poon (ROCKY VALLEY) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – Referred to Rider Skills Panel.		
REPRIMANDS	Race 6 – J. Huxtable (ARWA) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 4 – ARTFUL MONTY – Warned – Hung in. Race 5 – EXTREME SHOT – Warned – Uncompetitive. Race 5 – CONTEGO – Suspended - required to perform to the satisfaction of the Stewards in an Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Bucked.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	T. Pannell E. Boyd B. Griffiths		

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