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

### Report on Race Meeting held at the Port Augusta Racecourse by the Port Augusta Racing Club on Sunday, 6 May 2018

<u>Stewards:</u> C. Deakin (A/Chairman) & M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), M. Adams (Cadet Steward), R. Packard (F) & C. Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

## TRACK: Dirt / Good

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: True

# RACE 1: RANGES COUNTRY CLOTHING FODDER & SADDLERY / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1498 metres

AL ZAFIR (K. Bishop) – slow into stride.

**ENEMY OF THE STATE** (J. Potter) – laid in throughout the event. Rider reported the gelding only travelled fairly throughout and when put under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres, did not respond to his riding and finished the race off disappointingly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery.

HOFF'S OFF (D. Caboche) – began awkwardly and laid in, in the home straight.

**LEMON ZEST** (G. Lo) – when questioned with regard to the tactics adopted in today's event, Mr M. Moosha explained the instructions were the same as at the last start, to push forward and obtain a position near the fence. Rider confirmed these instructions.

# RACE 2: OFFICE NATIONAL / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1200 metres

MAPLE'S IMAGE (R. Hurdle) - laid in shortly after the start contacting OPTIMISTIC HEART.

**OPTIMISTIC HEART** (B. Sweeney) – reared on jumping away. Shortly after the start raced in restricted room for a short distance.

**BUCK'S ROW** (A. Chan) – had difficulty in obtaining clear ground between the 500 metres and 300 metres.

**HANNAHWIN** (E. Boyd) – obliged to be steadied in the vicinity of the 800 metres to avoid the heels of AUSTIN RAIDER, which shifted in.

**SHE'S THE MASTER** (G. Lo) – laid in over the concluding stages.

**AUSTIN RAIDER** (A. Lindsay) – shortly after the start shifted out contacting OPTIMISTIC HEART. In the vicinity of the 800 metres shifted in and inconvenienced HANNAHWIN. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to only shift ground when entitled to do so.

CARIBBEAN SILK (J. Potter) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow to begin.

# RACE 3: RADIO 5AU BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

**ANAMNESIS** (A. Lindsay) – contacted on jumping away.

**KIDDING YASELF** (D. Morgan) – raced in restricted room in the early stages of the event.

**MISS PONDEROSA** (E. Boyd) – raced greenly throughout. In the vicinity of the 600 metres improved onto the heels of MANTILLA, which was weakening and was obliged to be steadied

**MANTILLA** (D. Caboche) – shifted in shortly after the start.

## RACE 3: RADIO 5AU BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres (Cont'd)

WHISTLING MIKADO (R. Sakai) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in bumping ANAMNESIS.

**KAPINETTE** (K. Bishop) – shifted out on jumping away.

**RUSTYDUSTYSUNSHINE** (G. Lo) – saddled slipped to the off side near the vicinity of the 800 metres placing the rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight was delayed to allow Trainer Mr R. Wilkinson (KIDDING YASELF) to view the vision of the start.

## RACE 4: BONNETRY BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

**IMPULSE BUY** (R. Sakai) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

**BELEAGUER** (A. Chan) – slow to begin. In the vicinity of the 100 metres became disappointed for a run between THE MOSHIRE and SHEANNA and was obliged to shift in to obtain clear ground.

LADY ANDRESS (NZ) (A. Jordsjo) – raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

**THE MOSHIRE** (D. Caboche) – laid out in the home straight.

**AL MU'TAZZ** (K. Bishop) – laid out from approaching the 600 metres until the entrance to the home straight. Trainer was reprimanded under AR140B(1) and advised in future to only use approved gear.

**STAY SASSY** (E. Boyd) - jumped away awkwardly and as a result was slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

### RACE 5: MILHINCH HOURGLASS JEWELLERS BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

**BAKSLAP** (A. Chan) – slow to begin. Rider reported after being slow to begin travelled well, however when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 500 metres, failed to respond to his riding.

MASKING (K. Crowther) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**BIT SPENSIVE** (K. Bishop) – laid out over the concluding stages.

MR JAZZ MAN (R. Sakai) – raced in restricted room shortly after the start.

**MANHATTAN PRINCE** (E. Boyd) – laid in throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 6: CENTRAL AUGUSTA FOOTBALL & COMMUNITY SPORTING CLUB BM 72 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

**PARTY SPIN** (Jemma Frew) – shifted out on jumping away. Laid out throughout the event placing the rider at a disadvantage. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RUGGED ANGEL** (J. Potter) – inconvenienced on jumping away and as a result was slow into stride. Approaching the 200 metres shifted out and away from PARTY SPIN and inconvenienced WHITE JADE.

JUST PEGGY (R. Clark) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**SOCIAL LANE** (K. Lau) – reared on jumping way and as a result was slow to begin.

**WHITE JADE** (W. Cave) – shortly after the start was inconvenienced by CLASSY CARMEN, which rolled out. In the vicinity of the 200 metres was inconvenienced by RUGGED ANGEL, which shifted out.

## RACE 6: CENTRAL AUGUSTA FOOTBALL & COMMUNITY SPORTING CLUB BM 72 HANDICAP - 1200 metres (Cont'd)

**CLASSY CARMEN** (A. Jordsjo) – rolled out shortly after the start and inconvenienced WHITE JADE. In the vicinity of the 500 metres raced in restricted room for a short distance.

## RACE 7: PORT AUGUSTA STEEL CENTRE BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1867 metres

**EIGELSTEIN (GB)** (K. Lau) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(4)(b) in that he used his whip in an action that raised his arm above shoulder height and was reprimanded.

**SWEET KAISER** (A. Chan) - slow to begin.

LITTLEBITFUNNY (A. Lindsay) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

**DYLAN JACK** (J. Potter) – rider explained was inclined to travel keenly in the middle stages, however, when placed under pressure from the 800 metres failed to respond to his riding and finished the race off disappointingly.

**QUEDOUTES** (D. Caboche) – slow into stride.

### RACE 8: PORT AUGUSTA VETERINARY SERVICE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

**ONEWOOD** (M. Henderson) – slow into stride. From the 600 metres until the entrance to the home straight was disappointed for clear running. At the entrance to the home straight was inconvenienced and taken in by ROD'S OPINION.

**GRACEFUL WOLF** (B. Sweeney) - slow to begin.

**ZERO PATIENCE** (E. Boyd) –approaching the 600 metres was inconvenienced and was obliged to be steadied to avoid the heels of ROD'S OPINION, which rolled out.

**UPALINNA LAD** (K. Bishop) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Laid out in the home straight.

**ROD'S OPINION** (J. Maund) - slow to begin. Laid out throughout the event. Approaching the 600 metres rolled out and inconvenienced ZERO PATIENCE. At the entrance to the straight shifted in and away from TICKLE ME EARNIE, which rolled in and inconvenienced ONEWOOD.

TICKLE ME ERNIE (A. Lindsay) - rolled in at the entrance to the home straight.

**JUST PAST MIDNIGHT** (K. Lau) – saddle shifted to the off side from the 800 metres placing the rider at a disadvantage for the remainder of the race. At the entrance to the home straight was inconvenienced when ONEWOOD shifted in.

### PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (6):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO<sub>2</sub> purposes:

Race 4 – STAY SASSY, PRINCESS LEAH

Race 7 - GOING NOWHERE, EIGELSTEIN

Race 8 - ROD'S OPINION, CONQUER THE MOMENT

### **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (4):**

Race 2 – BUCK'S ROW (winner) Race 4 - AUSSIE BOB (winner) Race 5 - IN THE FAST LANE (winner) Race 7 – LITTLEBITFUNNY (winner)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Nil
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 2 – A. Lindsay (AUSTIN RAIDER) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.
REPRIMANDS	Race 4 – Ms T. Kropej (ALL MU'TAZZ) - AR140B(1) – Unapproved gear. Race 7 – K. Lau (EIGELSTEIN (GB)) - AR137A(4)(b)[+4] – Whip offence.
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Nil
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil