THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 23 April 2016

<u>Stewards</u>: M. Santoro (A/Chairman), C. Deakin (M), D. Bucknell (F) & M. Williams (HT) (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, N. Castle, N. Coldbeck & P. Dinning (Deputy Stewards), Dr. P. Horridge & Dr. B. Agnew (Veterinary Surgeons).

TRACK: Good 4 (Upgraded to Good 3 at 11.10 am)

WEATHER: Fine

RAIL: Out 6 metres 1200 metres to winning post, 3 metres remainder. Sectional 608 metres.

RACE 1 : REX THOMPSON'S 60TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 2020 metres

SURVIVED (NZ) (C. Williams) - jumped away awkwardly and was slow into stride. Raced aggressively in the early and middle stages of the event.

FLYING CASINO (J. Holder) – rider reported the gelding failed to respond to his riding when placed under pressure in the vicinity of the 600 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

RIVER'S LANE (T. Pannell) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

RACE 2 : RSL ANZAC APPEAL HANDICAP - 1050 metres

BLUE TYCOON (M. Neilson) – shifted out at the entrance to the straight and bumped OAK DOOR, turning that colts hindquarters out, resulting in these two runners making contact on a number of occasions until approaching the 200 metres.

CAPTAIN DUFFY (D. Tourneur) – inconvenienced on jumping away. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

FLAMES OF LIFE (J. Kah) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

OAK DOOR (D. Moor) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages and raced wide without cover throughout the event. Laid out rounding the home turn and again approaching the 200 metres.

ENKI (J. Holder) – shifted out on jumping away inconveniencing CAPTAIN DUFFY.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow D. Moor (OAK DOOR) placed third to view the official vision in the straight. After doing so D. Moor lodged an objection against M. Neilson (BLUE TYCOON) being declared the winner, alleging interference from approaching the home turn to the winning post. After considering the evidence, on viewing the official footage and acting on their own observations, Stewards *dismissed* the objection.

RACE 3 : UBET ADELAIDE FESTIVAL OF RACING HANDICAP - 1100 metres

SILENT WHISPER (Z. Spain) – lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto WAR THUNDER.

HERENOA (R. Hurdle) – inconvenienced on jumping away.

JETELLO (M. Dee) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a lower than expected heart rate.

DAUNTING DANCER (D. Tourneur) - jumped away extremely awkwardly and shifted in contacting SILENT WHISPER.

RACE 3 : UBET ADELAIDE FESTIVAL OF RACING HANDICAP - 1100 metres (cont'd)

HIGHEST NOTE (M. Nielson) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in off hind leg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

REGAL SPUR (T. Pannell) - wide without cover throughout the event.

CASH IS COMING (C. Lindop) - jumped away awkwardly. Held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200 metres when racing behind WAR THUNDER.

BOLDACIOUS GIRL (D. Gauci) – commenced to weaken inside the 200 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

HOT DEMAND (H. Coffey) – rider reported he was unable to position the mare on pace as instructed despite his efforts.

WAR THUNDER (J. Kah) – contacted on jumping away and taken in onto HERENOA. Held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200 metres.

RACE 4 : CAMP QUALITY F&M BENCHMARK 80 - 1200 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately five minutes.

OKAHU BAY (D. Caboche) – inclined to rear on jumping away and was slow into stride.

OUR HARMONY (J. Payne) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in both hind legs. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

BELLE MELBA (J. Kah) – rider reported the mare failed to respond to her riding from the entrance to the straight and weakened from the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LADY ANDRESS (NZ) (J. Holder) – lost its near fore plate en route to the barriers and required Farrier attention. Raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SECRETMENSBUSINESS (J. Dee) – had difficulty in obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until near the 200 metres.

RACE 5 : MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP DEQUETTEVILLE STAKES - 1050 metres

IF NOT NOW WHEN (M. Dee) - jumped away awkwardly. Rider reported the filly never travelled during the event and had not responded to his riding when asked for an effort. He added in his opinion the filly may have come to the end of its preparation. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MOSHKI (E. Finnegan) – contacted on jumping away.

NEAPOLITAN (NZ) (C. Williams) – jumped away awkwardly. Laid out under pressure in the straight.

ARETI (L. Currie) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

MOQLA (M. Neilson) – held up from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 100 metres.

SERENELY DISCREET (D. Tourneur) - slow to begin.

POSH JOURNEY (R. Hurdle) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(i) in that he used his whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100. He also 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 \$300.

MODERN WONDER (S. Baster) – shifted in on jumping away onto MOSHKI.

RACE 6 : HUGHES CHAUFFEURED LIMOUSINES R N IRWIN STAKES - 1100 metres

DAYTONA GREY (C. Lindop) – lost its position on jumping away when tightened onto SANDHILL FLASH.

NOSTRADAMUS (D. Tourneur) – shifted in on jumping away onto HEART OF A LION.

HEART OF A LION (J. Bowditch) – inconvenienced on jumping away and taken in onto DAYTONA GREY.

NORTHERN ZHAR (J. Holder) – hung out rounding the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

LA PASSE (L. Currie) – shifted out on jumping away onto RUNWAY STAR. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

TUSCAN SLING (H. Coffey) – rider explained the mare had never travelled throughout the event and had not responded to his riding. He also added, in his opinion, the mare had raced flat. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RUNWAYSTAR (C. Williams) – hampered on jumping away. Had difficulty in obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 100 metres.

RACE 7 : SCHWEPPERVESCENCE STAKES - 1800 metres

C'EST BEAU LA VIE (J. Holder) - in the vicinity of the 1200 metres rolled in onto SILENT SEDITION.

SILENT SEDITION (C. Williams) - in the vicinity of the 1200 metres shifted in and away from C'EST BEAU LA VIE onto ARTESIAN.

SAILING BY (J. Noonan) – lost its near hind plate during the event.

 $\label{eq:compression} \begin{array}{l} \textbf{COMPRENDE} \ (D. \ Tourneur) - had to be steadied of the heels of BEST FORTUNE in the vicinity of the 1200 metres. \end{array}$

COERCED WITNESS (E. Finnegan) - in the vicinity 1400 metres became awkwardly placed on heels for a short distance. When approaching the 1000 metres became awkwardly placed on the heels of STREET SPUN.

ARTESIAN (J. Kah) - in the vicinity of the 1200 metres had to be steadied and lost its position when SILENT SEDITION shifted in and away from C'EST BEAU LA VIE resulting in the filly being taken in contacting BEST FORTUNE. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a small puncture wound to the off fore cannon. First aid administered.

BEST FORTUNE (T. Pannell) – contacted in the vicinity of the 1200 metres by ARTESIAN, which was taken in resulting in the filly losing ground.

STREET SPUN (L. Currie) – became awkward on the heels of DAASHEBO approaching the 1000 metres.

ALITTLE LOOSE (J. Bowditch) – inside the 1200 metres had to steady off the heels of COMPRENDE.

CRY IF I WANT TO (M. Dee) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DAASHEBO (R. Hurdle) – had to be steadied in the vicinity of the 1200 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of SAILING BY and raced in restricted room until the vicinity of the 1000 metres.

RIVERINA BELLA (J. Payne) - slow to begin and in the vicinity of the 1200 metres had to be steadied off the heels of ALITTLE LOOSE.

RACE 8 : PROJECTION GRAPHICS REDELVA STAKES - 1100 metres

COUNTER PULSE (C. Lindop) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

SUPER CASH (L. Currie) – slow into stride. Had difficulty in obtaining clear ground from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 100 metres.

VIDDORA (J. Bowditch) – rider reported the filly had not responded when placed under pressure and weakened from the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

VERY CHOOSY (D. Moor) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in both forelegs. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

COCOA DOLL (C. Williams) - raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

PRE-RACE SAMPLES (18):

Blood samples were taken from the following horses for, but not limited to, TCO₂ purposes:

- Race 1 SURVIVED (NZ), KILLARNEY KID (NZ)
- Race 2 CAPTAIN DUFFY, OAK DOOR
- Race 3 HERENOA, HIGHEST NOTE
- Race 4 OUR HARMONY, RATIONALITY
- Race 7 C'EST BEAU LA VIE, SILENT SEDITION, SALING BY, ARTESIAN, STREET SPUN, ALITTLE LOOSE, CONCUBINE, PURE PRIDE (NZ)

Race 8 MISS GUNPOWDER, VIDDORA

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

- Race 1 KILLARNEY KID (NZ) (winner)
- Race 2 BLUE TYCOON (winner)
- Race 3 WAR THUNDER (winner)
- Race 4 RATIONALITY (winner)
- Race 5 MODERN WONDER (winner)
- Race 6 NOSTRADAMUS (winner)
- Race $6 I AM GYPSY (2^{nd})$
- Race 7 SILENT SEDITION (winner)
- Race 8 DON'T DOUBT MAMMA (winner)
- Race 8 MISS GUNPOWDER (2nd)

SUMMARY	
FINES	Race 5 – R. Hurdle (POSH JOURNEY) – Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(i)[+3] – Whip Offence.
	Race 5 – R. Hurdle (POSH JOURNEY) – Fined \$300 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+3] – Whip Offence.
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil
REPRIMANDS	Nil
SUSPENSIONS	Nil
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 3 – HIGHEST NOTE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame off hind leg.
	Race 3 – BOLDACIOUS GIRL - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.
	Race 4 – OUR HARMONY - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame both hind legs.
	Race 8 – VERY CHOOSY - Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame both forelegs.
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil
MEDICAL CLEARANCES	Nil