# 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 Friday, 20 January 2017

S. Callanan (A/Chairman), M. Williams (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: Out 2 metres 800 metres to winning post, out 1 metre remainder

### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
2	AGNES ISLAND	A Jordsjo	J. Huxtable	Indisposed
3	DUKE OF NULLAH	"	M. Poon	"
4	BENGAL TIGER	"	J. Toeroek	"
6	CHLOBOROUGH	"	S. Fawke	"
7	KOODA DUCHESS	"	S. Fawke	"
8	NIPPY LIPPY	"	M. Poon	"

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### RACE 1: CORNERSTONE STUD / SABOIS TWO-YEARS-OLD HANDICAP - 1000 metres

**PUZZLIST** (B. Claridge) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

**DEXTER YOU DEVIL** (M. Poon) – marginally slow to begin and shortly after was inconvenienced when PUZZLIST, which jumped away awkwardly shifted in.

**BURGUNDEE MISS** (J. Potter) – rider reported the filly felt sore in its action in front during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed low grade shin soreness in both forelegs.

**TELEPHON QUEEN** (Z. Spain) – raced greenly when placed under pressure in the straight. Rider reported the filly felt sore in its action in front during the event.

#### RACE 2: PORT LINCOLN REAL ESTATE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1210 metres

**INSKY (NZ)** (J. Kah) – rider reported the gelding made abnormal respiratory noises on pulling up. A post-race veterinary examination revealed abnormal upper respiratory noise. Trainer Mr D. Carrison was advised the results of an endoscopic examination and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to accepting for a future trial or race.

**MIDRADA** (S. Fawke) – inclined to hang out under pressure in the straight. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities

**TICKLE ME ERNIE** (L. Stojakovic) – in the vicinity of the 700 metres was obliged to be restrained for a number of strides when racing in restricted room between KID ME, which rolled out and OUR MISSION. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight

KID ME (M. Poon) – in the vicinity of the 700 metres rolled out.

## RACE 3: LINCOLN RURAL SUPPLIES BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1750 metres

**DR HENLEIGH** (T. Pannell) – rider reported the gelding travelled well during the event however failed to let down when placed under pressure.

## RACE 3: LINCOLN RURAL SUPPLIES BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1750 metres (Cont'd)

**DUKE OF NULLAH** (M. Poon) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. In the vicinity of the 100 metres shifted in and bumped PHOENIX EAGLE(NZ). Shortly after rider accidentally dropped his whip.

PHOENIX EAGLE (NZ) (B. Claridge) – bumped with DUKE OF NULLAH in the vicinity of the 100 metres.

FLYTIR (E. Boyd) - slow to begin. Inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

## RACE 4: AVIS PORT LINCOLN BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

**HIGH TEC (NZ)** (S. Cahill) - jumped away awkwardly. A post-race veterinary examination revealed atrial fibrillation. Trainer Mr D. McMahon advised the results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to the gelding performing satisfactorily in an Official Barrier Trial.

**INNOVATE (NZ)** (D. Caboche) – contacted at the start.

**NITRO MAGIC** (J. Huxtable) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres was obliged to shift in when taken in by CLASSY CARMEN onto ZAAZOE, which was obliged to be steadied and lose its position.

SLIDE OF HAND (Z. Spain) - jumped away awkwardly.

**CLASSY CARMEN** (J. Mamat) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted INNOVATE (NZ). In the vicinity of the 1000 metres shifted in onto NITRO MAGIC, which was obliged to shift in onto ZAAZOE, which was obliged to be steadied and lose her position when tightened onto SUTTON BAY. Rider was found guilty to a charge of Careless Riding under AR137(a) for shifting ground when insufficiently clear and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 29 January, and to conclude at midnight on Saturday, 11 February 2017: a period of five (5) meetings.

**ZAAZOE** (E. Boyd) - in the vicinity of the 1000 metres was obliged to be steadied and lose its position as NITRO MAGIC was taken in by CLASSY CARMEN, which shifted in when insufficiently clear. Held up for clear running from rounding the home turn until in the vicinity of the 150 metres when racing between BENGAL TIGER and NITRO MAGIC.

**DUTTON BAY** (S. Fawke) – rider reported the mare weakened from in the vicinity of the 700 metres. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a higher than expected heart rate.

#### RACE 5: FIRE EQUIPMENT & MAINTENANCE GROUP BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**SANDHILL JETT** (J. Maund) – knuckled on jumping away and shifted out abruptly making heavy contact with EXTREME SHOT.

**MILOS** (T. Pannell) - jumped away awkwardly and shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ARTFUL RAMBLER** (J. Toeroek) – underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it was kicked behind the barriers by another runner and passed fit to race. From in the vicinity of the 150 metres until in the vicinity of the 50 metres was held up for clear running when attempting a tight run between COPPER COAST RAIDA and SANDHILL JET and shifted in to obtain clear running.

**EXTREME SHOT** (S. Fawke) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination after it got its near hind leg up in the barrier stall after being loaded and passed fit to race. Contacted at the start and lost its position when severely hampered as SANDHILL JET knuckled on jumping away and shifted out at the same time as I DREAM OF GINA was taken in by MILOS, which jumped away awkwardly and shifted in.

I DREAM OF GINA (J. Mamat) – on jumping away was taken in by MILOS onto EXTREME SHOT.

#### RACE 6: PHILLIP HANCHANT MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1390 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

POINT DRUMMOND (M. Poon) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**HEZA HUSSLER** (J. Mamat) – inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight. 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 \$100.

**SCHOONER WON** (Z. Spain) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and ruled unfit to race as it was lame in the near foreleg. Acting on this advice Stewards withdrew SCHOONER WON at 4.42 pm. Trainer Mr R. King was advised a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness is required prior to a future trial or race.

CHLOBOROUGH (S. Fawke) - slow into stride.

#### RACE 7: VETS ON EYRE BENCHMARK 80 HANDICAP - 1210 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes due to the late arrival of the horses at the barriers.

MOON DEVIL (J. Toeroek) - inclined to race keenly in the early and middle stages of the event.

HARD AT IT (J. Kah) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**DESTONY HAWK** (B. Claridge) – re-saddled on arrival at the barriers. Held up for clear running between COSMIC KHELEYF and EYE THE WORLD from shortly after the entrance to the straight until in the vicinity of the 100 metres and shortly thereafter shifted out and bumped EYE THE WORLD.

**CATCH HIM** (E. Boyd) – rider reported the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action from shortly after the start and for this reason did not ride CATCH HIM out in her normal manner.

**EYE THE WORLD** (J. Potter) – in the vicinity of the 100 metres bumped with DESTONY HAWK, which shifted out.

## RACE 8: K & K COOLING BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1000 metres

HEAVENS FLIGHT (J. Huxtable) - inclined to lay in under pressure in the straight.

NIPPY LIPPY (M. Poon) - jumped away awkwardly, shifted out and contacted SCENIC MINT.

**HEZAFRAAR** (D. Caboche) – difficulty in obtaining clear ground for a short distance in the vicinity of the 150 metres.

**SCENIC MINT** (L. Stojakovic) – contacted at the start.

**ALL IS WELL** (J. Maund) – rider reported the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action during the event and for this reason he elected not to ride ALL IS WELL out in his normal manner.

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## **ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (3):**

Race 2 – KID ME (winner)

Race 5 - COPPER COAST RAIDA (winner)

Race 7 – EYE OF THE WORLD (winner)

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SUMMARY				
FINES	Race 6 - J. Mamat (HEZA HUSSLER) - Fined \$100 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip Offence.			
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil			
REPRIMANDS	Nil			
SUSPENSIONS	Race 4 – J. Mamat (CLASSY CARMEN) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding – From midnight 29/1/17 and to conclude at midnight 11/2/17 – 5 meetings.			
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – INSKY – Not to race - Endoscopic examinations & Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to presenting for a future trial or race - Abnormal upper respiratory noise.  Race 4 - HIGH TEC (NZ) – Not to race – Results of an ECG are to be forwarded to the TRSA Veterinary Surgeon and a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness would be required prior to a future Barrier Trial – Atrial Fibrillation.  Race 6 – SCHOONER WON – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.			
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil			
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	A. Jordsjo			