# 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, 23 July 2017

Stewards: C. Deakin (A/Chairman) & A. Hayles (HT) (Stewards), J. Perry (M) R. Packard (F), C.

Edson (Deputy Stewards), Dr. D. Anderson (Veterinary Surgeon)

TRACK: Dirt / Good WEATHER: Fine

**RAIL:** True

### **RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
4	ALFAMEIDIES	B. Griffiths		Late declaration – Explanation accepted.
7	DE VALOR	R. Clark		"

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### RACE 1: FESTIVAL HIRE / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1396 metres

MY FRIEND RILEY (K. Bishop) - slow to begin.

**AN APPLE A DAY** (T. Zanker) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the off foreleg. First aid administered. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

**BERRY BABY** (A. Doyle) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since July 2016 and passed fit to race.

**LUCID KISS** (R. Clark) – slow to begin. Rider explained that after jumping away slowly the filly travelled well until put under pressure in the vicinity of the 400 metres and did not finish the race off as expected. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

#### RACE 2: JB RADIATORS & WINDSCREENS BENCHMARK 60 HANDICAP - 1396 metres

AWKWARD SILENCE (V. Wong) - jumped away awkwardly

**AY OH WHEY OH** (R. Clark) – reared on jumping away and as a result was slow to begin losing four lengths.

## RACE 3: KEITH MCINNIS MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1200 metres

**JUST PEGGY** (S. Fawke) – raced ungenerously in the early and middle stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**EXTREME SHOT** (K. Bishop) – inconvenienced shortly after the start by WHITE JADE, which shifted out.

WHITE JADE (V. Wong) – shifted out on jumping away.

## RACE 4: RED MULGA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres

The start of this event was delayed approximately three minutes.

**ALFAMEIDIES** - a late scratching at 2.38 pm when it refused to load. Trainer D. Egan was advised that the gelding would be required to load without delay in an Approval Jump Out or Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race.

**SHALL WE HOPE** (T. Pannell) – shifted out under pressure over the concluding stages.

## RACE 4: RED MULGA / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres (cont'd)

**COCOA LABELLE** (Jemma Frew) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since July 2016 and passed fit to race. In the vicinity of the 1000 metres rolled out inconveniencing KOODA STAR.

**IMPOSSIBLE GIRL** (K. Crowther) – hung out throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**IT'S PRIMROSE** (T. Zanker) – rider reported the mare was inclined to lay out in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**KOODA STAR** (K. Bishop) – inconvenienced in the vicinity of the 100 metres when tightened for room by COCOA LABELLE, which rolled out and to the inside of SHALL WE HOPE.

**ETHELAIDES** – a late scratching at 11.10 am as there was no rider available.

**SEAFORE** (A. Doyle) – rider reported the filly made a respiratory noise in the vicinity of the home turn. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the filly to be lame in the off foreleg. Veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race.

#### RACE 5: PKB ELECTRICAL BENCHMARK 64 HANDICAP - 1867 metres

**IT'S HUMPHREY** (Jemma Frew) – rider reported the gelding travelled well until the 600 metres and thereafter when put under pressure failed to respond to her riding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**LETSAVA WIN (NZ)** (S. Fawke) – raced keenly in the early and middle stages of the event. Laid in, in the home straight.

#### RACE 6: TUMBY TROUGHS DEVON MEMORIAL BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1600 metres

IRISH MAMBO (A. Doyle) - knuckled on jumping away.

# RACE 7: PORT AUGUSTA BUS SERVICE BENCHMARK 56 HANDICAP - 1100 metres

**OLIVIA'S MATE** (T. Pannell) – raced greenly in the middle stages of the event.

**MYKONOS** (B. Griffiths) – laid in throughout the event. In the vicinity of the 800 metres shifted in and inconvenienced DE VALOR. Rider reprimanded. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**FREDERATION** (K. Crowther) - as no suitable Apprentice was available K. Crowther was permitted to not claim her full allowance in this event. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR120(b) and was fined \$200.

**DE VALOR** (R. Clark) - in the vicinity of the 800 metres was inconvenienced by MYKONOS, which shifted in.

POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (2):

Race 2 – OWL ON THE PROWL (winner)

Race 4 – ON APPRO (winner)

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

Race 2 – OWL ON THE PROWL (winner)

Race 4 – ON APPRO (winner)

Race 5 – OVERSTREET (winner)

Race 7 – THE BRONX (winner)

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SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 7 – K. Crowther (FREDERATION) – Fined \$200 – AR120(b) – Overweight.		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Nil		
REPRIMANDS	Race 7 – B. Griffiths (MYKONOS) – AR137(a) – Careless Riding.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 1 – AN APPLE A DAY – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame off foreleg.  Race 4 – ALFAMEIDIES – Suspended – Required to load without delay in an Approval Jump Out or Official Barrier Trial prior to accepting for a future race – Difficult to load.  Race 4 – SEAFORE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		