THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

<u>Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Parks Racecourse</u> by the South Australian Jockey Club on Saturday, 1 September 2018

<u>Stewards</u>: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (MT), A. Hayles (HT) & J. Adams (F) (Stewards), K. Lemay-Robins (Cadet Steward), D. Jonas, R. Dinning, B. Hallett, A. Deakin & K. Robinson (Deputy Stewards) Dr B. Agnew & Dr M. Taylor (Veterinary Surgeons)

<u>TRACK</u>: Main track – Soft 6 Parks track – Soft 6 (*Upgraded to Soft 5 at 11.20 am*)

<u>RAIL</u>: Main track – Out 4 metres 1200 metres to winning post, true remainder. Parks track – Out 6 metres 1000 to winning post, out 4 metres remainder.

WEATHER: Fine

RIDER CHANGES:

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
3	DANCE OF HEROES (GB)	J. Holder		Late notification.
6	VIEIRA	A. Chan	G. Cartwright	Indisposed.
7	EMBECEE LIL	J. Huxtable		Emergency – notified.
8	SAVANERO (NZ)	A. Chan	A. Jordsjo	Indisposed.
8	SAVANERO (NZ)	A. Jordsjo	G. Cartwright	Dual engagement – explanation accepted.

RACE 1: SYD MCDONALD SENIOR MEMORIAL HANDICAP - 1250 metres

DANCER'S KIN (K. Crowther) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Inside the 1000 metres was tightened by MAID EQUAL, which shifted in slightly, and as a consequence was hampered and when being restrained shifted out and contacted RIVERINA DANCER, taking that horse wider.

NO MORE BIDS (D. Tourneur) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RIVERINA DANCER (C. Parish) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event. Contacted, inconvenienced and taken wider by DANCER'S KIN inside the 1000 metres.

MAID EQUAL (H. Coffey) – inside the 1000 metres shifted in and tightened DANCER'S KIN for a number of strides, which was hampered. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

RACE 2: DREAM CRUISES AUS VS IRE JUMPING CHALLENGE STEEPLE – 3500 metres Run on the main track

URBAN EXPLORER (NZ) (D. McInerney) – inconvenienced after jumping the last steeple by DAREBIN, which fell.

PENTOMATIC (NZ) (R. David) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the horse had bled from both nostrils. Trainer, Mr E. Musgrove, was advised that as this was the horse's first bi-lateral bleed PENTOMATIC (NZ) would now be suspended from racing for a period of three months in accordance with AR53A and would be required to gallop 1000 metres in the presence of a Steward prior to accepting for a future race.

RACE 2: DREAM CRUISES AUS VS IRE JUMPING CHALLENGE STEEPLE – 3500 metres (cont'd) Run on the main track

DAREBIN (A. Short) – contacted the final steeple and fell, dislodging A. Short. A. Short was examined by the First Care Medical personnel and cleared of injury. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr E. Musgrove, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

All other runners underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 3: SOUL GROWERS WINES HANDICAP - 2250 metres

THE STATESMAN (GB) (C. Symons) – rider reported that the gelding performed below expectations and failed to respond to his riding as expected. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

DANCE OF HEROES (GB) (J. Holder) – raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

EXFLYTATIONS (D. Tourneur) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 4: DREAM CRUISES AUS VS IRE JUMPING CHALLENGE HURDLE - 3200 metres Run on the main track

ACCOUNTED FOUR (D. McInerney) – lost its near fore plate during the event.

ROMELO (NZ) (B. Small) – jumped the ninth hurdle awkwardly and became unbalanced on landing.

WOODBRIDGE (A. Short) – jumped the ninth hurdle awkwardly and became unbalanced on landing.

All runners underwent a post-race veterinary examination which revealed no visible abnormalities.

RACE 5: MYPUNTER.COM HANDICAP - 1000 metres

BAROOD (E. Finnegan) – rider reported that the horse was one-paced during the event.

READY SUNSHINE (C. MacFarlane) – shifted out at the start tightening TREMBLING onto WON BALL, which shifted in.

HOLY SEAL (C. Symons) – rider explained that the mare travelled well; however, when placed under pressure failed to respond to his riding and shortly thereafter he became concerned with its action. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WON BALL (H. Coffey) – shifted in at the start tightening TREMBLING onto READY SUNSHINE.

AKKACAN (K. Crowther) – laid in, in the straight.

ROCKETS RED GLARE (D. Tourneur) – slow to begin. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration to the near hind hock.

TREMBLING (J. Holder) – tightened at the start between READY SUNSHINE and WON BALL, which both shifted ground, and was inconvenienced.

RACE 6: STUART GLENN'S 60TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1250 metres

EDGEWOOD (J. Huxtable) – slow to begin.

RACE 6: STUART GLENN'S 60TH BIRTHDAY HANDICAP - 1250 metres (cont'd)

BALWARRA GOLD (E. Finnegan) – began very awkwardly and contacted the outside gate partition. Laid out in the straight. Rider reported that after beginning very awkwardly the gelding choked down in running. A post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow post-race recovery and the gelding to be lame in the near hind leg. Trainer, Mr G. Searle, was advised that a Veterinary Certificate of Fitness was required prior to a future trial or race.

SHE'S BENEFICIAL (P. Gatt) – inconvenienced shortly after the start by ITS TIME FOR MAGIC (NZ), which shifted in.

ITS TIME FOR MAGIC (NZ) (J. Holder) – shifted in shortly after the start and inconvenienced SHE'S BENEFICIAL.

RACE 7: UBET PENNY EDITION STAKES - 1400 metres

WIDGEE TURF (T. Pannell) – near the 50 metres shifted in under riding and tightened WAGING WAR, which had to be momentarily steadied. Rider severely reprimanded and advised to stop and straighten his mounts when they commence to shift ground.

DANON LIBERTY (JPN) (C. Symons) – held up for clear running from shortly after the entrance to the straight until inside the 200 metres.

POETIC DREAM (IRE) (C. Parish) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

WAGING WAR (E. Boyd) – laid out in the straight. In the vicinity of the 50 metres was obliged to be momentarily steadied when WIDGEE TURF shifted into its running line.

EXALTED ADAM (D. Tourneur) – held up for clear running for a short distance shortly after the entrance to the straight when racing behind SILVERA and inside WIDGEE TURF.

SILVERA (J. Holder) – raced wide without cover throughout the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

SILENT WARRIOR (J. Toeroek) – laid out in the straight.

RACE 8: QUAYCLEAN HANDICAP - 1400 metres

EXCITES ZELADY (J. Huxtable) – rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

GALAXY GAZER (R. Clark) – approaching the 100 metres laid out, shifted out and became awkward on the heels of MO FEMME, which shifted in. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

OSCAR'S MY MATE PA (C. Hall) – awkward and slow to begin. Inside the 200 metres became awkward on the heels of SINGLE BARREL, which was weakening, and was obliged to steady and shift to the outside of that horse to obtain clear running.

MOGHUL EMPIRE (C. MacFarlane) – Trainer, Mr W. Clarken, advised Stewards prior to the event of a change of tactics in that having regard for the solid pace in the event and the gelding's barrier draw he would instruct his rider to attempt to settle midfield with cover. Raced keenly in the early stages.

DIAPASON (NZ) (K. Crowther) – awkward to begin.

MO FEMME (D. Caboche) – shifted in approaching the 100 metres.

PRE-RACE URINE SAMPLES (2):

Race 5 – ALL ABOUT NICCI, CELTIC BLAST.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLES (26):

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

Race 2 – URBAN EXPLORER (NZ), SIR LOPEZ, CAROUN (IRE).

Race 3 - THE STATESMAN (GB), DANCE OF HEROES (GB), EXFLYTATIONS.

- Race 4 ZENTANGLE (NZ), TUNES, ACCOUNTED FOUR, ROMELO (NZ), WOODBRIDGE.
- Race 5 ALL ABOUT NICCI, CELTIC BLAST, TREMBLING.
- Race 6 MISS IDENTIFIED, SHE'S BENEFICIAL, ITS TIME FOR MAGIC (NZ), I AM QUEEN.
- Race 7 WIDGEE TURF, THEANSWERMYFRIEND, POETIC DREAM (IRE), WAGING WAR, SILVERA.
- Race8 MOGHUL EMPIRE, DIAPASON (NZ), MO FEMME.

ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (10):

- Race 1 FAROOQ (winner) Race 2 – SIR LOPEZ (winner) Race 3 – EXALTED CRAFTSMAN (winner) Race 4 – TUNES (winner) Race 5 – CELTIC BLAST (winner) Race 5 – TREMBLING (second) Race 6 – ZALMONA (winner)
- Race 7 THEANSWERMYFRIEND (winner)
- Race 7 WIDGEE TURF (second)
- Race 8 TAN TAT TRUSTING (NZ) (winner)

SUMMARY			
FINES	Race 3 – Mr G. Young – Fined \$200 – LR18.1 – Late notification of rider for DANCE OF HEROES (GB)).		
SEVERE REPRIMANDS	Race 1 – H. Coffey (MAID EQUAL) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. Race 7 – T. Pannell (WIDGEE TURF) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.		
REPRIMANDS	Race 8 – J. Huxtable (EXCITES ZELADY) – AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.		
SUSPENSIONS	Nil		
HORSE ACTIONS	Race 2 – PENTOMATIC (NZ) – AR53A – Suspended 3 months – Bled first time. Race 2 – DAREBIN – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. Race 6 – BALWARRA GOLD – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to a future trial or race – Lame near hind leg.		
ADJOURNED INQUIRIES	Nil		
MEDICAL CLEARANCE	Nil		