**THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED**

**STIPENDIARY STEWARDS’ REPORT**

**Report on Race Meeting held at Morphettville Racecourse**

**by the South Australian Jockey Club on Monday, 14 March 2016**

**Stewards**: J. Petzer (Chairman), M. Santoro (HT), C. Deakin (F), S. Callanan, J. Adams (M) & M. Williams (Stewards), D. Southgate, D. Jonas, P. Downey & N. Coldbeck (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge, Dr B. Agnew & Dr Fuller (Veterinary Surgeons).

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**TRACK: Good 4 WEATHER: Fine**

**RAIL: Out 2 metres 1200 to 400 metres. True remainder. Sectional 602 metres.**

**RIDER CHANGES:**

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| **Race** | **Horse** | **Rider** | **Replaced By** | **Reason** |
| 7 | DISTILLATION | C. Jones | E. Finnegan | Overweight |
| 9 | EYRTON (GB) | S. Clipperton | L. Currie |  |

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**RACE 1 : SEVEN NEWS HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

**ECLAIR ATTACK** (D. Tourneur) – hampered shortly after the start, became held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 300 metres until inside the 200 metres and then improved into a tight run near the 150 metres between POMP and SALTARELLO, and shortly thereafter brushed the hindquarters of SALTARELLO, which was hampered slightly and shifted out and away from that horse.

**ATALANTA MISS** (K. McEvoy) – raced wide without cover in the middle stages of the event.

**POMP** (M. Neilson) – shifted out at the start and hampered ECLAIR ATTACK. Raced keenly in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed abrasions to the off hind pastern and a slow recovery. First aid administered.

**SPACE TIME** (Z. Spain) – tightened near the 150 metres by BEAUTIFUL FLYER, which laid in and shifted in, and raced in restricted room for a number of strides.

**BEAU RIVAGE** (J. Toeroek) – tightened near the 150 metres when racing in restricted room between SPACE TIME, which was taken in by BEAUTIFUL FLYER, and SALTARELLO which rolled out, was obliged to be checked, and shortly thereafter clipped the heels of SALTARELLO and knuckled. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**BEAUTIFUL FLYER** (J. Cartwright) – began awkwardly, shifted out and tightened OPTIMIZE onto BEAU RIVAGE resulting in OPTIMIZE losing its positon. Laid in near the 150 metres, shifted in and tightened SPACE TIME which was taken in onto BEAU RIVAGE which was tightened. J. Cartwright was reminded of his obligations when his mounts commence to shift ground.

**WINDSOR CUP** (R. Hurdle) – contacted SALTARELLO at the start.

**CHOSEN ANGEL** (J. Holder) – slow to begin.

**SALTARELLO** (C. Jones) – began awkwardly contacted WINDSOR CUP and was hampered near the 150 metres, and rolled out.

**OPTIMIZE** (P. Gatt) – tightened at the start, lost its position and shortly thereafter clipped the heels of BEAUTIFUL FLYER.

**RACE 2 : MAGIC MILLIONS ADELAIDE TWO-YEAR-OLD CLASSIC - 1200 metres**

The start of this event was delayed approximately two minutes.

**RACE 2 : MAGIC MILLIONS ADELAIDE TWO-YEAR-OLD CLASSIC - 1200 metres (Cont’d)**

**DAM READY** (L. Currie) – began awkwardly, shifted out and contacted FASTBROOK (NZ). A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**FALCOOL** (B. Rawiller) – eased out of the event in the vicinity of the 700 metres. B. Rawiller explained the gelding felt short in its action in the early stages of the event and when placed under pressure failed to respond and laboured in the run. He added, for this reason, he eased his mount out of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**SHE’S POSITIVE** (J. Noonan) – J. Noonan pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137(c) for making a celebratory gesture prior to the winning post and was fined $400.

**NORTHERN LASS** (S. Clipperton) – raced greenly and fiercely in the early and middle stages of the event and contacted the running rail on several occasions in the initial 500 metres of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. S. Clipperton was questioned regarding his riding of the mare over the concluding stages and reminded of his obligations under AR137(b) to ride his mounts out to the end of the race.

**FASTBROOK (NZ)** (D. Tourneur) – contacted at the start, held up approaching the 100 metres, unable to obtain clear running and was untested to the line.

**LUCY IN DISGUISE** (P. Gatt) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed the mare to be lame in the near foreleg. Trainer, Mr S. Nichols advised a veterinary Certificate of Fitness required prior to trial or race start.

**RACE 3 : THE MYER FASHION TROPHY - 1200 metres**

**TYCOON QUEEN** (K. McEvoy) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**COACHELLA (NZ)** (D. Tourneur) – had difficulty obtaining clear ground for a short distance near the 300 metres.

**CASH IS COMING** (Z. Spain) – proved difficult to load. Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

**WILANDER PRINCESS** (C. Lindop) – lost its off fore plate during the event. C. Lindop reported it was not her intention to lead but having regard for her position in the early stages and the formation of the field, she was obliged to take up a forward position rather than being caught wide.

**ISLAND BEACH** (J. Toeroek) – held up for clear running from in the vicinity of the 300 metres to the 200 metres.

**RACE 4 : QATAR AIRWAYS HANDICAP - 1600 metres**

**RIVER’S LANE (**D. Caboche) – hampered shortly after the start.

**BEAU’S MY BOY** (Z. Spain) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed an elevated heart rate.

**HAVE PLENTY** (J. Bowditch) – tightened shortly after the start by GRANDE ROSSO, which shifted in, had to be steadied and raced in restricted room for a number of strides shortly thereafter.

**GRANDE ROSSO** (S. Baster) – shifted in shortly after the start and tightened HAVE PLENTY onto RIVER’S LANE, which was tightened onto ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS, which contacted ZAYAK. As a consequence HAVE PLENTY, RIVER’S LANE and ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS were hampered for a number of strides. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. S. Baster was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground in future.

**ZAYAK** (E. Finnegan) – brushed with ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS for a number of strides shortly after the start. Held up for clear running from the entrance to the straight until approaching the 200 metres and thereafter was again held up for clear running for a number of strides approaching the 100 metres.

**ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS** (T. Pannell) – hampered shortly after the start.

**RACE 5 : SCHWEPPES C S HAYES MEMORIAL CUP - 1600 metres**

**LIDARI (FR)** (B. Rawiller) – held up from near the entrance to the straight for a short distance when racing to the inside of DYLANSON.

**ROYAL RUMBLE** (C. Lindop) – C. Lindop pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined $200.

**KARLOVASI** (P. Gatt) – was eased out shortly after the entrance to the straight when P. Gatt considered there was something amiss with the gelding. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 6 : AUDI SOLITAIRE HANDICAP - 1050 metres**

**JENNYFROMTHEBLOCK** (Z. Spain) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a small laceration to the off hind leg. First aid administered.

**NEAREST TO PIN** (D. Caboche) – lost its near fore plate during the event.

**HIDDEN VALUE** (J. Cartwright) – a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**QADIR** (K. McEvoy) – slow into stride. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

Correct weight for this event was delayed to allow Mr L. Kennewell, the Trainer and Z. Spain the rider of JENNYFROMTHEBLOCK to view the vision in the straight as well as the official photo for second.

**RACE 7 : UBET ADELAIDE CUP - 3200 metres**

**GAMBLIN’ GURU** (J. Holder) – was tightened at the start between CELTIC PRINCE (NZ) and GALLATIN, which both shifted ground.

**UP CUPS** (D. Pires) – shifted in shortly after the start taking LAST WISH (NZ) on an inward course resulting in that horse being tightened onto TIDY PROPHET, which was tightened onto CELTIC PRINCE (NZ), which was taken in onto GAMBLIN’ GURU. As a consequence GAMBLIN’ GURU was severely hampered and became unbalanced. D. Pires was severely reprimanded and advised to take greater care when shifting ground. A post-race veterinary examination revealed the gelding had tied-up in both hindquarters.

**LUCQUES** (D. Lane) – over-raced in the early stages of the event. Approaching the 1600 metres became awkward on heels of runners for a short distance when racing to the inside of LIKE A CAROUSEL, attempted to shift out and brushed LIKE A CAROUSEL on a number of occasions. Inside the 1400 metres shifted out taking SWACADELIC (GER) wider on the track.

**TUNES** (J. Kah) – J. Kah pleaded guilty to a charge under AR137A(5)(a)(ii) in that she used her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Sunday, 20 March, and to conclude at midnight on Sunday, 27 March 2016: a period of three (3) meetings.

**WALES** (S. King) – S. King was granted permission to ride half a kilogram overweight. Stewards determined S. King had advised the Trainer, Mr R. Laming, he would be overweight at the time of his engagement to ride the horse. Mr Laming was reprimanded and advised in future to seek prior approval from Stewards in similar circumstances.

**LAST WISH (NZ)** (S. Clipperton) – S. Clipperton was granted permission to ride half a kilogram overweight. S. Clipperton pleaded guilty to a charge under AR120(b) for being overweight and was fined $200.

**CELTIC PRINCE (NZ)** (J. Toeroek) – lost its off hind plate during the event.

**DISTILLATION** (E. Finnegan) **-** a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**TIDY PROPHET** (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed a slow recovery. First aid administered.

**RACE 8 : QUAYCLEAN MATRICE STAKES - 1200 metres**

**ECLAIR CHOICE –** acting on confirmed advice from Trainer Mr P. Stokes that the gelding had a swelling to the near foreleg and was unfit to race, Stewards declared ECLAIR CHOICE a late scratching at 1.19 pm.

**LORD ASPEN** (M. Neilson) – M. Neilson reported the gelding did not feel comfortable in its action and did not finish the race off as expected. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ENDURO (NZ)** (J. Toeroek) – had difficulty in obtaining clear running in the straight and approaching the 100 metres improved into a tight run between BRIMARVI PRINCE, which laid in and ICONIC (S. Clipperton) and contacted BRIMARVI PRINCE turning that gelding’s hindquarters. J. Toeroek was reprimanded and advised to only attempt runs to which he was entitled to and where there was sufficient room.

**RACE 9 : MAC DRINK DRIVING? GROW UP HANDICAP - 1200 metres**

**KINGDOM OF DREAMS** (J. Cartwright) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it proved intractable en route to the start and passed fit to race.

**BAY ROAD** (C. Jones) – stumbled at the start.

**PEPPER THE PIN** (Z. Spain) – Z. Spain reported the gelding hung out during the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities. Z. Spain 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 suspended from riding in races for a period to commence at midnight on Wednesday, 16 March, and to conclude at midnight on Sunday, 20 March 2016: a period of three (3) meetings.

**EYRTON (GB)** (L. Currie) - underwent a pre-race veterinary examination as it had not raced since October 2015 and passed fit to race. EYRTON (GB) was examined by the Club’s Veterinary Surgeon at the start as the gelding contacted a mounting yard rail en route to the start and passed fit to race. Over-raced in the early stages of the event.

**SEGREGATION** (D. Tourneur) – held up for clear running from near the 300 metres until near the 200 metres. D. Tourneur 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 $800.

**IMPULSE DIAVOLO** (J. Holder) – over-raced in the early stages and laid in, in the straight.

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**PRE-RACE SAMPLES (26):**

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

Race 1 ECLAIR ATTACK, POMP, VIDDORA, BEAUTIFUL FLYER

Race 3 COACHELLA (NZ), WILANDER PRINCESS

Race 4 GRANDE ROSSO, ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS

Race 5 LIDARI (FR), DYLANSON, EXCITES ZELADY, ROYAL RUMBLE, KARLOVASI

Race 7 REAL LOVE, GO DREAMING, LIKE A CAROUSEL, UP CUPS, SWACADELIC (GER) JIM’S JOURNEY, WALES, LAST WISH (NZ), GALLATIN, CELTIC PRINCE (NZ), DISTILLATION, TIDY PROPHET

Race 8 LORD ASPEN

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**POST-RACE BLOOD SAMPLE (1):**

Race 2 DAM READY

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**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (14):**

Race 1 – BEAUTIFUL FLYER (winner)

Race 2 – SHE’S POSITIVE (winner)

Race 3 – SCRATCHY LASS (winner)

Race 4 – ILOVEWHATSEBRINGS (winner)

Race 4 – GRANDE ROSSO (2nd)

Race 5 – ROYAL RUMBLE (winner)

Race 5 – LIDARI (FR) (2nd)

Race 6 – TARCO (winner)

Race 7 – PURPLE SMILE (winner)

Race 7 – TUNES (2nd)

Race 7 – REAL LOVE (3rd)

Race 8 – RUNWAY STAR (winner)

Race 8 – LORD ASPEN (unplaced)

Race 9 – BAY ROAD (winner)

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| **SUMMARY** |
| **FINES** | Race 2 – J. Noonan (SHE’S POSITIVE) – Fined $400 – AR137(c) – Celebratory gesture.Race 5 – C. Lindop (ROYAL RUMBLE) – Fined $200 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence.Race 7 – S. Clipperton (LAST WISH (NZ)) – Fined $200 – AR120(b) – Overweight.Race 7 – C. Jones – Fined $100 – AR120(b) – Overweight and having to be replaced on DISTILLATION.Race 9 – D. Tourneur (SEGREGATION) - Fined $800 - AR137A(5)(a)(ii)[+2] – Whip offence. |
| **SEVERE REPRIMANDS** | Race 4 – S. Baster (GRANDE ROSSO) – AR137(a) – Careless riding.Race 7 – D. Pires (UP CUPS) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. |
| **REPRIMANDS** | Race 7 – Mr R. Laming (WALES) – AR175(k) – Negligence that could have led to breach of rules.Race 8 – J. Toeroek (ENDURO (NZ)) – AR137(a) – Careless riding. |
| **SUSPENSIONS** | Race 7 – J. Kah (TUNES) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) – Midnight 20/3/16 to conclude at midnight 27/3/16 – 3 meetings.Race 9 – Z. Spain (PEPPER THE PIN) - AR137A(5)(a)(ii) – Midnight 16/3/16 to conclude at midnight 20/3/16 – 3 meetings. |
| **HORSE ACTIONS** | Race 3 – LUCY IN DISGUISE – Not to race – Vet Cert of Fitness required prior to future trial or race – Lame near foreleg. |
| **ADJOURNED INQUIRIES** | Nil |
| **MEDICAL CLEARANCES** | Nil |