



THOROUGHBRED RACING SA LIMITED

STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

MORPHETTVILLE – MONDAY, 9 JANUARY 2017

Stewards have concluded their inquiry into the circumstances a breath test sample provided by licensed jockey Ryan Hurdle recorded alcohol at a concentration in excess of the level permitted under AR81B prior to him riding at the Murray Bridge meeting on Sunday 1 January 2017.

Under the terms of AR81A(3), he was stood down from riding at the Murray Bridge meeting on Sunday, 1 January 2017. Under the terms of AR81A(4), he was permitted to ride from the conclusion of the Murray Bridge meeting as he provided a clear sample prior to leaving the race course.

After considering the evidence, Ryan Hurdle pleaded guilty to a charge under AR81A(1)(a) in that having presented to ride at the Murray Bridge meeting on Sunday 1 January 2017 he provided a breath test sample which recorded alcohol at a concentration in excess of .02% on a breath analyser, a substance banned under AR81B. His license to ride in races was suspended from midnight Monday, 9 January 2017 and to expire on midnight Monday, 6 February 2017; a period of four (4) weeks.

Ryan Hurdle was advised of his right of appeal.

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STIPENDIARY STEWARD
09 January 2017