

THOROUGHBRED RACING S.A. LIMITED  
STIPENDIARY STEWARDS' REPORT

Report on Race Meeting held at Oakbank Racecourse  
by the Oakbank Racing Club on Wednesday, 22 January 2020

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**Stewards:** M. Santoro (A/Chairman), N. Laskey (HT), S. Callanan (MT) (Senior Stewards), A. Milne (F) & D. Cookson (M) (Stewards), E. Tickner (Cadet Steward), H. Matthews & K. Rayson (Deputy Stewards), Dr P. Horridge (Veterinary Surgeon)

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**TRACK:** Soft 5 (Moist but not a badly affected track)

**RAIL:** True

**WEATHER:** Fine

**RIDER CHANGES:**

Race	Horse	Rider	Replaced By	Reason
7	CASIRAGHI	J. Toeroek		Late notification - Explanation accepted
7	BURST OF FAITH	M. Vassallo	J. Potter	Notified

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**RACE 1: THE PAINT PROFESSIONALS / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1050 metres**

**RADIO ROOM** (J. Potter) - contacted on jumping away.

**GOLDEN ZOU** (J. Chau) - laid out in the vicinity of the 600 metres and had to be steadied to avoid the heels of **QIANG**. Continued to lay out until the entrance to the straight.

**QIANG** (J. Holder) - shifted in on jumping away and bumped **RADIO ROOM**. Raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**MISS ARTIER** (C. Lions) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed general muscle soreness. First aid administered.

**RACE 2: PROPER CLEAN / SABOIS THREE-YEAR-OLD MAIDEN PLATE - 1100 metres**

**ALPHAEUS** (T. Pannell) - laid in at the entrance to the straight onto **MANRAHAN**. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**MANRAHAN** (T. Voorham) - contacted on jumping away. Inconvenienced at the entrance to the straight when taken in by **ALPHAEUS**.

**NEW ROMAN** (G. Lo) - laid in over the concluding 500 metres of the event. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**REGAL CROWN** (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event.

**EXALTED ZOE** (J. Holder) - inclined to shift about under pressure in the straight.

**NUKIN** (K. Bishop) - contacted on jumping away. Raced wide without cover throughout the event. Raced greenly in the straight.

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**RACE 3: ECYCLE / SABOIS FILLIES & MARES BENCHMARK 62 HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**SERIOUS SPENDER** (J. Chau) - lost its near fore plate during the running of the event.

**AMBIBELLA** (T. Voorham) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**SVETLANA'S ARROW** (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**PREDICTS** (J. Holder) - raced keenly in the early stages of the event.

**RACE 4: NEUTROG / SABOIS MAIDEN PLATE - 1900 metres**

**ECLAIR FLAME (GB)** (G. Lo) - inclined to lay out throughout the event. At the entrance to the straight hung out contacting FREE ATBARA on a number of occasions. Mr T. Stokes representing Trainer Mr P. Stokes was advised a warning had been placed on the gelding in relation to its racing manners. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ELCANO** (L. Neindorf) - inconvenienced on jumping away when tightened between STOPPETT and KRUPTONITE. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$100.

**STOPPETT** (C. Lions) - shifted out on jumping away onto ELCANO.

**FACTOROFHOTRACHAEL** (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**ZOFFALA** (B. Vorster) - rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was fined \$200.

**FREE ATBARA** (J. Toeroek) - at the entrance to the straight was contacted on a number of occasions by ÉCLAIR FLAME (GB), which shifted out. Approaching the 200 metres laid back contacting that gelding.

**KRUPTONITE** (S. Fawke) - shifted in on jumping away onto ELCANO. Lost its off fore plate during the event.

**RACE 5: THE CHEFS SUPERSTORE CLASS ONE HANDICAP - 1050 metres**

**BLESS IT BE** (J. Chau) - hung out from the vicinity of the 600 metres inconveniencing TOFFEE BELL. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**TOFFEE BELL** (K. Bishop) - lost its near fore plate en route to the barriers and required Farrier attention. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and passed fit to race. Hampered in the vicinity of the 600 metres when taken wider on the track by BLESS IT BE. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using her whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded. A post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 6: THOMAS FOODS RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1400 metres**

**TEXAS MILLER** (S. Logan) - severely hampered on jumping away when tightened onto STREKOZA by CURTAIN CALL. Laid out rounding the home turn.

**CALYPSO STORM** (B. Vorster) - laid in under pressure in the straight.

**CURTAIN CALL** (J. Toeroek) - shifted out on jumping away contacting TEXAS MILLER.

**RACE 6: THOMAS FOODS RATING 0-58 HANDICAP - 1400 metres (Cont'd)**

**STREKOZA** (S. Fawke) - raced keenly in the middle stages of the event. At the entrance to the straight laid in slightly and momentarily became awkwardly placed on the heels of **TEXAS MILLER**, as that gelding laid out slightly.

**LICORICE BULLET** (K. Bishop) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**RACE 7: O'LEARY WALKER BENCHMARK 54 HANDICAP - 1900 metres**

**BARBIE'S BOY** (S. Logan) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**BARRYMORE** (T. Voorham) - shifted in and away from **RESPECTABLE** at the entrance to the straight onto **LITTLEBITFUNNY**.

**PEARL BANDIT** (J. Chau) - held up from the vicinity of the 400 metres when awkwardly placed on the heels of **NEAR MAGIC**, was obliged to alter course to obtain clear ground and was only able to do so in the vicinity of the 200 metres.

**RESPECTABLE** (S. Cahill) - raced wide without cover throughout the event.

**NEAR MAGIC** (S. Fawke) - shifted out slightly at the entrance to the straight onto **LITTLEBITFUNNY**. Rider was reminded to make a greater effort in future to keep his mounts straight. Rider pleaded guilty to a charge under AR132(7)(a)(ii) for using his whip on more than five occasions prior to the 100 metres and was reprimanded.

**DUKE OF CHRISTOPHE** (K. Bishop) - slow to begin.

**NORTHSET** (T. Pannell) - a post-race veterinary examination revealed no visible abnormalities.

**CASIRAGHI** (J. Toeroek) - slow into stride.

**LITTLEBITFUNNY** (A. Jordsjo) - had to take hold at the entrance to the straight when tightened between **NEAR MAGIC**, which shifted out slightly at the same time as **BARRYMORE** shifted in and away from **RESPECTABLE**.

**SASSY RAIDER** (J. Maund) - slow to begin.

**ROUTINE SWAB SAMPLES (7):**

Race 1 - **MIAMI FREEDOM** (winner)  
Race 2 - **EXALTED ZOE** (winner)  
Race 3 - **PUTTING ON AIRS** (winner)  
Race 4 - **ZOFFALA** (winner)  
Race 5 - **STRATEGIC AGENDA** (winner)  
Race 6 - **IN THE FAST LANE** (winner)  
Race 7 - **SASUN** (winner)

<b>SUMMARY</b>	
<b>FINES</b>	Race 4 - L. Neindorf ( <b>ELCANO</b> ) - Fined \$100 - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 4 - B. Vorster ( <b>ZOFFALA</b> ) - Fined \$200 - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+4] - Whip offence.
<b>SEVERE REPRIMANDS</b>	Nil

<b>REPRIMANDS</b>	Race 5 - K. Bishop (TOFFEE BELL) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+2] - Whip offence. Race 5 - J. Chau (BLESS IT BE - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence. Race 7 - S. Fawke (NEAR MAGIC) - AR132(7)(a)(ii)[+1] - Whip offence.
<b>SUSPENSIONS</b>	Nil
<b>HORSE ACTIONS</b>	Race 4 - ECLAIR FLAME (GB) - Warned - Hung out.
<b>ADJOURNED INQUIRIES</b>	Nil
<b>MEDICAL CLEARANCE</b>	Nil