# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



#### **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Canterbury Racing at Riccarton Park Date: Friday, 5<sup>th</sup> December 2014

Weather: Overcast
Track: Good (3)
Rail: Out 11 metres

Stewards: J McLaughlin (Chairman), N McIntyre, R Quirk

Typist: C McMullan

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### **SUPPLEMENTARY:**

Winton Jockey Club - 28<sup>th</sup> November 2014

### Race 3 - Dunstan Feeds & The Oaks Stud Handicap R75 (1600m)

Apprentice A Morgan admitted a breach of Rule 636(1)(b) in that she failed to take all reasonable and permissible measures from the 1200 metres to the 600 metres when riding **SOUTHERN SAV**. After hearing all submissions the JCA suspended A Morgan's licence to ride in races for 5 days effective 6<sup>th</sup> December to 22<sup>nd</sup> December inclusive.

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing:	REJOICE, GEEROUSE, COUP DARCI BE, INCONTROL, EDENSONG, MY CHINO, NIGHT OWL, SOUTHERN POWER, RED DIRT GIRL		
Suspensions:	Winton JC 28.11.14	A Morgan (SOUTHERN SAV) [Rule 636(1)(b)] – Failing to take all reasonable and permissible measures from the 1200 metres to the 600 metres. Licence suspended for 5 days effective 6 December to 22 December inclusive	
Fines:	Nil		
Warnings:	Nil		
Bleeders:	Nil		
Horse Actions:	Nil		
Medical Certificates:	Nil		
Rider Changes:	Nil		
Late Scratchings:	Nil		

### RACE COMMENTS:

MEGATRON blundered at the start, badly unbalancing rider D Bradley.

MAC JAGY bounded at the start and was then further hampered between runners and got back.

BOYSWAY was slow to begin.

**GAME OF THRONES** raced wide in the early stages.

**MEGATRON** raced fiercely in the early stages, and shifted outwards near the 900 metres making firm contact with **GAME OF THRONES**. **MEGATRON** continued to race ungenerously for some distance.

MAC JAGY raced wide from the 700 metres.

**BOYSWAY** raced keenly near the 600 metres.

**ZIPPIN** was held up in the early stages of the run home.

Passing the 500 metres KASUNDI raced keenly when being steadied off heels.

Passing the 200 metres **KASUNDI** which was racing in restricted room made contact with the running rail and became unbalanced for a short distance, shifting outwards making contact with **BENS LASS** on two occasions.

When questioned regarding the performance of **BOYSWAY**, rider K Myers reported that the gelding had raced greenly throughout.

When questioned regarding the performance of **MEGATRON** which finished in last place, rider D Bradley advised that the

gelding blundered on jumping and failed to settle at any stage and in his opinion may have choked down. A post race veterinary inspection of **MEGATRON** did not reveal any obvious abnormalities.

When questioned regarding the improved performance of **REJOICE**, trainer M McCann reported that the gelding appreciated the Good (3) nature of today's track and had previously shown to advantage when racing in a fresh condition.

### Race 2 MONDO TRAVEL RICCARTON MAIDEN (1100m)

**MOONLIGHT DANCER** began awkwardly.

Passing the 800 metres JIP JOP SHOP over raced for a short distance when being restrained off heels.

Passing the 350 metres **JIP JOP SHOP** was placed in restricted room when **OWE THE RANSOM** (G Jogoo) shifted ground outwards. Apprentice rider G Jogoo was reminded of his obligations when changing ground.

Shortly thereafter JIP JOP SHOP was further hampered when buffeted by the improving GEEROUSE.

### Race 3 PERFECT PACKAGING OPEN HANDICAP (1200m)

The start of this race was officially delayed one minute on TAB request.

**DELIRIUM** began awkwardly.

MILO over raced in the early and middle stages.

**GO GO DINGO** raced wide rounding the home turn.

When questioned regarding his ride on **GO GO DINGO**, rider R Cuneen reported he had improved wide but when placed under full pressure the gelding failed to show its customary acceleration and had only battled.

### Race 4 TEAMWORK SOLUTIONS RATING 65 (1200m)

GIVE ME A REASON shifted ground inwards shortly after jumping, crowding CASTEL BENITO and MY RULES.

**GALLANT BABE** tended to get its head up when being restrained in the early stages.

PAT IN BRACKETS raced wide throughout.

Passing the 500 metres **TRUTH** raced ungenerously when attempting to shift ground. Shortly thereafter **VITE CELEBRE** made the bend awkwardly, laying outwards and forcing **TRUTH** and **GIVE ME A REASON** wider. **ROC CITY** which was attempting a marginal run to the outside of **GIVE ME A REASON** was buffeted and checked as a result. Shortly thereafter **ROCK CITY** became awkwardly placed on heels and was further steadied.

Passing the 350 metres GALLANT BABE got its head up when awkwardly placed on the heels of TRUTH.

Near the 200 metres TRUTH was steadied when PAT IN BRACKETS shifted in under pressure.

**PAT IN BRACKETS** lay in over the concluding stages.

### Race 5 DUNSTAN FEEDS CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIER RATING 75 (1800m)

**SEALED BY A DANCE** tended to get its head up when being restrained in the early stages.

**CAPO** was steadied off heels for some distance passing the 1100 metres.

**EDENSONG** improved wide from the 1000 metres.

Passing the 700 metres **KING'S FORTUNE** was eased wider on the track when being retired from the race, inconveniencing **SORLEY BOY** for a short distance. Rider K Williams reported that the gelding had been galloped on near the 1000 metres and had felt indifferent in its action from this point. A post race veterinary inspection of **KING'S FORTUNE** found the gelding to be mildly lame in the right hind leg after racing, consistent with being galloped on.

Approaching the 400 metres **SORLEY BOY** which had improved up onto heels shifted outwards to obtain clear running. **KING'S FORTUNE** lost the right front plate during the running.

## Race 6 GARRARDS HORSE & HOUND OPEN HANDICAP (1600m)

**CAPTAIN TODD** raced keenly in the early stages.

When questioned regarding the apparent disappointing performance of **RIC O'SHEA**, rider K Williams reported the gelding had failed to let down when placed under pressure.

### Race 7 DESIGN & BUILD MAIDEN (1600m)

MORCOAT underwent a pre race veterinary inspection at the barriers and was cleared fit to race.

**ZENTANGLE** was slow to begin.

**FASHIONALITY** began awkwardly and shortly after the start was hampered when **STEELFIX** (S Wynne) shifted inwards.**KINGS PRIDE** was also hampered as a result. Rider S Wynne was reminded of her obligations to ensure she is clear when shifting ground.

**STEELFIX** and **SETARIME** both raced keenly in the early stages.

KINGS PRIDE raced wide in the early stages.

Passing the 1000 metres LUXURY LIZ raced ungenerously when awkwardly placed on heels.

Near the 900 metres **OTAUTAHI BOY** commenced to race fiercely and continued to over race for some distance.

Passing the 800 metres EMERGENCY CALL and WISH LIST made contact, resulting in both runners becoming unbalanced.

Approaching the 800 metres **GALATOIRE** over raced when having to be restrained off heels.

Passing the 100 metres GALAXY GARDENS which was laying in shifted inwards, making contact with OTAUTAHI BOY.

### Race 8 JOHN WHITE BLOODSTOCK RATING 65 (1600m)

**BOGART** underwent a pre race veterinary inspection and was cleared fit to race.

**FLORENCE HILTON, BOGART** and **TOETWOTOE** were slow to begin.

Shortly after the start **PRETTY GOOD EXCUSE** shifted inwards and made firm contact with **EVIDENCE** which got back.

**EVIDENCE** raced ungenerously for some distance thereafter, getting its head up on a number of occasions.

MILK IT raced keenly in the early stages.

Passing the 1000 metres WESTERN WARRIOR got its head up when making the bend awkwardly.

**BOGART** raced keenly passing the 900 metres.

Near the 800 metres **TOETWOTOE** had to steady when awkwardly placed on heels.

**OTTO THE GREAT** was held up in the early stages of the run home.

Passing the 400 metres **BOGART** was denied a run between **COLONEL ANNE** which shifted in when giving ground and **OTTO** 

**THE GREAT** which shifted out. **BOGART** became awkwardly placed on heels, resulting in **COLONEL ANNE** becoming unbalanced for a short distance.

**ARE YOU MINE** shifted outwards in the home straight when under pressure.

#### Race 9 MONETA FINANCIAL GROUP RATING 75 (1400m)

Passing the 1000 metres **ISHIPAL** got its head up when being restrained off the heels of **RED DIRT GIRL** which was improving forward.

ISHIPAL was further hampered when PERCY POSSUM which was over racing shifted inwards.

**PERCY POSSUM** continued to over race for a short distance thereafter.

**VOLCANO** raced wide from the 1000 metres.

Passing the 400 metres COUP ROTORUA shifted outwards to obtain clear running.

**ISHIAPAL** raced in restricted room in the early stages of the home straight.