# STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT



## **MEETING DETAILS:**

Club: Taranaki Racing Inc Date: Thursday, 26 October 2017

Weather: Fine
Track: Dead (4)
Rail: True

Stewards: B Jones (Chairman), N Goodwin, D Balcombe

Vet: G Hall Typist: K Smart

#### **SUMMARY:**

Swabbing: BATTLE ROYAL, NUNCHUCKS, SATIN BELT, MALTESE RUBY, GOBUYIT, TROIS VALLEES, LA

BELLA ROSA, TELLYAWHAT

Suspensions: Nil Protests: Nil

Fines: Race 1 R Elliot (LA ACHIEVER) – [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] Used whip excessively

Fined \$300

Warnings: Nil

Horse Actions: Race 2 MONTPELIER - euthanized

Follow Up: Nil

Medical Certificates: Received from H Marzuki

Rider Changes: Nil
Late Scratchings: Nil

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#### **SUPPLEMENTARY:**

Racing Te Aroha - 18 October 2017

#### **Race 2 NOTTINGHAM CASTLE 2200**

**RAISON D'ETRE** (C Lammas) – Trainer C Gibbs advised Stewards that he was satisfied with its recovery in the days following its performance in this race, however further advised that the mare would undergo a veterinary examination including a dynamic endoscopic examination and would report any abnormality to Stewards should they arise.

Racing Tauranga - 20 October 2017

#### Race 4 ASTERON LIFE 1200

**HUGO THE BOSS** (C Lammas) – Trainer J Bary advised Stewards that the gelding had taken some time to recover from its performance in this race and would be assessing its racing programme going forward in consultation with his veterinarian over the coming days.

Racing Rotorua - 21 October 2017

#### **Race 1 BURTON CONSTRUCTION 3YO**

**BEYOND DISPUTE** (J Waddell) – Trainer S Cole advised Stewards that the colt would now be sent for a spell.

#### **Race 7 SWEYNESSE STAKES**

**SPLURGE** (O Bosson) – Trainer J Richards advised Stewards that he was satisfied with its recovery, adding that it is now their intention to school the gelding and add blinkers to its notifiable gear prior to racing next.

### Hawke's Bay Racing Inc. - 22 October 2017

## Race 1 HASTNGS-HEART OF HAWKE'S BAY MILE (1600)

**FRENCH SERGE** (O Bosson) – Trainer R Bergerson advised Stewards that the gelding would undergo further veterinary examination in the coming days with any abnormality being reported to Stewards.

# Race 7 WINDSOR PARK STUD 2100 (2100)

**KING OBERON** (S McKay) – Trainer R Conners advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding and it is his intention to continue on with its current preparation.

#### Race 8 LIVAMOL CLASSIC (2040)

**CHANCE TO DANCE** (L Innes) – Trainer J Richards advised Stewards that he was satisfied with the recovery of the gelding, further advising it is their intention to add blinkers to its notifiable gear prior to racing next.

# Race 9 BOSTOCK NEW ZEALAND SPRING CARNIVAL FINALE (1400)

**ODISHA** (L Innes) – Trainer N Tiley advised Stewards that in the days following this race ODISHA underwent blood tests which did not reveal any abnormality, it is his intention to freshen the mare prior to racing next.

**EUPHORIA** (C Lammas) – Trainer R Frost advised Stewards that she was satisfied with its recovery, it is now her intention to freshen the mare and add a tongue tie to its notifiable gear prior to racing next.

## Waikato Racing Club - 23 October 2017

# **Race 7 JAMES AND ANNIE SARTEN MEMORIAL STAKES**

**GRIFFIN** (O Bosson) – Trainer J Richards advised Stewards that he was satisfied with its recovery and it is their intention to freshen the gelding prior to racing next.

## **RACE COMMENTS:**

## Race 1 METHVEN TAPWARE SUPPORT LIFE EDUCATION TRUST MDN 2000

**PERCY'S GEM** (A Chan) – Began awkwardly.

LUCQUIDE (H Andrew) – Tightened at the start losing ground.

**LA ACHIEVER** (R Elliot) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

**CORNERSTONE** (H Marzuki) – Steadied when awkwardly placed on heels near the 1500 metres and shifted outwards abruptly, then raced wide. Steadied when placed in restricted room near the 700 metres to the inside of LUCQUIDE.

**VERDANT** (S Weatherley) – Held up rounding the final bend and early in the final straight having to shift ground outwards approaching the 150 metres to obtain clear running.

**BATTLE ROYAL** (J Fawcett) – Denied a marginal run to the inside of LA ACHIEVER approaching the 200 metres which shifted in slightly before shifting ground outwards to obtain clear running approaching the 100 metres.

**TO SIR WITH LOVE** (T Johnson) – When questioned into the disappointing run, T Johnson was of the opinion the gelding failed to stay the distance.

**R Elliot** – admitted a breach of [Rule 638(3)(b)(ii)] in that he used his whip excessively prior to the 100 metres when riding LA ACHIEVER, with the Judicial Committee imposing a fine of \$300.

# Race 2 RETURN 2 EARTH SUPPORT LIFE EDUCATION TRUST MDN 1600

**MONTPELIER** (T Johnson) – Had to be euthanized after fracturing the left front distal cannon and fetlock joint shortly after passing the winning post.

**NUNCHUCKS** (S MacNab) – Raced keenly in the early stages.

### Race 3 ASURE MOTOR SUPPORT LIFE EDUCATION MDN 1200

**VINCENT** (A Chan) - dislodged rider A Chan during its preliminary and escaped riderless for a short distance. A Chan was uninjured. Underwent a pre-race veterinary examination and was cleared to start. Made the bend awkwardly near the 800 metres.

**HERBIE HANKOCK** (T Johnson) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**CONFESSIONAL** (S MacNab) – Raced keenly in the early stages, before having to be firmly restrained near the 800 metres when awkwardly placed on heels.

**NEBRASKA** (C Waddell) – Had to be firmly restrained near the 800 metres after improving on to the heels of SATIN BELT with NEBRASKA dropping back on to POWNCE which was hampered.

**POWNCE** (R Elliot) – Hampered near the 800 metres.

## Race 4 COMCAT SUPPORTING LIFE EDUCATION TRUST MDN 1200M

**SUGAR RUSH** (S McKay) – Reared and lost ground at the start and then raced ungenerously for a short distance.

**CAPBLAMO** (J Nason) – Raced ungenerously in the early stages and shifted inwards near the 1000 metres when racing fiercely.

**HEINEKEN ROCKS** (C Waddell) – Raced keenly in the early stages having to be steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of CAPBLAMO near the 1000 metres. Continued to over race through the middle stages.

**KEEPARIO** (H Marzuki) – Steadied when placed in restricted room to the inside of HEINEKEN ROCKS which was forced inwards by CAPBLAMO which was racing fiercely near the 1000 metres. Steadied after becoming awkwardly placed on heels approaching the 600 metres.

**ANSWER BACK** (K Cowan) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

### Race 5 LANDMARK HOMES SUPPORT LIFE EDUCATION TRUST R65 1400M

**LIBRETTI** (S Weatherley) – Began awkwardly losing ground.

RHYMIC DANCER (A Morgan) – Was slow away.

**GLADSTONE BELLE** (M Singh) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

BATCHELOR BABE (H Andrew) - Lay in when placed under pressure in the final straight.

**CHIC** (S MacNab) – Ran wide entering the final straight. Apprentice S MacNab was shown films in the presence of the Riding Master and agreed that she had allowed her mount to come wider than was necessary. S MacNab was advised that she is expected to exercise better judgement in future.

### Race 6 REVITAL FERTILISERS SUPPORT LIFE EDUCATION MDN 1400M

**HOLLYPOP** (K Cowan) – Slow away. Briefly held up passing the 200 metres.

**SPONDULIX** (A Chan) – Slow away.

**INVERNESS** (J Fawcett) – Raced wide without cover throughout. Inconvenienced near the 150 metres when PLAY THE FIELD (H Marzuki) shifted out under pressure forcing DANCING AURIOLE wider. **H Marzuki** was advised to exercise greater care.

PLAY THE FIELD (H Marzuki) – Shifted out under pressure in the final straight.

**DANCING AURIOLE** (A Morgan) – Forced wider in the home straight.

**LOUANNE** (M McNelis) – Raced wide without cover throughout.

**HELVETICA** (D Hirini) – Held up rounding the bend and early in the final straight.

# Race 7 PENINSULAR MOOLOOLABA SUPPORTLIFE EDUCATION MDN R75

BISOU BISOU (D Hirini) - Slow to begin.

**BROTHER ONE** (S MacNab) – Slow to begin.

MARS BARS (A Chan) – Steadied after becoming awkwardly placed on the heels of CALL ME IRISH passing the 800 metres. Held up rounding the final bend until near the 350 metres.

MISS LIZZIE (A Morgan) – Over raced in the early and middle stages.

**MOSSOMAK** (R Elliot) – Steadied when placed in restricted room prior to the winning post.

# Race 8 SEATON PARK SUPPORTING LIFE EDUCATION TRUST 1100M

**COLORADO BAY** (K Cowan) – Began very awkwardly unbalancing the rider and as a result lost ground.

**ST REGIS** (A Morgan) – Reared and turned its head side ways as the start was effected being very slow to begin.

**FASCINO LASS** (M McNelis) – saddle slipped forward shortly after the start before clipping a heel of CELEBRATEDACHIEVER and blundering near the 700 metres when racing keenly.

**POPCORN** (M Singh) - Began awkwardly losing ground. Had to be firmly restrained when becoming awkwardly placed on heels approaching the 600 metres when racing fiercely.

**TERRACOTTA WARRIOR** (H Marzuki) – Raced keenly passing the 600 metres.

**TELLYAWHAT** (A Chan) – Raced keenly in the early stages and made the bend near the 800 metres awkwardly.

A request for a ruling was lodged with the Judicial Committee under Rule 632(1) as to whether COLORADO BAY and ST REGIS were denied a fair start. After viewing films and hearing from riders, the starter and the barrier attendant involved, the Judicial Committee declared that both horses had received a fair start.