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STEWARDS REPORT

CLUB	TASMANIAN TROTTING CLUB - HOBART
DATE	2nd FEBRUARY 2025
WEATHER	FINE
TRACK	GOOD
STEWARDS PANEL CHAIR	N Finnigan
PANEL	B Hine C Ellson (Data)
CHECK IN/INSPECTIONS	R Simpson I Bray
SWAB	A McDermott
STARTER	R Brown
VETERNARIAN	Dr M Buckerfield
MEDCAL PROVIDER	Medical Edge

RACE 1 – TASMANIAN HORSE TRANSPORT PACE – 2090m Mobile

OCTAGONISE – Obtained an inside run when SHARMEY shifted ground approaching the 500.

THEE OLD BOMB NZ – Obtained an inside run when SHARMEY shifted ground approaching the 500.

SHARMEY – A winner of its last two (2) starts, whilst leading, shifted ground approaching the 500. Presenting inside runs to both OCTAGONISE and THEE OLD BOMB NZ. A post-race Veterinary Examination failed to detect any issues with SHARMEY which may have helped explain the shift.

General: Stewards questioned driver C Petroff into why SHARMEY shifted ground, driver Petroff stated that SHARMEY did want to shift up the track when the speed increased, however acknowledged he could have made more effort or at least attempt, to keep SHARMEY in its inside line. Stewards, after considering the evidence and reviewing the official race footage charged driver Petroff for allowing SHARMEY to shift from its running line, presenting an inside run to other runners. Driver Petroff pled guilty to the

charge, and after hearing submissions on penalty, Stewards suspended his licence to driver for two Tasmanian Race dates. Driver Petroff will be eligible to resume race driving on Sunday 9th February 2025.

RACE 2 – RACING CONNECT PACE – 2090m Mobile

SOUTHERN LUCK – Will be excluded from the barrier draw in future mobile start events after breaking gait, free of interference, shortly after the start.

RACE 3 – MOREY’S SPORTS & MUSIC TOURS PACE – 2090m Mobile

STIR ME UP – Over-raced, particularly when caught wide on the track for the first 600 metres.

ANDAMAN BAY – Gave ground over the final stages, beaten in excess of 40 metres. A post- race Veterinary Examination could find no obvious issues. A warning was placed on the gelding for a disappointing performance.

RACE 4 – LADBROKES BET TICKER PACE – 2090m Mobile

JILLIBY SORRENTO – Raced in behind the leader where it over-raced and pulled hard. This contributed to the gelding giving ground over the concluding stages beaten in excess of 90 metres. A post-race Veterinary Examination could find no obvious issues. Stewards deemed the performance below the required standard and also being aware JILLIBY SORENTO was given a final warning at its last registered race start, and subsequently stood the gelding down from racing until satisfactorily completing one(1) qualifying trial.

ROLL WITH ANGEL – Broke gait in the score-up checking other runners obliging the starter to declare a false start. As a consequence, ROLL WITH ANGEL will be excluded from the barrier draw in future mobile start events.

DARE TO MOVE – Broke in the middle stages of the score-up, however was able to return to a pace prior to the false start being declared. A warning was issued. Raced in a marker peg line throughout, under pressure from the 900, giving ground, beaten in excess of 60 metres Stewards deemed the performance below the required standard and also being aware DARE TO MOVE was given a final warning at its last registered race start, DARE TO MOVE was stood down from racing until satisfactorily completing one(1) qualifying trial.

KOZACZYNSKI – Issued with a warning for giving ground over the final stages, beaten in excess of 50 metres.

***General:** Early on the first turn, RESURGENT HUNGER was tightened for racing room when DARE TO MOVE was simultaneously moved toward the inside line. As a result of this incident RESURGENT HUNGER’s sulky wheel struck markers. The incident was noted.*

RACE 5 – LADBROKES RACING CLUB PACE – 2090m Mobile

No Racing Incidents

RACE 6 – SMITHAWARDS PACE – 1609m Mobile

BETTER EXCLUSIVE NZ – Completed the event with a flat near-side sulky tyre.

SPOOKYGIRL – Caught racing wide throughout.

General: Driver J Watson was reprimanded for failing to have ARDEN ROANOKE NZ up and in position at the start [AHR Rule 162(1)(h)].

General: Driver J Watson was fined \$100 for the careless manner he allowed ARDEN ROANOKE NZ to race up onto the sulky of BETTER EXCLUSIVE NZ, flattening its near-side sulky tyre [AHR Rule 168(1)(a)].

RACE 7 – FEHLBERGS PRODUCE SPRINTLANE PACE – 2090m Mobile

ANGELSHAVETIME NZ – Raced outside the leader over-racing and pulling hard. Gave ground over the concluding stages, beaten in excess of 40 metres. A post-race Veterinary Examination could find no obvious issues other than a slow post-race recovery. A warning was issued.

SWIMINTHERIVER – Raced rough after the start for which a warning was issued.

RACE 8 – PRYDES EASIFEED PACE – 1609m Mobile

STRAWBERRY BLING – Utilised the sprint lane in the run to the finish.

EMER – Placed on its last chance to race truly after hanging in, entering the first turn, and broke gait shortly after.

BOLD COWBOY – Gave ground over the concluding stages, beaten in excess of 40 metres. A warning was issued.

RACE 9 – CAVALOR EQUICARE PACE – 2090m Mobile

REMEMBER ME NOW NZ – Unsuccessfully challenged for the early lead, on being eased in attempting to be positioned behind the leader, over-raced, pulling hard, eventually securing the position approaching the 1600. Gave ground over the concluding stages, beaten in excess of 40 metres. A warning was issued.

General: Driver R Ashwood was fined \$100 for whilst leading with MISS COLLANN he ran the first half of the last mile in 66.2 seconds, thereby failing to adhere to the required minimum standard.

RACE MEETING SUMMARY

	RACE	DETAILS	AHR Rule
SUSPENSIONS: 1	1	PETROFF, Clint; Shift ground advantaging another horse – 2 Tas Dates	162(1)(www)(c)
FINES: 2	6	WATSON, Jack; Careless Driving, Contacting Sulky - \$100	168(1))a)
	9	ASHWOOD, Rodney; Slow Sectional - \$100	162(1)(y)
REPRIMANDS: 1	6	WATSON, Jack; Fail to come into position at start	162(1)(h)
HORSE ACTIONS:4	2	SOUTHERN LUCK; Broke After Start – ODM	
	4	JILLIBY SORRENTO; Poor Performance – Stood Down One (1) Trial	
	4	ROLL WITH ANGEL; Broke Score-up & Caused False Start – ODM	
	4	DARE TO MOVE; Poor Performance – Stood Down One (1) Trial	
PRE-RACE SWABS: 6	1	SHADY AZZ	
	3	CUSTOM HARLEY	
	4	MARV DREAMING	
	7	DENNY NZ	
	8	MIDNIGHT DANCER	
	9	MISS COLLANN	
POST RACE SWABS: 9		ALL WINNERS	
POST RACE TCO2:		NIL	
FOLLOW UPS:		NIL	
ADJOURNED/PENDING INQUIRIES:		NIL	