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Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track	Woodbine		
Date	Friday, 22 Jun 2018	Post-time 1:00	
Weather	Race 1 - 7: Clear (Temp: 18 deg. C)		
Track Conditions	Type: Tapeta Turf: Firm Lane 3		
Number of Races	7 53 entered		
Scratches Vet:	1 Stewards: Track:		

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Gunnar Lindberg	Dave Stewart	Paul Nielsen

Report on day's Events: (Backstretch - accidents, fines, suspensions, objections, disqualifications, refunds, pertinent incidents, general details etc., Film Reviews, Races, Claims)

Backstretch:

09:00 - Trainer Andrew Smith attended re: entering a horse to compete while on the vets list. "Awesome Joey" which ran in the last race on June 17, was beaten 37 lengths. Policy states any horse beaten 35 lengths or further is automatically placed on the vets list. The problem that arose in this case is this happened in the twelfth race on Sunday and the lengths had not been verified at that time. The Official Veterinarian's office is closed Monday and Tuesday so it was not denoted on the list until Wednesday morning. Andrew said he assumed the horse was on the list but in questioning the race office, they were unaware of the circumstances and advised Andrew the horse does not show on the list. Andrew stated it was at that point he entered the horse.

10:00 - The owner of "Awesome Joey" attended to bring to our attention there is a communication issue and that it does not state anywhere the 35 length policy. AGCO rule 27.19 only speaks to a horse that is pulled up during a race and the conditions it must meet prior to re-entering. We advised the policy has been in place a number of years and it is the Trainer's responsibility to know and advise his owner of any rules or policies that may affect his horse. Going forward, the policy will be denoted on the Entry sheet in the coming days and a course of action has been agreed upon between the Stewards and Management as to how to communicate future incidents similar in nature so the race office is made aware of any changes in a timely manner.

10:30 - Trainer Zeljko Krcmar attended to ask that his horse "I look Incredible" from the sixth race

Saturday June 23. Said the horse ran off in the morning and has a high enzyme count. The race only has nine entered and advised he would need to be a Veterinarian scratch to get out. He relayed there was a race at the end of the month he could run in and if a Vet scratch he could not use that race. Advised that if the horse is not right it should be scratched by the vet, otherwise he is expected to run.

Film Reviews:

Review of race four from Wednesday evening with Chantal Sutherland for using her crop in an excessive manner through the stretch while aboard #1 "Juan Stormy Night". Chantal did not deny she struck her horse four in a row but is not pleased with the level of penalty for a third offence. It was explained to her that it was the industry groups including the riders that collectively integrated the list of crop offences and the associated penalties in 2009. This is a third offence for Ms. Sutherland which demands a three day suspension and a monetary penalty of \$500.00

Races:

Race 1 - Clear

Race 2 - Clear

Race 3 – We reviewed an incident in the vicinity of the ½ mile pole regarding #2 "The Vision's Real" with Juan Crawford. Juan looked to be going for a spot but his horse is lugging in making the move more difficult. Juan called after the official sign was posted saying he wanted to complain about the #3 "Farfromdebar" ridden by Corey Jordan as he felt if he kept a straight line he could have got in the hole. No action taken.

Video review: <u>https://youtu.be/hvLyrd6CPLo</u>

Race 4 – Stewards Inquiry and rider Claim of Foul by Sheena Ryan aboard #5 "Wardo" against #4 "Frankofalltrades" ridden by Daisuke Fukumoto and #6 "Canada Wise Don" ridden by Sunny Singh for interference leaving the gate. Sheena said she wasn't sure where most of the pressure came from except that she was squeezed by the two horses and clipped heels in the process. Sunny said he kept straight but felt the inside horses came out to him and turned his horse in. Daisuke said he felt he kept straight but received pressure from his inside and Sheena to his outside. After review we disqualified #6 "Canada Wise Don" from fourth and placed it seventh behind the #5 "Wardo".

Video review: https://youtu.be/IXp7gyWMBL0

Second Stewards Inquiry involving #1 "Big Black Storm" ridden by Steve Bahen and #2 "Bee Quiet" ridden by Kazushi Kimura for interference going into the far turn. Steve said he was in there and surprised that the #2 squeezed him the way he did, no pressure from the outside of him. Completely took his path. Kazushi said he got some pressure from the outside but felt he did nothing wrong. After review we disqualified #2 "Bee Quiet" from fourth and placed it last behind #1 "Big Black Storm"

Video review: https://youtu.be/ab-fmsXsg3w

Race 5 – Clear

Race 6 - Clear

Race 7 - Clear

Mutuels \$10.20 \$5.70 \$4.20 Handle \$2,533,084

Claims:

Race 2 - Five way shake for #2 "Alert Kitten" goes to owner Fortunato Galati, Trainer Michael Cohen

Race 4 - #1 "Big Black Storm" goes to owners Steven Chircop & Anthony Spiteri, Trainer Steve Chircop Two way shake for #9 "Drena's Bullet" goes to owner Patrick Dennahower, Trainer Ken Albu

Race 7 - #3 "Timeiseverything" goes to owner Greenoaks Farms, Trainer Angus Buntain