



THE MAURITIUS TURF CLUB
CHAMP DE MARS – PORT LOUIS

ADDENDUM

Race 6 of 17 August 2019 – THE HINTERLAND CUP

On inquiry, jockey Ramsamy (**Rule The Night**) pleaded guilty to a charge under the provisions of MTC Rule 160 A (e) for riding in an improper manner in that over the concluding stages, when racing in close proximity to **Wall Tag**, he extended his right arm and used his whip in such a manner as to intimidate that horse which was improving on his inside. He was suspended from riding in races for two Mauritian race meetings and fined Rs.20,000.

INTERIM REPORT – SATURDAY 24 AUGUST 2019

GENERAL

A. Following the fall of jockey G. Aucharuz in the 1st race, the Stewards approved the following replacement riders:

- P. Horil on **Winter Is Coming** (race 2) and **Lickerio** (race 3)
- B. Sooful on **Black Indy** (race 4)
- K. Ghunowa on **Majestic Moon** (race 8)

B. Following the injury sustained by apprentice B. Louis at the pull up after the 3rd race, the Stewards approved the following replacement riders:

- N. Juglall on **Tsitsikamma Dance** (race 6)
- Y. Emamdee on **Middlemarch** (race 7)
- P. Horil on **Kimberley** (race 8)

RACE 1 – THE ROBINSON CUP – 1400M

Hometown Hero - Leaving the 200 metres was switched to the inside of **Anza-Borrego** to continue going forward. Shifted out from the 150 metres. Vet Report: Lameness off fore.

Misty Roller - Jumped awkwardly, shifted outwards and was slow to begin.

Sir Capers – Slow into stride. Passing the 900 metres shifted out momentarily, **Plain Of Wisdom**, which was following and over-racing, improved its position and had to be steadied when awkwardly placed close to its heels when that gelding was taken back in close to the rail. Passing the 300 metres, for a short distance, was unable to improve from behind **Hometown Hero**.

Anza-Borrego - Slow to begin. Near the 100 metres clipped the heels of **Hometown Hero**, stumbled and fell, dislodging jockey Aucharuz. An inquiry into this incident will be held when jockey Aucharuz is available. Vet Report: Lameness off fore.

Plain Of Wisdom – Slow to begin. Passing the 900 metres steadied when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Sir Capers**. Vet Report: Lost near fore shoe.

Radlet – Raced wide in the early stages. Leaving the 450 metres commenced to hang out under pressure, resulting in **Dark Liability**, which was following, improving on its inside. Apprentice Teetan was shown the video replays of the race from the 450 metres, reprimanded and told that in future he should not ride with the whip on the turn when his mount is hanging. Vet Report: Lameness off fore.

He's Got Gears – Raced wide throughout.

Vintage Angel – Was taken out from the 400 metres to improve its position and raced wide rounding the home turn. Hung in in the home straight.

RACE 2 – THE RADIO ONE FOUNDATION CUP – 1450M

The start was delayed when **It Doesn't Matter** proved very difficult to load.

Captain Falcon – Leaving the 1300 metres commenced to race fiercely, got its head up and raced ungenerously for some distance. Leaving the 1100 metres, when still over-racing, threw its head sideways when being restrained. Passing the 1000 metres was awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Mr Green Street**.

Captain Moss – Slow to begin. Approaching the 1000 metres, when the pace slackened, commenced to over-race and had to be taken out when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Tyrandeus** and, in doing so, bumped **It Doesn't Matter** on its outside, carrying the latter outwards. Raced very wide entering the home straight.

Dealer's Charm – Passing the 450 metres was taken out to improve its position and raced wide from then onwards.

Face The Fire – Jumped awkwardly and shifted outwards, crowding **Tyrandeus**. Passing the 1200 metres was tightened for room and had to be eased. Leaving the 1100 metres, when the pace slackened, became awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Winter Is Coming** and had to be eased, throwing its head.

It Doesn't Matter – Slow to begin and shortly after was taken back to race behind runners. Bumped passing the 1000 metres and carried outwards. From the 400 metres taken out and raced wide entering the home straight. When questioned regarding the poor performance of this gelding, jockey Juglall explained that his mount was bumped passing the 1000 metres and thereafter took no interest in the running, furthermore remarked on the lack of pace in the race. Vet report: Coughing after race.

Winter Is Coming – Near the 1200 metres shifted in and crowded **Face The Fire**. Leaving the 1100 metres, when the pace slackened, commenced to over-race and had to be eased to avoid the heels of **The Jazz Singer**. Near the 600 metres shifted in and brushed the running rail.

Mr Green Street – Jumped awkwardly and was slow to begin. Raced wide in the early stages. Approaching the 1100 metres was taken out to avoid the heels of **Southern Sun**. Approaching the 150 metres hung in and had to be straightened.

Tyrandeus – Slow to begin and shortly after was crowded for room. Passing the 1200 metres shifted in and brushed the running rail. Approaching the 1000 metres, when the pace slackened, commenced to over-race and had to be restrained when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Face The Fire**. Approaching the 200 metres had to be switched outwards when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Face The Fire**. Hung in in the home straight.

The Jazz Singer – Near the 850 metres shifted in abruptly and brushed the running rail. Leaving the 150 metres commenced to shift out under pressure, slightly inconveniencing **Southern Sun**, which was racing on its outside, resulting in jockey Nunes shifting his whip to his left hand.

GENERAL

On inquiry, jockey Horil (**Winter Is Coming**) pleaded guilty to a contravention under the provisions of MTC Rule 160 A (d) in that near the 1200 metres he failed to take the necessary steps to ensure that his mount did not interfere with **Face The Fire** with the latter having to be eased when tightened on his inside. He was suspended from riding in races for one Mauritian race meeting.

RACE 3 – THE RADIO ONE 17TH ANNIVERSARY CUP – 1450M

Acting on veterinary advice that **Zodiac Jack's** near side knee was swollen, the Stewards ordered its withdrawal at 8.30 a.m. on Friday 23 August. In view of this, all bets on **Zodiac Jack** were ordered to be refunded and betting with bookmakers was re-opened. With the withdrawal of **Zodiac Jack**, emergency acceptor **Perfect Pursuit** became a runner and was ridden by jockey K. Ghunowa.

Borya – Hung in in the home straight.

Gunston – Bumped passing the 400 metres. Hung out over the concluding stages.

Supreme Orator – Stood flat-footed and was slow to begin.

Top Of The Rock – Passing the 1000 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **The Byzantine**. Had difficulty in securing a clear run in the home straight between **Borya** and **Gunston** when **Borya** shifted in marginally and **Gunston** shifted out over the concluding stages.

Ku Du Tu – Approaching the 400 metres, when being urged forward, shifted out and, when being taken back in, was bumped by **Gunston**, which had been taken out to improve its position. Commenced to give ground from approaching the 300 metres. Momentarily steadied passing the 300 metres.

Texas Sky – Raced fiercely in the early stages. Slightly inconvenienced near the 100 metres.

The Byzantine – Slow to begin. Approaching the 100 metres commenced to shift ground outwards when being ridden with the whip, slightly inconveniencing **Texas Sky**.

Why Wouldn't Yew - Jumped awkwardly and slow to begin.

The Grey Crusader – After being loaded forced its gate open and was stubborn loading. Assistant Trainer S. Gujadhur was advised that this gelding should pass a barrier test before being allowed to race again. Standing awkwardly in gate and was slow to begin. Hung in in the home straight.

Perfect Pursuit – Threw its head on jumping and was slow to begin.

GENERAL

On inquiry, jockey Bhaugerothee (**The Grey Crusader**) pleaded guilty to a charge under the provisions of MTC Rule 160 A (h) for using his whip in an improper manner in that near the 100 metres he struck his mount excessively on the shoulder on more than once occasion. He was fined Rs.5,000.

RACE 4 – THE RADIO ONE ONE TV CUP – 1500M

Trainer S. Narang asked permission for **Rinjani** to be withdrawn as he could not find a replacement rider for apprentice Louis, who was injured at the pull up after the 3rd race. Acting on MTC Rule 111 (2) (c), the Stewards ordered the withdrawal of **Rinjani**. All bets on this gelding were ordered to be refunded and no deduction was made on winning bets with bookmakers, the average price of **Rinjani** being 64-1.

Tower Of Wisdom – Raced wide throughout. Raced tight onto **Ocean Drive South** near the 1000 metres. Commenced to give ground from the 450 metres.

In Your Dreams – After being boxed became fractious and reared on several occasions. Stood flat-footed and was slow to begin.

Rock On Geordies – Leaving the 450 metres, for some distance, was held up when unable to improve from behind **Sky High Flyer**.

Ocean Drive South – Jumped awkwardly and shifted outwards, brushing **Apollo Star**. Approaching the 1000 metres, for some distance, raced tight on the inside of **Tower Of Wisdom**. Leaving the 450 metres raced tight with **Viking Trail**, making contact on several occasions. Jockey Ramsamy was shown the video replays of the incident, severely reprimanded and told that he is to allow enough room to horses on his inside.

Sacred Flame – Passing the 1300 metres was taken outwards to allow room for **Black Indy**, which was improving on its inside, at the same time **Rock On Geordies** was being taken inwards with both horses making contact with **Sacred Flame** which shifted back inwards. Leaving the 450 metres, for some distance, was held up when unable to improve from behind **In Your Dreams**. Approaching the 300 metres was taken out to improve its position and raced wide rounding the home turn. Shifted in abruptly over the concluding stages.

Viking Trail – Slow to begin. Leaving the 600 metres was taken out to improve around **Apollo Star**. Leaving the 450 metres raced tight with **Ocean Drive South** with both horses contacting on several occasions.

Sky High Flyer – Slow to begin. Leaving the 1000 metres had to be steadied when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Viking Trail**.

Black Indy – Slow to begin and shortly after was taken across to race behind runners.

GENERAL

On inquiry, jockey Juglall (**Tower Of Wisdom**) was severely reprimanded and told to allow enough room to horses on his inside. (1000m).

RACE 5 – THE RADIO ONE TURF TALK CUP – 1500M

Stonehenge – Jumped awkwardly and shifted ground outwards, carrying **One Direction** outwards onto **Afdeek** with the latter shifting outwards, inconveniencing **Mambo Rock**. Approaching the 700 metres commenced to give ground. **One Direction**, which was following, was inconvenienced when awkwardly placed close to its heels and taken in to avoid its heels. Was pulled out of the race near the 450 metres. Vet report: Bled both nostrils. As it is the second time that **Stonehenge** suffers a bleeding attack, trainer Ramdin was informed that the gelding has been suspended for 60 days. Mr. Ramdin informed the Stewards that he would retire the gelding.

One Direction – Slow to begin and shortly after was carried outwards. Near the 1200 metres momentarily tightened by **Ouzo**. Near the 700 metres was awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Stonehenge** and had to be taken in.

Mambo Rock – Slow to begin and shortly after was inconvenienced. Leaving the 400 metres was taken out to improve its position and raced very wide rounding the home turn. Hung in in the home straight. Over the concluding stages was switched to the inside of **Rap Attack** to continue going forward.

Ouzo – From its wide draw was taken across to race behind runners. Approaching the 1300 metres, when being restrained and taken in to take a position closer to the rail, got its head up and raced ungenerously. Near the 1200 metres shifted in, momentarily tightening **One Direction** on its inside. Passing the 450 metres, for some distance was held up when unable to improve from behind **Sentido**. Near the 200 metres was switched to the inside of **Lickerio** to secure clear running.

Rap Attack – Stood flat-footed and was slow to begin. Was switched to the outside of runners to improve its position approaching the 450 metres and raced wide from then onwards. Hung out over the concluding stages, resulting in **Mambo Rock**, which was improving on its outside and hanging in, being switched to its outside to continue going forward.

Afdeek – Jumped awkwardly and shortly after was carried outwards and inconvenienced **Mambo Rock**.

Ice Run - Approaching the 450 metres was switched to the outside of **Lickerio** to improve its position and in doing so carried **Dollar Tractor** wider on the track.

Dollar Tractor – Carried wide approaching the 450 metres and raced wide from then onwards.

Sentido - Raced fiercely in the middle stages and approaching the 900 metres was steadied when awkwardly placed close to the heels of **Ice Run**. Hung in in the home straight and near the 100 metres was switched to the inside of **Lickerio**, which had shifted out marginally to continue going forward.

RACE 6 – THE RADIO ONE CUP – 1600M

The Thinker – Carried wide from near the 400 metres.

Copper Force – Jumped awkwardly, brushing the left side of its gate.

Ready To Attack – Passing the 1000 metres, for some distance, threw its head when being restrained to avoid the heels of **Tsitsikamma Dance**. Approaching the 400 metres was switched to the outside of **Copper Force** to improve its position and near the 300 metres was switched to the outside of **Tsitsikamma Dance** and, in doing so, carried **Bad Attitude** wider on the track.

Split The Breeze – Slow to begin.

Bad Attitude – Jumped awkwardly and shortly after was crowded for room and carried outwards. Carried wide near the 300 metres. Approaching the 200 metres was switched to the inside of **Ready To Attack** and **Tsitsikamma Dance** to continue going forward.

Speed Limit – Jumped outwards, crowding **Bad Attitude** onto **Sea King** with **Bad Attitude** bumping **Sea King** and the latter shifting outwards, bumping **Sir Bernadini**, which was being carried inwards by **The Thinker**.

Sir Bernadini – Carried inwards shortly after the start and bumped by **Sea King**, which was shifting outwards. Slow into stride. Leaving the 450 metres was switched to the outside of **Split The Breeze** to improve its position and carried **The Thinker** wider on the track.

Sea King – Jumped awkwardly, brushing the right side of its gate and shortly after was bumped by **Bad Attitude** and shifted out onto **Sir Bernadini**. Slow into stride. Leaving the 1000 metres commenced to over-race and near the 900 metres was taken out to avoid the heels of **Sir Bernadini** and carried **Tanjiro** wider on the track. Near the 200 metres was switched to the outside of **Split The Breeze** to secure clear running. Vet report: Distressed after race.

Tanjiro – Carried wide near the 900 metres.

Tsitsikamma Dance – Jumped awkwardly and shortly after was bumped by **Split The Breeze**.

RACE 7 – THE RADIO ONE LA FRÉQUENCE LIBERTÉ CUP – 1600M

Duke's Domain – Vet report : Lameness off hind.

Mr Hardy – Switched to the outside of **Wordbuster** near the 450 metres to improve its position and raced wide from then onwards.

Bouclette Top – Jumped awkwardly, brushed the right side of its gate and was slow to begin

Real Vision – After being boxed became very fractions in its gate, was removed, examined by the Club's Veterinary Surgeon and passed fit to race. Approaching the 400 metres commenced to give ground, resulting in **Sandy Sport**, which was following, having to be taken out from behind it to improve its position.

Sandy Sport – Near the 1200 metres, whilst over-racing, threw its head when being restrained to avoid the heels of **Real Vision**. Approaching the 400 metres taken out to improve its position.

Barking Irons – Slow to begin.

Wordbuster – Near the 350 metres was taken out from behind **Duke's Domain** to improve its position, carrying **Mr Hardy** wider on the track.

Jama – Leaving the 250 metres was switched to the inside of **Real Vision** to secure clear running. Over the concluding stages was switched to the outside of **Euroklidon** to continue going forward.

Middlemarch – Stood flat-footed and was slow to begin.

RACE 8 – THE WILD AMBER PLATE – 1450M

Kimberley – Jumped awkwardly and shifted ground outwards, bumping **Mambo**. Hung in in the home straight.

Mambo – Leaving the 600 metres was switched to the outside of **Kimberley** to improve its position and raced wide from then onwards. Hung in in the home straight.

Red Indy – From its wide draw was taken across to race behind runners. Over-raced in the middle stages.

Rocketeer – Threw its head on jumping and was slow to begin. Raced wide from the 600 metres.

Apple Jack – Vet report: Lost near fore shoe.

Two Moon Junction – Slow to begin.

New Golden Age – Approaching the 200 metres was switched to the outside of **Kimberley** to secure clear running and near the 100 metres to the outside of **Apple Jack** to continue going forward.

Majestic Moon – Jumped awkwardly and was slow into stride.