

# **INTERIM REPORT**

## RACE MEETING 24 - MTC SPORTS AND LEISURE LTD

DATE:	Saturday, 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2022			
TRACK:	Good			
PENETROMETER:	2.8			
WEATHER:	Sunny			
FALSE RAIL:	False Rails were out to 3m50 from 1200m to home turn.			
STEWARDS PANEL:	MR. R. M. KHAN ( <i>Chairperson</i> ) MR. D. MOODLEY (Boardroom) MR. TS MAHENDHER MR. S. THAKAN MR. D. LABELLE (Trainee)			
	Starter on duty:	Mr. P. Aumaitre		
	Clerk of Scales on duty:	Mr. A. Bandhoa		
	Judges on duty:	Mr. J. Smith & Mr. K. Lingen		
	Inquiry Reporter on duty:	Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon		
RACEDAY	Betting Analyst:	Ms K. Hurboseea		
OFFICIALS:	Farriers on duty:	Mr. A. Rabaude, Mr. R. Pilot & Mr. R. Halbwachs		
	Specimen Collectors on duty:	Mr. K. Ramcalawon & Mr. V. Seebburnah		
	Course Medical Doctors on duty:	Dr. N. Fookeerah & Dr. H. K. Lalljee		
	Veterinary Surgeon:	Dr. M. C. Domaingue		



The HRO informed that metal pieces and screws were found strewn on the Race Track when it was being inspected in the morning of this Race Meeting and they were in the process of clearing the same. In view of the time-consuming process, the HRO requested for more time to clear the Race Track and therefore, the races were re-scheduled.

A report from the HRO is awaited.

241 - (12h30) - THE SENOR VERSACE PLATE - Benchmark 46 - 990M (6 Runners)					
	Rescheduled time:	13h30.00			
	Starting time:	13h31.20			
Stewards' Reports					

At the start, ZO LUCKY (R K Chumun) brushed the gates.

Near 300m ZO LUCKY (R K Chumun) gave ground rapidly and fell near the 150m along the outer rail.

Leaving the 150m, TRANSONIC (J De Souza) shifted out and brushed with GOETHE (R Joorawon).

#### Veterinary Surgeon's Report

ZO LUCKY – bled from the nostrils, had a cardiac arrest and died.

242 - (13h05	) - THE SOLAR SYMBOL PLATE - Benchmark 56 - 1365M (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	14h05.00
Starting time:	14h05.50

### Stewards' Reports

DUTCH ALLEY (M P De Oliveira) charged at the gate prematurely, came out of the front gates and was reloaded.

SWAGGER JAGGER (R Joorawon) raced keen between 900m and 700m.

After the race, Jockey S Rama (ROMAN DANCER) viewed the patrol video of the race and decided not to lodge an objection.

### Veterinary Surgeon's Report

DUTCH ALLEY – Forced the gates, small injury on the nose.



NOIR'S BOY – Lame off fore.

#### 243 - (13h40) - THE STUDDED CHALICE PLATE - Benchmark 36 - 1400M (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	14h40.00
Starting time:	14h40.54

#### **Stewards' Reports**

SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) was led to the start.

BORYA (R Joorawon) was slowly away.

At the start, SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) hesitated and was then converged upon as MAN OF PROPERTY (R K Chumun) jumped inwards and SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) took the running of SOCKEROO after having jumped outwards.

SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) and YANKEE FORCE (C Maujean) raced keen between the 900m and 700m.

SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) hung out in the straight.

SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) was held up for a clear run while racing on the heels of YANKEE FORCE (C Maujean) in the concluding stages of the race.

A review of the ride of Jockey R Joorawon (BORYA) will be undertaken.

#### Veterinary Surgeon's Report

MASSIMO – Bled both nostrils, 30 days suspension confirmed. SAND PATH – No abnormalities detected.

244 - (14h15) - THE CITY OF LONDON CUP - Benchmark 31 - 1650M (6 Runners)					
	Rescheduled time:	15h15.00			
	Starting time:	15h16.37			
Stewards' Reports					
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STAR OF ZEUS (R K Chumun) was slowly away by three lengths.



Near the 300m, STONE CIRCLE (M Sonaram) was eased off the heels of WHIPPING BOY (S Bussunt) who weakened after leading up to that point.

#### Veterinary Surgeon's Reports

No report.

# 245 - (14h50) - THE MAURITIUS TURF CLUB CUP - Terms (SET WEIGHTS WITH PEN.) - 1600M (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	15h50.00
Starting time:	15h53.04

#### Stewards' Reports

FOOLS GOLD (M Sonaram) was permitted to be led to the start.

FOOLS GOLD (M Sonaram) stumbled at the start, raced keen throughout the race and proved difficult to be settled.

Jockey A Andrews was interviewed with regard to the poor performance of his horse PADRE PIO. He advised that the horse was not travelling well from 1000m and did not respond in the straight. He opined that the horse ran on 17 Sep 22 and this race may have come too soon for the horse. Further, he advised that he had worked the horse at the Track Work and had given him good feel but the horse did not produce the same in the race. The horse was referred for veterinary examination and a sample was taken for analysis.

#### Veterinary Surgeon's Report

PADRE PIO – No abnormalities detected.



246 - (15h25) - THE COMMONWEALTH CUP - Benchmark 66 - 1400M (6 Runners)					
	Rescheduled time:	16h25.00			
	Starting time:	16h27.45			
Stewards' Reports			-		

Jockey J De Souza (BLACKBURN ROC) carried 1 kg over the carded weight and weighed out at 57kg.

Jockey MP De Oliveira (SEA DANCE) was found in contravention of Rule 147(6)(a)(i), in that, he had used his whip in consecutive strides prior to the 100m. Therefore, a penalty of a fine of R 2,500 has been imposed on him. He has been advised of his right to Appeal.

#### Veterinary Surgeon's reports

SEA DANCE – No abnormalities detected. RED MARS – No abnormalities detected.

#### **Other comments/Explanations:**

- 1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters which were reported to be negative.
- 2. In all races, all the riders were weighed in.
- 3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis as well as PADRE PIO (Race 5).
- 4. All riders were breathalysed and were cleared to ride.



# **Raceday Summary**

	Race	Name	Remarks	Rule
HORSES: Suspensions:	3	MASSIMO	30 days suspension.	
RIDERS:				
Suspensions:				
Fines:	6	MP De Oliveira (SEA DANCE) R.2,500.	Use of whip in consecutive strides	147(6)(a)(i)
Reprimands:				
Change of Tactics:	3	SOCKEROO		
Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:				
Reviews/ Inquiries:	3	R Joorawon (BORYA)		

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