



**FINAL REPORT**

**RACE MEETING 39 – MTC SPORTS AND LEISURE LTD**

<b>DATE:</b>	Sunday, 11 <sup>th</sup> December 2022
<b>TRACK:</b>	Good
<b>PENETROMETER:</b>	2.8
<b>WEATHER:</b>	Sunny
<b>FALSE RAIL:</b>	False Rails were out to 2m50 from 1200m to home turn.
<b>STEWARDS PANEL:</b>	MR. D. MOODLEY ( <i>Chairperson</i> ) MR. R. M. KHAN MR. T.S. MAHENDHER MR. S. THAKAN MR. D. LABELLE (Trainee)
<b>RACEDAY OFFICIALS:</b>	<b>Starter on duty:</b> Mr. P. Aumaitre
	<b>Clerk of Scales on duty:</b> Mr. A. Bandhoa
	<b>Judges on duty:</b> Mr. J. Smith and Mr. K. Lingen
	<b>Inquiry Reporter on duty:</b> Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon
	<b>Betting Analyst:</b> Ms K. Hurboseea
	<b>Farriers on duty:</b> Mr. A. Rabaude, Mr. R. Pilot and Mr. R. Halbwachs
	<b>Specimen Collectors on duty:</b> Mr. K. Ramcalawon and Mr. V. Seeburnah
	<b>Course Medical Doctors on duty:</b> Dr. N. Fookeerah and Dr. H. K. Lalljee
<b>Veterinary Surgeon:</b> Dr. M. C. Domaingue	



**Race 1 - (12h15) - THE TOP FM KOZE DO MO PEP CUP - Benchmark 31 - 1365M  
(5 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr15.53

**Starting Reports**

1. JACK TARR (L Goomany) lost one length and was squeezed at the start.

**Stewards Reports**

1. At the 700m, Jockey A L Da Silva (KING OF COLTS) adjusted his right-side stirrup iron. Thereafter, KING OF COLTS raced awkwardly in the straight and showed a tendency to lay in.
2. Jockey D Schwarz appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards and was questioned regarding the visually poor performance of MASTER OF DISGUISE (Betting O/C: 220/185, Distance: 3.55). In this regard, he explained that due to this gelding's previous history of bleeding, he did not put MASTER OF DISGUISE under pressure in the early part of the race and instead allowed him to get comfortable in the running. However, after jumping only fairly, he was only able to secure a position behind the speedy DUNZIE (I Taka) in the race. Thereafter, he explained that MASTER OF DISGUISE had showed a tendency to hang in in the running, which placed him at a disadvantage whilst riding the horse and which resulted in him hitting the rail at the 400m. He was also of the view that this horse was better when leading.

Trainer V Allet also appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards and was questioned regarding the performance of MASTER OF DISGUISE. In this regard, the only further explanation he could provide was that today's run could have been too close to its last, considering the horse's history of bleeding. However, as the horse was fit and well before the race, Trainer V Allet elected to race this gelding as it was his last chance for the season. In view of the performance of MASTER OF DISGUISE, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

**Scratching**

1. None.

### **Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. WHIPPING BOY - Lost near hind shoe.
2. MASTER OF DISGUISE - Coughing after the race.

### **Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	DUNZIE	C Daby	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	KING OF COLTS	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	2.40
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	MASTER OF DISGUISE	V Allet	D Schwarz	3.55
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	WHIPPING BOY	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	7.10
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	JACK TARR	R Maingard	L Goomany	9.25
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.21.71s		

### **Race 2 - (12h55) - THE J SERGE HENRY CUP - Benchmark 36 - 1600M (6 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr55.50

### **Starting Reports**

1. SOCKEROO (S Bussunt) lost one length.
2. SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) and MAGNUM P I (I Taka) brushed.

### **Stewards Reports**

1. Between the 900m and the 450m, SAND PATH (M P De Oliveira) raced awkwardly and was hanging out. Thereafter, this gelding raced wide around the turn and into the straight, and was hanging in from the 250m.
2. At the 300m, MAGNUM P I (I Taka) was briefly inconvenienced when unable to secure clear running. Thereafter, this gelding was hanging in from the 250m.

### **Racecard Changes**

1. Jockey J De Souza was replaced by Jockey B Bhaugerothee on GIGGIN.

### **Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	MAGNUM P I	V Ruhee	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	GLOBAL SPECTRUM	R Maingard	L Goomany	5.25
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	SOCKEROO	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	5.85
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	SAND PATH	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	7.45
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	GIGGIN	S Mahadia	J De Souza	9.65
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.37.03s		

**Race 3 - (13h35) - LES AMATEURS JOCKEY CLUB CHALLENGE CUP – LONGINES FEGENTRI - (0-25) - 1600M (5 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr35.33

**Starting Reports**

1. ITALIAN WAY (E Finckenhagen) was restless in the gates.
2. Shortly after the jump, THE RIGHT STUFF (J Langhard) and MISTY ROLLER (M Le Levreur) were squeezed out.

**Stewards Reports**

1. MISTY ROLLER (M Le Levreur) raced detached from the field in the early and middle stages. Thereafter, MISTY ROLLER raced wide from the 600m to the 300m and into the straight.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	THE RIGHT STUFF	C Daby	J Langhard	-



2 <sup>ND</sup>	MISTY ROLLER	C Daby	M Le Levreur	1.65
3 <sup>RD</sup>	CELESTIAL MAGMA	S Mahadia	A Collier	6.35
4 <sup>TH</sup>	ITALIAN WAY	V Allet	E Finckenhagen	8.20
5 <sup>TH</sup>	BONJOUR BABY	S Mahadia	A von der Recke	Detached
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.39.02		

#### Race 4 - (14h15) - THE VILLIERS CUP - Benchmark 56 - 1400M (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr15.31

#### Starting Reports

1. SWAGGER JAGGER (I Taka) lost two lengths.
2. KING OF TARA (D Schwarz) and SEA AIR (S Rama) lost one length, respectively.

#### Stewards Reports

1. At the 500m, SEA AIR (S Rama) had to ease briefly when awkwardly placed on heels.
2. At the 800m, SWAGGER JAGGER (I Taka) had to ease when racing onto heels. Thereafter, SWAGGER JAGGER raced wide from the 400m and into the straight.
3. THOMAS HENRY (B Bhaugeerothee) hung in, in the straight,

#### Racecard Changes

1. Jockey J De Souza was replaced by Jockey J Allyhosain on JUNIPER LANE.

#### Scratching

1. None.

#### Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. No report.

#### Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 <sup>ST</sup>	THOMAS HENRY	Gujadhur	B Bhaugeerothee	-
2 <sup>ND</sup>	JUNIPER LANE	S Mahadia	J Allyhosain	0.10
3 <sup>RD</sup>	GRAND VISION	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	0.40
4 <sup>TH</sup>	SEA AIR	V Ruhee	S Rama	2.20
5 <sup>TH</sup>	KING OF TARA	V Allet	D Schwarz	2.95
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.23.82s		



**Race 5 - (14h55) - THE TOP FM 20TH ANNIVERSARY CUP - [50+] - 990M (6 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr55.30

**Starting Reports**

1. No report.

**Stewards Reports**

1. Shortly after the start, ALRAMZ (A Roy) had to ease when awkwardly placed on the inside of CARTEL BOSS (B Sooful), which was carried in by EMBLEM OF HOPE (A L Da Silva), which rolled in from the jump. Thereafter, ALRAMZ raced detached from the field.
2. At the 600m, CARTEL BOSS (B Sooful) had to ease when awkwardly placed on the inside of EMBLEM OF HOPE (A L Da Silva) which shifted in. An inquiry has been opened into this incident. At an Inquiry held at the offices of the HRD on 14 December 2022, Jockey A L Da Silva was charged with a contravention of Rule 208(d). Jockey Da Silva pleaded not guilty to the charge however, was found guilty as charged. After considering the evidence in the matter, the Stewards imposed a penalty of a suspension from riding in races for 2 race meetings. Jockey Da Silva has the right of appeal against the finding and penalty imposed.
3. EMBLEM OF HOPE (A L Da Silva) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.
4. DUTCH ALLEY (L Goomany) hung in, in the straight.
5. VALYRIAN KING (B Bhaugeerothee) hung in between the 200m and the 100m.
6. Jockey S Rama signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 147(6)(a)(ii), in that he struck the horse GOETHE with the whip more than 8 times. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 2,500 was imposed.
7. In view of the performance of CARTEL BOSS (B Sooful), the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

**Scratching**

1. None.



**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. CARTEL BOSS - Severely lame near fore.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	DUTCH ALLEY	C Daby	L Goomany	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	EMBLEM OF HOPE	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	0.20
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	GOETHE	Gujadhur	S Rama	3.45
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	VALYRIAN KING	Gujadhur	B Bhaugeerothee	5.95
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	CARTEL BOSS	P Merven	B Sooful	9.20
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	54.24s		

**Race 6 - (15h35) - THE MTC 175TH ANNIVERSARY CUP SPONSORED BY HASSEN TAHER SEAFOODS - G3 - 1850M (8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	15hr36.01

**Starting Reports**

- HOLY WARRIOR (D Schwarz) was restless in the stalls.
- SPRING MAN (L Goomany) lost many lengths.

**Stewards Reports**

- Prior to the start of this race, Trainer Gujadhur advised the Stipendiary Stewards that HOLY WARRIOR (D Schwarz) will not be ridden to lead. This change of tactic was disseminated to the public.
- A race review was called into the start of this race pertaining to SPRING MAN (L Goomany), drawn in stall one. In this regard, it was established that SPRING MAN was not impeded by the handler and nor by a faulty starting gate. Therefore, any distance lost by this horse was as a result of its own behaviour. Accordingly, SPRING MAN was declared a runner.
- In view of the Starting Report, the starting stall certificate for SPRING MAN (L Goomany) has been withdrawn. This gelding has been suspended by the Stipendiary Stewards for seven days after which, it will be required to complete a jump out in a barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards. (Suspension dates: 12<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> December 2022)

4. STREAM AHEAD (S Rama) raced wide in the early stages.
5. TSITSIKAMMA DANCE (M Sonaram) raced wide in the middle stages.
6. BAG OF TRICKS (J Allyhosain) came under pressure at the 500m and had to be ridden to keep pace with the field. Additionally, this gelding was hanging in from the 600m, which Jockey J Allyhosain reported, negatively impacted his riding. In view of this report, Assistant Trainer S Gujadhur will be requested to report back on the condition of this gelding upon return to the stables.
7. CONSUL OF WAR (M P De Oliveira) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.

### **Racecard Changes**

1. Jockey R Joorawon was replaced by Jockey J Allyhosain on BAG OF TRICKS.
2. Jockey J De Souza was replaced by Jockey D Schwarz on HOLY WARRIOR.

### **Scratching**

1. None.

### **Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. HOLY WARRIOR - Distressed after the race.

### **Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	HUBBLE	P Merven	B Sooful	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	CONSUL OF WAR	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	0.80
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	HOLY WARRIOR	Gujadhur	D Schwarz	3.70
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	TSITSIKAMMA DANCE	R Maingard	M Sonaram	6.45
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	FAVOUR	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	8.15
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.53.52s		

### **Race 7 - (16h10) - THE HALABALOO CHALLENGE CUP - Benchmark 41 - 1500M (5 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	16hr15.20

### **Starting Reports**

1. TRYING TIMES (N Teeha) was restless in the stalls.
2. OPAGUE (I Taka) and CASTLE OF GLASS (J Allyhosain) brushed leaving the gates.



**Stewards Reports**

1. CASTLE OF GLASS (J Allyhosain) overraced in the early stages. Thereafter, this gelding was hanging in from the 200m.
2. OPAGUE (I Taka) which was hanging out from the 400m, raced wide around the turn and shifted out continually in the straight.
3. CHOSEN WAY (S Bussunt) raced wide into the straight.
4. MEMPHIS MAFIA (N S Batchameah) shifted out to continue its run at the 150m.
5. Apprentice I Taka (OPAGUE) signed an admission of guilt in respect of a contravention of Rule 208(k), in that he made an excessive celebratory gesture prior to the finish of the race. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 5,000 was imposed.

**Racecard Changes**

1. Jockey N Teeha was replaced by Jockey S Rama on TRYING TIMES.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. CHOSEN WAY - Lost near fore shoe.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	OPAGUE	Gujadhur	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	CASTLE OF GLASS	V Ruhee	J Allyhosain	3.60
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	MEMPHIS MAFIA	R Maingard	N S Batchameah	4.30
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	CHOSEN WAY	Gujadhur	S Bussunt	4.95
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	TRYING TIMES	V Ruhee	S Rama	Detached
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.31.27s		

**Race 8 - (16h55) - THE AU REVOIR PLATE - Benchmark 46 - 1600M (8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	17hr10.00
Off time:	17hr10.37

**Starting Reports**

1. ZUM ZUM (I Taka) lost two lengths.



2. JOHN HANCOCK (J Sophie) and PROSPECTOR (B Bhaugerothee) lost one length, respectively.

### **Stewards Reports**

1. ZUM ZUM (I Taka) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.
2. At the 200m, BESTDAY OF MYLIFE (M P De Oliveira) switched in to continue its run when awkwardly placed on the heels of PRINCE ALF (A L DA Silva) which shifted in away from the whip.
3. Shortly before the finish, PADDINGTONS LUCK (J Allyhosain) was awkwardly placed on heels. As a consequence of this incident, Jockey J Allyhosain could not ride his mount out to the end of this race.

### **Racecard Changes**

1. Jockey J De Souza was replaced by Jockey J Allyhosain on PADDINGTONS LUCK.

### **Scratching**

1. None.

### **Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. The Veterinary Surgeon had no report.

### **Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	ZUM ZUM	V Ruhee	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	CANARY ISLAND	V Allet	D Schwarz	1.10
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	PRINCE ALF	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	1.20
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	BESTDAY OF MYLIFE	C Daby	M P De Oliveira	3.65
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	ARLINGTONS REVENGE	P Merven	B Sooful	3.80
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.41.72s		

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

1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned 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 MASTER OF DISGUISE (Race 1), BAG OF TRICKS (Race 6) and TRYING TIMES (Race 7).



4. All riders were breathalyzed and cleared to race.
5. All riders were selected to provide a urine sample, except for the riders of race 3.



## RACEDAY SUMMARY

	Race	Name		Rule
<b>Horse Suspension:</b>	6	SPRING MAN	Refused to jump – 7 days suspension and has to pass a barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stipendiary Stewards.	
<b>Rider Suspensions:</b>				
<b>Fines:</b>	5	S Rama (GOETHE)	Rs 2,500	147(6)(a)(ii)
	7	I Taka (OPAGUE)	Rs 5,000	208(k)
<b>Reprimands:</b>				
<b>Change of Tactics:</b>	6	HOLY WARRIOR (J De Souza)	Will not be ridden to lead.	
<b>Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:</b>	6	R Joorawon	Medically indisposed	
	7	N Teeha	Medically indisposed	
<b>Inquiry:</b>	5	A L Da Silva (EMBLEM OF HOPE)	Into why CARTEL BOSS (B Sooful) had to ease at the 600m.	