



## INTERIM REPORT

### RACE MEETING 40 – PEOPLE’S TURF PLC LTD

<b>DATE:</b>	Saturday, 17 <sup>th</sup> December 2022
<b>TRACK:</b>	Good
<b>PENETROMETER:</b>	2.8
<b>WEATHER:</b>	Sunny
<b>FALSE RAIL:</b>	Nil
<b>STEWARDS PANEL:</b>	<p>MR. D. MOODLEY (<i>Chairperson</i>)</p> <p>MR. R. M. KHAN</p> <p>MR. T.S. MAHENDHER</p> <p>MR. S. THAKAN</p> <p>MR. D. LABELLE(<i>Trainee</i>)</p> <p>MR K. Lingen (<i>Judge</i>)</p>
<b>RACEDAY OFFICIALS:</b>	<b>Starters on duty:</b> Mr R. Rawa & Mr D. David
	<b>Clerk of Scales on duty:</b> Mr. A. Bandhoa
	<b>Judges on duty:</b> Mr. J. Smith
	<b>Inquiry Reporter on duty:</b> Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon
	<b>Betting Analyst:</b> Ms K. Hurboseea
	<b>Farrier on duty:</b> Mr N. Keble
	<b>Specimen Collector on duty:</b> Mr S. Damadarsing
	<b>Course Medical Doctors on duty:</b> Dr Balloo and Dr Ancharuz
<b>Veterinary Surgeon:</b> Dr. M. C. Domaingue	



**Race 1 - (12h15) - THE PTP SEASON ONE CUP - (0-20) - ABT. 990M (5 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr16.12

**Starting Reports**

1. NORTHERN REBEL (N Marday) lost two lengths.

**Stewards Reports**

1. CHIEF RAFEEF (D Bheekary) was hanging in, in the straight.
2. Shortly after the start, CHIEF RAFEEF (D Bheekary) was carried out by SPECIAL FORCE (A Sookhy), which jumped out sharply. As a consequence of this incident, Jockey A Sookhy (SPECIAL FORCE) lost his left and thereafter his right stirrup iron which resulted in him being unable to assist his mount in the running.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. ESCAPE PLAN (M Rashpassing) was scratched on 16 December 2022 at 10hr30. All bets on ESCAPE PLAN were ordered to be refunded and betting to be reopened.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. SPECIAL FORCE - Bled both nostrils, 45 days suspension confirmed.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	RAIN MUST FALL	N Rawat	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	CHIEF RAFEEF	S Hurchund	D Bheekary	4.95
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	NORTHERN REBEL	C Ramdin	N Marday	7.90
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	SPECIAL FORCE	S P Nagadoo	A Sookhy	Detached
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	RED ROCK CANYON	S Jones	N Oodith	Detached
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	55.73s		



**Race 2 - (12h50) - THE ONE IN A MILLION BIGG FRANKII CUP - (0-25) - ABT. 1400M  
(9 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr50.49

**Starting Reports**

1. CRACKON (J Bardottier) fly jumped.
2. GREEN VIGILANTE (A Sookhy) lost one length and was slow into stride.
3. CARLTON HEIGHTS (J Da Silva) lost one length.

**Stewards Reports**

1. CRACKON (J Bardottier) jumped the crossing at the 1300m. Thereafter, this gelding shifted out away from the whip in the concluding stages.
2. DAYLA VISTA (N S Batchameah) raced wide throughout and commenced to give ground to the field from the 400m.
3. CONSTITUTIONAL (R Joorawon) raced wide throughout. Thereafter, Jockey R Joorawon (CONSTITUTIONAL) reported that this gelding changed stride continually from the 400m and accordingly did not persevere with his riding from 300m. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
4. CAPKUTA (S Rama) raced wide around the turn and into the straight. Thereafter, this gelding was hanging in from the 250m.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. SUMMERDALE - Bled both nostrils, 30 days suspension confirmed.
2. CONSTITUTIONAL - Coughing after the race.
3. GREEN VIGILANTE - Fell at pull up, lame off hind.



**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	CAPKUTA	D Zaki	S Rama	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	CARLTON HEIGHTS	A Sewdyal	J Da Silva	0.75
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	CRACKON	N Rawat	J Bardottier	1.85
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	SHESH BESH	A Perdrau	M Sonaram	2.65
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	MASTEROFALLISURVEY	K Ramanah	I Taka	2.70
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.24.88s		

**Race 3 - (13h25) - THE PTP FASHION SHOW CUP - (0-25) - ABT. 1400M (8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr27.46

**General**

1. The start of this race was delayed due to SERGEANT YORK (N S Batchameah) having its saddle adjusted at the start.

**Starting Reports**

1. CHESTNUT COVE (N Oodith) lost two lengths.
2. PIN DROP (S Rama) and LEAD SINGER (M Rashpassing) lost one length, respectively.
3. BENI DES DIEUX (M Sonaram) was slow into stride.

**Stewards Reports**

1. At the 1250m, DUKE OF ABERCORN (J Bardottier) had to ease when awkwardly placed between SERGEANT YORK (N S Batchameah) which rolled out and GONNABEALRIGHT (A L Da Silva), which rolled in whilst Jockey A L Da Silva was attempting to regain his right side stirrup iron which he lost at the 1300m.
2. YOHO MIST (J Da Silva) was ridden aggressively from the jump and obtained the lead at the 1100m. Thereafter, SERGEANT YORK (N S Batchameah) overraced in the early and middle stages.
3. LEAD SINGER (M Rashpassing) overraced in the early and middle stages of the race.
4. At the 150m, DUKE OF ABERCORN (J Bardottier) switched in to continue its run when awkwardly placed on the heels of BENI DES DIEUX (M Sonaram) which shifted out away from the whip and subsequently raced erratically in the straight.

**Racecard Changes**

1. Apprentice N S Batchameah (SERGEANT YORK) was only able to claim 2kg of his 3kg allowance and weighed out at 56kg.

**Scratching**

1. JET PATH (B Sooful) was scratched on 17 December 2022 at 12hr40. All bets on JET PATH were ordered to be refunded and betting to be reopened.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. BENI DES DIEUX - Distressed after the race.
2. YOHO MIST - Cut into near hind foot.
3. JET PATH - Injured in the stable – scratched.

**Official Result**

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 <sup>ST</sup>	BENI DES DIEUX	R Gujadhur	M Sonaram	-
2 <sup>ND</sup>	DUKE OF ABERCORN	A Perdrau	J Bardottier	2.60
3 <sup>RD</sup>	PIN DROP	D Zaki	S Rama	3.30
4 <sup>TH</sup>	GONNABEALRIGHT	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	4.20
5 <sup>TH</sup>	SERGEANT YORK	K Ramanah	N S Batchameah	4.90
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.24.88s		

**Race 4 - (14h00) - THE RBL WATERPROOFING SPECIALIST CUP - (0-26) - ABT. 1850M (9 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	14hr03.54

**General**

1. The start of this race was delayed due to the false rails at the 1850m having to be readjusted.

**Starting Reports**

1. MIDNIGHT ORACLE (S Rama) had to ease when awkwardly placed on the outside of EXECUTIVE DECISION (R Joorawon) which jumped out. This resulted in both horses losing two lengths.

**Stewards Reports**

1. Prior to the start of this race, Trainer S Narang advised the Stipendiary Stewards that HEART OF DARKNESS (A Roy) will not be ridden to lead as he did not want to cut pace with ENIGMA CODE (I Taka) which he thought was faster. This change of tactic was disseminated to the public.
2. At the 1750m, EXECUTIVE DECISION (R Joorawon) had to ease when awkwardly placed on the inside of BYPASS (N Marday) which shifted in when awkwardly placed between THE HITMAN (A L Da Silva) which rolled out and SUBTROPICAL (K Ramsamy) which rolled in. Thereafter, EXECUTIVE DECISION (R Joorawon) raced fiercely in the early and middle stages of the race.
3. HEART OF DARKNESS (A Roy) overraced in the early and middle stages.
4. Jockey K Ramsamy (SUBTROPICAL) reported that his horse was not striding out and accordingly he did not persevere with his riding from the 500m. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
5. MIDNIGHT ORACLE (S Rama) raced wide from the 500m to the 300m.
6. Between 250m and 100m, STONE CIRCLE (N S Batchameah) and ENIGMA CODE (I Taka) came together and bumped on two occasions.
7. At the 200m, HEART OF DARKNESS (A Roy) was carried in by THE HITMAN (A L Da Silva) which was hanging in, in the straight.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. SUBTROPICAL - Abnormal breathing and coughing.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	STONE CIRCLE	R Maingard	N S Batchameah	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	ENIGMA CODE	D Zaki	I Taka	1.75
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	MIDNIGHT ORACLE	N Rawat	S Rama	6.15
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	THE HITMAN	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	6.30
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	HEART OF DARKNESS	S Narang	A Roy	7.30



	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.55.38s
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**Race 5 - (14h35) - THE RBL CONTRACTING CUP - Benchmark 31 - ABT. 1500M  
(8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	14hr40.00
Off time:	14hr40.53

**Starting Reports**

1. GORDONSTOUN (R Joorawon) was restless in the gates.
2. LOCK DOWN (L Goomany) was restless in the gates and lost a length.

**Stewards Reports**

1. Prior to the start of this race, Trainer A Sewdyal advised the Stipendiary Stewards that OVERDOSE (J Da Silva) will test for the lead. This change of tactic was disseminated to the public.
2. BELLAGIO KING (S Rama) raced wide throughout.
3. Between the 1300m and 1000m, GORDONSTOUN (R Joorawon) had to be eased off the heels of SYDS LIASON (I Taka) on a number of occasions when racing fiercely.
4. OXFORD BLUE (A Roy) raced wide from the 500m until turning for home.
5. SYDS LIASON (I Taka) shifted out shifted out away from the whip from the 200m.
6. Jockey J Bardottier (GONTRAVELIN) reported that his horse was not striding out and accordingly he did not persevere with his riding. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
7. Jockey L Goomany appeared before the Stipendiary Steward and advised that with regard to LOCK DOWN (L Goomany), this gelding had not mustered the speed that he had anticipated, which resulted in this gelding racing further back in the running that he had anticipated which prejudiced his chances of winning the race.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. None.



**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. GONTRAVELIN

- No abnormalities detected.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	SYDS LIASON	R Gujadhur	I Taka	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	STRAIGHT	S P Nagadoo	N S Batchameah	1.95
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	OVERDOSE	A Sewdyal	J Da Silva	2.80
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	LOCK DOWN	R Maingard	L Goomany	2.90
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	OXFORD BLUE	D Zaki	A Roy	4.55
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.30.80s		

**Race 6 - (15h10) - THE JMLS EQUESTRIAN CENTER CUP - Benchmark 36 –  
ABT. 1365M (8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	15hr15.00
Off time:	15hr15.11

**Starting Reports**

1. WELL CONNECTED (J Bardottier) lost four lengths.
2. BENEV (S Rama) jumped awkwardly and lost a length.
3. CHAPTER AND VERSE (M Sonaram) and CRIMSON GOD (J Da Silva) lost one length, respectively.

**Stewards Reports**

1. In view of the Starting Report, the starting stall certificate for WELL CONNECTED (J Bardottier) has been withdrawn. This gelding has been suspended by the Stewards for thirty days after which, it will be required to complete a jump out in a barrier trial to the satisfaction of the Stewards. (Suspension dates: 18 December 2022 -16 January 2023).
2. BENEV (S Rama) raced wide between the 1300m and the 1100m.
3. CRIMSON GOD (J Da Silva) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.
4. WELL CONNECTED (J Bardottier) raced wide from the 500m until entering the straight.
5. ITDAWNEDONME (A L Da Silva) hung in, in the straight.
6. Jockey J Bardottier (WELL CONNECTED) was issued with a reprimand with regards to his whip use in this race.



**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**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>	COPENHAGEN	V Allet	D Bheekary	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	ITDAWNEDONME	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	1.40
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	GOOD BUDDY	R Gujadhur	B Sooful	2.10
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	CHAPTER AND VERSE	D Zaki	M Sonaram	2.90
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	CRIMSON GOD	A Sewdyal	J Da Silva	4.50
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.21.22s		

**Race 7 - (15h45) - THE PTP A NEW ERA CUP - Benchmark 61 - ABT. 1600M  
(8 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	15hr50.00
Off time:	15hr50.20

**Starting Reports**

1. CARBON FIBRE (N Oodith) and BATTLE OF ALESIA (K Ramsamy) lost one length, respectively.
2. ARIZONA SILK (A Roy) lost two lengths.

**Stewards Reports**

1. CARBON FIBRE (N Oodith) raced intractably in the running, failed to respond to the urging of Jockey N Oodith, ducked out on the turn near the 1100m, was subsequently eased out of the race and was dismounted after the saddle on this colt slipped. The saddle slip was confirmed by the Veterinary Surgeon. In view of this horse's behaviour, CARBON FIBRE has been suspended from racing for seven days and until proving tractable to race.
2. CULTURE TRIP (D Bheekary) overraced in the early stages.



3. BATTLE OF ALESIA (K Ramsamy) hung in, in the straight.
4. Apprentice N S Batchameah (SPECIAL BLEND) rode his 30<sup>th</sup> winner and will only claim 2kg from the next race meeting.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**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>	SPECIAL BLEND	A Perdrau	N S Batchameah	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	BATTLE OF ALESIA	S P Nagadoo	K Ramsamy	2.60
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	TOWER OF WISDOM	S Mahadia	I Taka	2.95
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	COURTROOM MAGIC	A Perdrau	S Rama	3.20
<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	DYNAMITE JACK	R Gujadhur	M Sonaram	3.70
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.37.73s		

**Race 8 - (16h20) - THE TOMORROWISLAND MUSIC FESTIVAL CUP - Benchmark 41 - ABT. 1400M (10 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	16hr25.00
Off time:	16hr28.00

**Starting Reports**

1. BOLLINGER (M Sonaram), TICKET TO CAIRO (S Rama), GILBOA (K Ramsamy) and NOBLE TRIP (A L Da Silva) lost one length, respectively.

**Stewards Reports**

1. Prior to the start of this race, Trainer S Hurchund advised the Stipendiary Stewards that BONNIE PRINCE (D Bheekary) will be ridden with the intention to lead. This change of tactic was disseminated to the public.

2. Shortly after the start, Jockey D Bheekary became briefly unbalanced whilst riding BONNIE PRINCE. Thereafter, this gelding overraced in the early and middle stages.
3. CLOUD SEEDER (J Da Silva) overraced in the early stages.
4. NOBLE TRIP (A L Da Silva) raced wide in the early and middle stages of the race. Thereafter, at the 800m, Jockey A L Da Silva adjusted his right side stirrup iron.
5. DO OR DARE (I Taka) was restrained off heels at the 800m.
6. At the 900m, DOUBLE GAMES (D Schwarz) elected to race around the field and to the lead at the 700m.
7. GILBOA (K Ramsamy) became increasingly detached from the field from the 500m. Thereafter, Jockey K Ramsamy reported that GILBOA did not stride out freely in the running. In view of the performance of this gelding, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
8. BOLLINGER (M Sonaram) raced wide into the straight.
9. TICKET TO CAIRO (S Rama) shifted out away from the whip between the 200m and the 100m.
10. An inquiry will be open in order to establish why BONNIE PRINCE (D Bheekary) and BOLLINGER (M Sonaram) suffered varying degrees of interference between the 700m and the 600m.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

1. GILBOA - Lameness off fore.
2. JACALAC - Bled both nostrils, 30 days suspension confirmed.

**Official Result**

		<b>TRAINER</b>	<b>JOCKEY</b>	<b>DISTANCE</b>
<b>1<sup>ST</sup></b>	DOUBLE GAMES	V Allet	D Schwarz	-
<b>2<sup>ND</sup></b>	NOBLE TRIP	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	3.60
<b>3<sup>RD</sup></b>	JACALAC	A Perdrau	J Bardottier	3.70
<b>4<sup>TH</sup></b>	BOLLINGER	D Zaki	M Sonaram	4.00



<b>5<sup>TH</sup></b>	<b>PARTNER IN CRIME</b>	R Maingard	L Goomany	4.10
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.24.52s		

**Race 9 - (17h00) - THE PTP CHRISTMAS CUP - Benchmark 31 - ABT. 1500M (7 Runners)**

Rescheduled time:	17hr05.00
Off time:	17hr11.21

**General**

1. The start of this race was delayed to the presentations.

**Starting Reports**

1. UNBELIEVABLE LAD (J Da Silva) jumped awkwardly and brushed the left side gate.
2. GIMME ACES (A Sookhy) jumped awkwardly and lost three lengths.
3. TIGER'S ROCK (M Rashpassing) lost one length.

**Stewards Reports**

1. UNBELIEVABLE LAD (J Da Silva) was ridden aggressively in order to obtain a forward position.
2. SENOR DON (J Bardottier) overraced in the early and middle stages.
3. TIGER'S ROCK (M Rashpassing) raced detached from the field in the early stages. Thereafter, at the 300m, TIGER'S ROCK (M Rashpassing) had to ease when awkwardly placed on inside of GIMME ACES (A Sookhy) which shifted in. Jockey A Sookhy (GIMME ACES) appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards, was shown patrol films of the race and was advised to take more care when shifting ground in races in the future.
4. GIMME ACES (A Sookhy) overraced in the early and middle stages and raced wide between the 500m and the 300m. Thereafter, this horse was hanging in, in the straight.
5. In the concluding stages, ONE DAY OR DAY ONE (I Taka) had to switch out in order to obtain clear running. Thereafter, this gelding finished its race off strongly.
6. Between the 250m and the 200m, THE JAZZ SINGER (A L Da Silva) which was hanging in, in the straight, was disappointed for a clear run when the gap between UNBELIEVABLE LAD (J Da Silva) and FLOWERSCAPE (M Sonaram) closed. Thereafter, Jockey A L Da Silva rather than switching out around heels, shifted his mount

back in, in order to secure the clear running which had subsequently become available between runners. Jockey A L Da Silva appeared before the Stipendiary Stewards and was questioned with regard to his riding in the straight. In this regard, he confirmed in his explanation the aforementioned reading of the race. The Stewards have adjourned in order to review the footage of the race.

**Racecard Changes**

1. None.

**Scratching**

1. None.

**Veterinary Surgeon Report**

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| 1. UNBELIEVABLE LAD | - Lamé near fore.     |
| 2. SENOR DON        | - Cut into left hind. |

**Official Result**

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1 <sup>ST</sup>	ONE DAY OR DAY ONE	S P Nagadoo	I Taka	-
2 <sup>ND</sup>	THE JAZZ SINGER	S Hurchund	A L Da Silva	0.40
3 <sup>RD</sup>	SENOR DON	S Jones	J Bardottier	1.10
4 <sup>TH</sup>	FLOWERSCAPE	R Gujadhur	M Sonaram	1.80
5 <sup>TH</sup>	UNBELIEVABLE LAD	A Sewdyaal	J Da Silva	9.40
	<b>TIME OF RACE:</b>	1.30.89s		

**Other comments/Explanations:**

1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned negative.
2. In all races, the riders were weighed in.
3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis as well as SUBTROPICAL (Race 4) and all horses in race 5 and race 9.
4. All riders that rode today were breathalyzed and cleared to race.
5. All riders were selected to provide a urine sample.



## RACEDAY SUMMARY

	Race	Name		Rule
<b>Horse Suspensions:</b>	1	SPECIAL FORCE	45 days suspension (Bled both nostrils)	
	2	SUMMERDALE	30 days suspension (Bled both nostrils)	
	6	WELL CONNECTED	30 days suspension (Slow to start)	
	7	CARBON FIBRE	7 days suspension - Proved intractable in the running.	
	8	JACALAC (J Bardottier)	30 days suspension (Bled both nostrils)	
<b>Rider Suspensions:</b>				
<b>Fines:</b>				
<b>Reprimands:</b>	6	J Bardottier (WELL CONNECTED)	Whip use	
	9	A Sookhy (GIMME ACES)	To take more care when shifting ground in races.	
<b>Change of Tactics:</b>	4	HEART OF DARKNESS (A Roy)	Will not be ridden to lead.	
	5	OVERDOSE (J Da Silva)	Will test for the lead.	



	8	BONNIE PRINCE (D Bheekary)	Will be ridden with the intention to lead.	
<b>Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:</b>				
<b>Inquiries:</b>	8	A L Da Silva (NOBLE TRIP)	To establish why BONNIE PRINCE (D Bheekary) and BOLLINGER (M Sonaram) suffered varying degrees of interference between the 700m and the 600m.	
	9	A L Da Silva (THE JAZZ SINGER)	Into his riding in the straight.	