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Senior Stewards Report

Name of Track		Fort Erie	
Date		Sunday, 29 Jul 2018	Post-time 1:20pm
Weather		Race 1 - 8: Clear (Temp: 26 deg. C)	
Track Conditions		Type: Dirt Fast Turf: Firm	
Number of Races		8 49 entered	
Scratches	Vet:	4 Stewards: 2 Track:	

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Gunnar Lindberg	Neil McCoag	Allan Stiff

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

Backstretch:

A complaint was received from a patron about the ninth race on July 10, 2018. We did allow this person to attend the Steward's stand July 15, 2018 and review the race in question.

10:55 – Racing Forensics Chief Technician Inspector Megan McGirr attended to speak to an incident July 17, 2018, when the horse "Comedy Gold" was overlooked for Lasix and necessitated a scratch. Megan relayed that the printing system was not working and the process had to be done manually. We had a number of inexperienced personnel and in checking the Medication Administration Records the horse was missed, there were two separate checks by myself and another tech and we both missed the horse.

Film Reviews:

Races:

Prior to the first race we were advised there will be no Apex camera at our disposal as the operator was unable to attend today.

Race 1 - Clear

Race 2 - Clear

Race 3 – Reviewed an incident at the three eighths pole regarding #5 "Bottoms Up" ridden by Bradley Wilson and #6 "One Destiny" with Pierre Mailhot aboard. Bradley said he got me twice and the second time I was in a bad spot, had to check hard. Pierre said it was a pretty tight spot for him in there, I had pressure myself from the outside. There was no inquiry as Bradley finished ahead of Pierre. A Notice of Review was sent to the Jockey's Quarters.

Video review: https://youtu.be/UYTDiLsz3Uw

Race 4 - Clear

Race 5 - Clear

Race 6 - Clear

Race 7 - Clear

Race 8 – Jockey's Claim of Foul (COF) by #3 "Apple of His Eye" with Isabelle Wenc, #4 "Runaway Gypsy" Helen Vanek, #5 "Silly Simone" Mark Lee Buchanan onto #6 "Early Ringaling" ridden by Sunny Singh for interference in the vicinity of the three eighths pole. Sunny claimed foul against Isabelle Wenc for interference around the turn. Helen said Sunny squeezed her out going into the turn, Isabelle said Sunny pressured her all around the turn. Mark Lee said he felt Sunny caused Helen to take back in front of him causing him to go out. Sunny said he left room and it was Isabelle who's horse did not negotiate the turn and came out causing it to be too tight for Helen. After review of the head on video, it does not give us a clear picture of who created the pressure, without the use of the Apex camera we cannot discern if Sunny steps in or Isabelle steps out. The COFs were disallowed and there was no change.

Video Review: https://youtu.be/k0TW9agTsy4

Mutuels \$3.80 \$2.70 \$2.50 Handle \$331,577.32

Claims: