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Senior Stewards Report

Name of Trac	k	Woodbir	ne					
Date		Sunday	, 26 Aug 2018	3			Post-time	1:00
Weather		Race 1 - 11: Humid (Temp: 29 deg. C)						
Track Conditions		Туре:	Tapeta		Turf:	Yielding		
Number of Races		11						
Scratches	Vet:	1	Stewards:	3	Т	rack:		

Senior Steward	Associate Steward	Associate Steward
Fenton Platts	John Dorion	Allan Stiff

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

Backstretch:

Trainer Tom O'Keefe attended to ask that his horse #2 Marquette, 2nd race be excused today as she has had issues with the extreme heat previously and today it was supposed to be in that range. Submitted a heat scratch and was permitted out.

Trainer Mike Keogh requested his horses #3 Wedgewood, 9th race and #4 Silver Sheriff, 11th race be excused for same reason. Submitted scratch and permitted out.

Trainer Ralph Biamonte attended, provided trainer transfer forms indicating Robert Neuman as the trainer while he is under suspension starting September 1, 2018 through September 30, 2018. They were accepted and approved as per Trainer Transfer Policy Directive-2-2008.

Film Reviews:

9th race August 25, 2018. Alan Garcia, Patrick Husbands and R. King as rep. #1 Garcia comes out to #2 P. Husbands, when not clear forcing #2 to check. Found in violation of TB Rule 11.07 and issued a three day suspension. Days to be determined.

10th race August 25, 2018, #1 Ademar Santos, urging, raising hand above head level. This has been an issue for Mr. Santos since moving his tack to Ontario. We spoke to the fact that most

riders here have adjusted and it has taken some time. We have extended that courtesy to Mr. Santos but strongly advised that we want to see a more concerted effort with his compliance in urging. This is considered an educational review.

Races:

Race 1, #1 Groundhog Day off a step slow. Rest good

Race 2, #7 Above All Names, S. Chernetz, 4th makes it tight into the first turn for inside horses. Spoke with Ms. Chernetz and asked her leave room for the inside horses. Rest ok

Race 3, #3 Yasou Cousin Nick was off a step slow, appeared to take a bad step, eased, and did not finish. Rest Ok

Race 4, #1 Clear for Action was a little fractious into the first turn as A. Garcia tried to have him settle. Rest good

Race 5, clear

Race 6, clear

Race 7, clear

Race 8, Turf, Soaring Free Stakes, clear

Race 9, Turf, clear

Race 10, Turf, Seaway Stakes, A little tight for #10 Princess Gibraltar through the stretch as #6 Answer my Call was luging out, no inquiry required. Rest good

Race 11, Turf, clear

Mutuels: \$9.80 \$5.20 \$2.90 Handle: \$5,371,907.

Claims:

Race 1, #1 Groundhog Day for \$32,000. By True North Stable/Tr. L. Richards

Race 5, #12 Where's The Gold for \$10,000. By Ken Bell/Tr. Preston Ferris