



## Senior Stewards Report

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| <b>Name of Track</b>    | Fort Erie Racetrack     |                  |        |
| <b>Date</b>             | Tuesday August 23, 2022 | <b>Post-time</b> | 4:05   |
| <b>Weather</b>          | Partly Sunny 23C        | Wind: 23 km/h SW |        |
| <b>Track Conditions</b> | Main Track: Fast        | Turf: Good       |        |
| <b>Number of Races</b>  | 8                       |                  |        |
| <b>Scratches</b>        | Vet: 4                  | Stewards: 6      | Track: |

| Senior Steward   | Associate Steward | Associate Steward |
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| David Stewart Jr | Paul Nielsen      |                   |

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

### OFFICE

- Jason Portuondo is training today.

- A Review was held with Trainer Robert Warner regarding his Certificate of Positive Analysis with the horse Federal Law that raced on August 9. The Panel also spoke with Dr. Crawford, as per the request of Mr. Warner. Mr. Warner was offered a settlement agreement for a Class 4 penalty and has seven days to accept or reject. The Panel will follow up with Mr. Warner next week with his decision.

- Keveh Nicholls excused from two mounts.

### RACES

**Race 1** – All Clear

**Race 2** – #1 Grazarion was a Vet scratch in the paddock. Refund \$578. Race All Clear

**Race 3** – Reviewed racing around the final turn – #4 Be Vevy Vevy Quiet (Juan Crawford) is on the lead and trying to get out on Crawford down the backside. As the horses go around the turn, Crawford makes multiple attempts to keep the horse straight, but he ducks out on the turn, which

causes interference to #5 Hard n'Sweet (Chris Husbands). #4 finished last; no placings were needed.

**Race 4** – All Clear

**Race 5** – All Clear

- Reviewed the urging by Pierre Mailhot (#5 Sassywithattitude) in the stretch – video is inconclusive as to whether Mr. Mailhot struck his mount more than three times in succession.

**Race 6** – All Clear

**Race 7** – All Clear

**Race 8** – All Clear

Handle: \$883,721

### **CLAIMS**

R6 – #3 Half Lit (1) – \$4,000 – Ow. Fortunato Galati, Tr. Howard Keen

R7 – #2 Impulsively (1) – \$4,000 – Ow. David Meredith, Tr. Sharon Ceccato

R7 – #5 Pacenza (1) – \$4,000 – Ow/Tr. Sharon Ceccato