



## Senior Judges Report

<b>Name of Track</b>	Rideau Carleton	Ottawa			
<b>Date</b>	Thursday 19 May 2022	<b>Post Time</b>	1600 hours		
<b>Weather</b>	Races 1 - 10: Overcast (Temp: 12° C)	<b>Wind:</b>	4 km/h (NorthWest)		
<b>Track Condition</b>	Races 1 - 10: Good (Variant 1 sec)				
<b>Number of Races</b>	10	<b>Qualifying races</b>	Ø	<b>Total Entries</b>	75/79
<b>Mutual Handle</b>	\$206,933				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

<b>Senior Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>	<b>Associate Judge</b>
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Lawrence, Don (remote)

### Report on day's events:

(Accidents, claims, fines and/or suspensions, objections and/or disqualifications, refunds and any other pertinent incidents) ....

### Office:

- Virtual review held with driver Steeven Genois concerning his urging of MAJOR HILL in the eighth race on 10 April. The participant was adjudged guilty (second violation of the urging rules within a period of one year) of violating AGCO rules 22.23.01 (b) (excessive), 22.23.01 (c) (aggressive), 22.23.03 (a) (hand above their head), 22.23.03 (b) (more than acceptable wrist action) and Policy Directive No. 1-2020; additionally, the Panel considered these actions to be egregious as the participant made no effort to comply with the urging rules. A monetary penalty of \$300 and a driving suspension of 10 days (2-11 June, inclusive) is imposed (Number 1719873).
- Review concerning change of performance of ATEYATENFINGERSLOUIE from race 7 on 15 May. The explanation of the trainer/driver, Ryan Guy, was accepted (horse did not race for a week due to illness, was treated by a veterinarian and was feeling considerably better) and no regulatory action is required.
- Review held with driver Ryan Guy concerning his urging of ATEYATENFINGERSLOUIE from race 7 on 15 May. After reviewing the race video and discussing the urging in question, Mr. Guy was adjudged guilty of violating AGCO rules 22.23.03(b) (more than acceptable wrist action) and 22.23.04(c) (hands below head) and assessed a three day driving suspension (24-26 May, inclusive) and a monetary penalty of \$200 (first violation within a calendar year) (Number 1723752).
- SOMETHING ROYAL in the tenth race has been removed from the EIPH program and did not receive Lasix; change announced to the public.

- Early Judges scratch (injured) of ANTOINETTE from the sixth race and ANGELS KID from the ninth race by the AGCO veterinarian, Dr. Melissa Rocheleau.
- Early Judges scratch (transportation) of EU NATURELLE from the fourth race.

**Races:**

- Robert Shepherd and Guy Gagnon were exchanged on their horses in the sixth race due to a program error.
1. Start delayed due to mechanical difficulties with the starting gate wings necessitating the backup starting gate be used. Inquiry on #2 BET TILL DAWN (Ryan Guy), who finished fourth, concerning possibly leaving the course; #2 did contact non-consecutive pylons in the last turn, but did not leave the course; no violations. Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/H3XHuAHC1E>

2. Clear.
3. The #3 BATTLE WITH DESIRE (Samuel Fillion) suffered broken equipment (front hopple hanger) in the stretch, causing the horse to break (charted with an equipment break); finished with broken equipment. Clear.
4. Clear.
5. Driver of #6 DIEHL, Samuel Fillion, will attend a review regarding his urging in the stretch. Clear.
6. Clear.
7. Clear.
8. Clear.
9. The #1 RAISING RUSTY (Stephane Pouliot) was not in position on the gate when the starter released the field; Starter Jamie Fiolek will hold a review with Mr. Pouliot. Clear.
10. The #7 FIT BITT (Robbie Robinson) suffered broken equipment (line pole) in the last turn and finished with broken equipment. Clear.

**Claims:**

- 10 #5 COCO BEACH DE VIE (2 claims) for \$11,250 by Jamie Copley & Mark Smith (Mandy Archer trainer).
- 10 #7 JESSICAS LEGACY (1 claim) for \$12,500 by Jamie Copley & Wayne Hutt (Mandy Archer trainer).