



Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton		Ottawa	
Date	Thursday, 25 Oct 2018		Post Time	18:30
Weather	Race 1 - 11: Partly Cloudy (Temp: 2 deg. C)			
Track Condition	Race 1 - 11: Fast (Variant 1 secs)			
Number of Races	11	Qualifying races	Total Entries	86/101
Mutual Handle	\$92,668			
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Frenette, Ben

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- The hot water problem in the test barn has been rectified.

Races:

- Marc Belanger excused from one drive.
- Reviewed breaks by #2 YC EASY (Carl Duguay) who finished 4th relative to AGCO rule 22.27 (breaking rule), no violations. Clear.
 - Clear.
 - LESTENPERCENT #2 suffered broken equipment (trotting hopple) and then broke after the ¾ mile pole. Clear.
 - Clear.
 - Clear.
 - Inquiry on #8 ROCKY BOY (Jacques Beaudoin) who finished 3rd and #3 STELLAS BOY (Gary McDonald) who finished 7th relative to AGCO rule 18.08.02 (leaving the course); after the ¼ mile pole #8 hit one pylon and went inside the next pylon, no advantage and no violations; #3 did go inside four consecutive pylons before the ½ mile pole, finished 7th placed 8th (AGCO rule 18.08.02 (b)).

Video: <https://youtu.be/tVwQr92AL5M>

Driver Gary McDonald will attend the judges office for a review AGCO rule 18.08.02 (b). Driver Jacques Beaudoin cautioned regarding AGCO rule 22.05.01

(k) (failure to set or maintain a pace comparable to class) (28¹ 100 129² 200¹).
Clear.

7. Inquiry on #6 BEST TO HURST (Gary McDonald) who finished 4th relative to AGCO rule 18.08.02 (leaving the course) after the ½ mile pole; #6 did hit two pylons and go inside two consecutive pylons; as #6 was lapped by #3 at the wire, #6 finished 4th placed 5th (AGCO rule 18.08.02 (a)).

Video: <https://youtu.be/Z6dvQ38y0o8>

Driver Gary McDonald will attend the judges office for a review regarding AGCO rule 18.08.02 (a). Clear.

8. AARON STEEL #4 suffered broken equipment (overcheck), which driver Melanie Plourde stated occurred after the start in the first turn. Clear.
9. Clear.
10. Clear.
11. Breathalyzer retest. Objection by #5 ILL BEA STAR TOO (Matt Harvey) against #7 OK DIABLO (Guy Gagnon) in the stretch concerning possible interference; Mr. Harvey stated that #5 impeded his progress in the stretch which was not supported by the video, objection disallowed. Clear.

Video: https://youtu.be/7c9_xg1AZrY

Claims:

- 7 #5 CROCADILE CANYON (1 claim) for \$7,000 by Gary McDonald (G. McDonald trainer).
- 7 #7 WALTZKING HANOVER (2 claims) for \$7,000 by Les Ecuries GLD & Ferme TAG (Gerard Demers trainer).
- 10 #5 DAWN SHOOTER (1 claim) for \$12,500 by Les Ecuries GLD & Ferme TAG (Gerard Demers trainer).