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# **Senior Judges Report**

Name of Track	Rideau C	Rideau Carleton			Ottawa	
Date	Thursday	5 September 2019		Post Time	18:30	
Weather	Race 1 -	: Clear (Temp: 17 deg. C)				
Track Condition Race 1 - 10: Fast (Variant 0 secs)						
Number of Ra	<b>ces</b> 10	Qualifying races		<b>Total Entries</b> 80/105		
Mutual Handle \$89,429						
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investi Visit	gator	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:

- Review with Jacques Beaudoin concerning the seizure of unlabelled prescription medication from his stabling area on 29 August. Mr. Beaudoin admitted to possessing the medication seized and without a prescription. Decision reserved.
- Review with Jacques Beaudoin concerning his urging of DIAMOND CALL in the stretch at Rideau on 4 September. Mr. Beaudoin was informed as to what constitutes acceptable urging and the penalty structure for any violations; he has agreed to modify his driving technique in order to be compliant. No penalty.

## Races:

- 1. Inquiry on the performance of #4 ORLYS PRIDE (Richard Simard) who broke before and after the start and finished 4<sup>th</sup>, concerning possible broken equipment (driver reported both rear shoes were lost) before the start and the breaking rule; video review did not support one, or both, shoes being lost before the start (finished with broken equipment); no violation of the breaking rule.
  - Inquiry on #5 AIM HIGH HANOVER (Jacques Beaudoin) who broke before the start and had not reached the fair start pole when the starter released the field; refund: \$8377 (AGCO rule 22.03(I)). Clear.

Video: https://youtu.be/4InfVvalAsq

- 2. LDL GEM #5 suffered broken equipment (Murphy blind) before the ¼ mile pole and finished first with broken equipment. Clear.
- 3. Inquiry on the performance of #4 PRECISION BLUE CHIP (Jonathan Lachance) who

broke after the start and finished 4th concerning the breaking rule; no violations. Clear.

Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/VG7ZqVTp-0c">https://youtu.be/VG7ZqVTp-0c</a>

4. Reviewed the break after the start by #3 STPADDYSDAY (Guy Gagnon), who finished 4<sup>th</sup>, concerning the breaking rule; no violations. Clear.

Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/gpK\_1C0lrDs">https://youtu.be/gpK\_1C0lrDs</a>

- Clear.
- 6. Discussed the race fractions (28<sup>1</sup> 59<sup>1</sup> 127<sup>2</sup> 156<sup>1</sup>) with the driver of #4 JANS LEGACY, Stephane Pouliot, who finished 6<sup>th</sup> and cut the mile until before the ¾ mile pole; the explanation of Mr. Pouliot concerning the second quarter was accepted and no penalty was assigned.
  - #5 SHADOW OF LINDY finished 9<sup>th</sup> (last) and was examined by the AGCO veterinarian after the race and placed on the veterinarians list (lame, short term); #5 qualifies for performance (trainer notified). Clear.
- 7. Reviewed racing in the last turn between #3 COURAGE (Simon Delisle) and #5 GLOBAL SUPREMACY (Pascal Berube); #3 did drift down forcing #5 into the pylons; #5 was charted with interference and Mr. Delisle was cautioned regarding keeping tighter control of his horse; no placing necessary as #5 finished ahead of #3.

Reviewed the break by #1 ZARCONIA SEELSTER (Robbie Robinson) before the ¼ mile pole; while off stride #1 did cause interference to #6 SUNSHINE CATCHER, #7 HONEYMOON DECHAFRA #8 ARTISTER J and #9 SHYTOWN SHADOW; #1 finished 8<sup>th</sup> and was placed 9<sup>th</sup> (last) for causing interference while off stride (AGCO rule 22.09). Clear.

- 8. Clear.
- 9. Clear.
- 10. Breathalyzer retest. Clear.

# Claims:

- 3 #7 HOPETOBEFIRST (3 claims) for \$7,000 by Kandee St. Louis (Tyler St. Louis trainer).
- 5 #1 BAROSSA BLUE GENES (3 claims) for \$7,000 by Jason Mitchell (J. Mitchell trainer).