



Senior Judges Report

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| Name of Track | Rideau Carleton | Ottawa | | | |
| Date | Thursday 21 April 2022 | Post Time | 1600 hours | | |
| Weather | Races 1 - 10: Overcast (Temp: 10° C) | Wind: | 25 km/h (SouthWest) | | |
| Track Condition | Race 1 Rain (Variant 3 secs) Races 2 - 10: Rain (Variant 2 secs) | | | | |
| Number of Races | 10 | Qualifying races | Ø | Total Entries | 82/88 |
| Mutual Handle | \$201,190 | | | | |
| Contact Vet | Paddock Meeting | Track Maintenance Meeting | Investigator Visit | Outgoing Senior Judge Update | |

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| Senior Judge | Associate Judge | Associate Judge |
| Weber, Michael | Dorion, John | Platts, Fenton (remote) |

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- Early Veterinary scratches (sick) of YANKEE UP (this horse must qualify due to two consecutive veterinary scratches – AGCO rule 20.04.03) from the second race, SPORTS BLISS from the third race and LAA DEE GAA from the eighth race; these horses are entered on the short term (seven days) veterinarians list.
- Early Judges scratches of SKY SPIRIT (transportation) from the second race and STELLA ALPHA (other) from the eighth race.

Races:

- Phillip Reid excused from two drives.
- Pascal Berube and Paul LaFramboise each excused from one drive.

1. Inquiry concerning the break by the race winner, #9 SCARLETTS BIGBEACH (Guy Gagnon), before the ¾ mile pole; no violation of the breaking rules by #9.

Reviewed the break by #2 WATCH US PARTY (Stephane Brosseau) after the ¾ mile pole; while off stride #2 did cause interference to #8 RITCHIE ALPHA (Steeven Genois); no placing necessary as #2 finished behind #8.

Reviewed the last turn concerning a complaint by the driver of #6 WELLWORTHTHEWAIT, Brian Scott, that #3 JIMS BIG THRILL (Mike Healey) had

forced #2 wide and driven up the inside, which was not supported by the video; #3 took the space allowed when #6 went wide; no violations. Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/zy-PlfnF7hs>

2. Clear.
3. Clear.
4. Clear.
5. Clear.
6. Clear.
7. Inquiry concerning the break by #6 LEVIS DAY (Robert Shepherd) stretch and finish; #6 finished second and was not lapped; no violation of the breaking rules and no placing (AGCO rule 22.27); this horse was examined by the AGCO veterinarian, Dr. Melissa Rocheleau, post race and found to have a small cut/abrasion which was not severe enough to necessitate entering this horse on the veterinarians list. Clear.

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

8. Clear.
9. Reviewed racing in the stretch between #3 PERFECT DALIANCE (Mike Healey) and #5 PLATINE ALPHA (Steeven Genois); #3 does bear out and brush the wheel of #5 but did not impede the progress of this horse; no violations and no placing. Clear.
10. Reviewed the performance of #9 PASADENA STAR (Stephane Pouliot) who pulled up before the $\frac{3}{4}$ mile pole and did not finish; this horse must qualify for performance. Clear.

Claims:

- 5 #3 TAYDERTOTZZ (1 claim) for \$10,000 by Jamie Copley & Mark Smith (Mandy Archer trainer).