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Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton				Ottawa				
Date	Wednesda	Wednesday 19 November 2025				ime	1800 hours		
Weather	Races 1 -	Races 1 - 10: Clear (Temp: -3° C)					Wind: 8 km/h (West)		
Track Condition	Races 1 - 10: Good (Variant 1 sec)								
Number of Races	10	Qualifying races Ø		Total Entries		70/79			
Mutual Handle	\$141,011								
Contact Vet			Paddock Meeting			Track Maintenance Meeting			

Senior Judge	Associate Judge		Associate Judge	
Weber, Michael	Rourke, Katelyn	ın		
Official Veterinarian: Dr. M. Ro	cheleau	Training: Christine Peters		

Report on day's events:

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

Office:

- Racing Manager Diane Moretti attended this evening.
- Approximately 120 tonnes of new track surface material added.
- Early Judges scratch (injured) of THAT'S HOOLIGAN (Louis Philippe Turcotte trainer) from the sixth race.
- Early veterinary scratches (sick) of ANGELIC SEELSTER (Carl Duguay trainer) from the third race and BETTOR B HOME SOON (Mandy Archer trainer) from the fourth race; these horses are entered on the short term (seven days) Veterinarians list.

Races:

- Denis Audet excused from one drive.
- Clear.
- 2. Inquiry on #3 ABIDING ART (Guy Gagnon) concerning the start; #3 broke before the start and had not reached the fair start pole when the starter released the field; full parimutuel refund of \$8272 per AGCO rule 22.03(I). Clear.
- 3. Inquiry on #1 ANNABELLA BIANCO (Robert Shepherd), who finished third; #1 broke at the top of the stretch, did not violate any of the breaking rules and did not interfere with another horse; no change to the order of finish. Clear.

Video: https://youtu.be/tx7nTA87Dgk

- 4. Reviewed the performance of #1 MAJOR MOTION (Mike Healey), who finished third, concerning possibly leaving the course; after the start #1 did go inside one pylon and contact the three subsequent pylons; no violations. Clear.
- 5. Inquiry on the performance of #2 SOUTHWIND RUSSIAN (Stephane Pouliot) who broke after the start and finished second; while off stride #2 did cause interference to #4 ROSE RUN WHY NOT (Marie-Claude Auger), who finished fourth; #2 finished second placed fourth for causing interference (AGCO rule 22.09). Clear.

Video: https://youtu.be/Dy_8T05N-jl (back tower)
Video: https://youtu.be/56BFuEYoapg (upper pan)

- 6. Reviewed the performance of #4 SYNERGY S (Sylvain Lacaille); before the ¼ mile pole #4 suffered broken equipment (trotting hopple) causing this horse to break (charted with an equipment break); while off stride #4 did cause interference to #5 SAULSBROOK CAMI (Pascal Berube) and #7 ONLY FOR JUSTICE (Marie-Claude Auger); no placing necessary as #4 pulled up and did not finish. Clear.
- 7. Late Judges scratch (transportation) of #6 CLEVELAND MASSIMO (Norman Joanette trainer). Clear.
- 8. Clear.
- 9. Clear.
- 10. Inquiry on #4 MACH PLAY (Guy Gagnon), who finished third, concerning possible interference to #6 MAE LOSE CONTROL (William Roy), who finished fourth, in the stretch; after reviewing the race video and speaking with both drivers (Mr. Roy stated #4 had taken the space available and contacted his wheel but not impeded his progress; Mr. Gagnon stated that he had come out while #6 was moving in resulting in contact) it was determined that the contact had occurred due to the actions of both horses; no violations and no change to the order of finish. Clear.

Video: not available

Claims: None