BANGALORE SUMMER MEETING 2023 SECOND DAY, SUNDAY, 21ST MAY, 2023 RACING INCIDENTS (8-14)

GOING : Soft

PENETROMETER READING: 4.6 Cms.

RAILING POSITION: Railing fixed at average width of 4.0 Meters from 1600 Meters to winning post from its original position.

1st Race: 8. The Newmarket Plate - (About) 1200 metres. Horses rated 00 to 25, 5 years old and over (11 Runners).

Permission was granted to Trainer Mr. V. Lokanath to withdraw INFINITE SPIRIT on veterinary grounds as it was found to be trotting lame on right fore. He was informed to produce a Fitness Certificate from the Club's Veterinary Officer before accepting with it again.

As Jockey B. Nayak was medically unfit to ride. Permission was granted to trainer Mr. M. Rajendra Singh to declare Jockey Salman Khan to ride RUSSIAN ROMANCE in place of the declared rider.

ALTAMONTE (Vivek) was slowly away and lost few lengths at the start. In view of its behaviour, Trainer Mr.S. Inayathulla was informed not to accept with it again until its behaviour improved to the satisfaction of the Stipendiary Stewards in a jump out on a starting gate practice day.

RUSSIAN ROMANCE (Salman Khan) took a fly jump.

It was observed that JERSEY LEGEND (Vinod Shinde) raced fiercely between the 1000 Metres and 800 Metres.

RORITO (A.Imran Khan) ran detached from the field. The horse was subjected to veterinary examination but no abnormality was reported.

Jockey Rayan Ahmed R., the rider of DAWN RISING reported that the saddle shifted back passing the 350 Meters. After due examination of the equipment, Trainer Mr.Faraz Arshad was fined Rs.3,000/- for faulty saddling of his charge.

Routine Sample was taken for analysis from the winner b m DAWN RISING.

2nd Race: 9. The Manitou Plate - Div. II - (About) 1200 metres. Horses rated 20 to 45, 4 years old and over (9 Runners).

Permission was granted to Trainer Mr. S. Inayathulla to withdraw MASTER OF COURAGE (Chethan Kalay S.) on veterinary grounds as it was found to be lame on right fore. He was informed to produce a Fitness Certificate from the Club's Veterinary Officer before accepting with it again.

As Joockey B. Nayak was medically unfit to ride. Permission was granted to trainer Mr. Warren Singh to declare Jockey Salman Khan to ride BURST OF BLAZE in place of the declared rider.

THE PERFECT CHOICE (Khurshad Alam) was slowly away and lost few lengths at the start. In view of its behaviour, Trainer Mr. Sharat Kumar was informed not to accept with it again until its behaviour improved to the satisfaction of the Stipendiary Stewards in a jump out on a starting gate practice day.

Jockey Salman Khan, the rider of BURST OF BLAZE reported that he lost his right stirrup at the jump, which he regained within a few strides soon after the start

Jockey Khurshad Alam, the rider of THE PERFECT CHOICE was reprimanded for travelling wide between the 700 Metres till about 500 Metres for no apparent reason.

Routine Sample was taken for analysis from the winner b g PAVAROTTI.

3rd Race: 10. The Track Lightning Plate - (About) 1400 metres. Maiden Horses 3 years old only (Horses who have run at least thrice but not placed second, third or fourth even once ineligible) (11 Runners).

It rained very heavily before the start of the third race and as the underfoot conditions of the track was not conducive for racing, the Stewards of the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd., decided to cancel the reminder of the races. However, The War Hammer Million was postponed.

4th Race: 11. The Mayor's Cup - (About) 1400 metres. Horses rated 60 to 85 (7 Runners).

5th Race: 12. The War Hammer Million - (About) 1400 metres. 3year-old horses(foaled in 2020). (14 Runners).

6th Race: 13. The Sweet Memories Plate - (About) 1200 metres. Horses rated 20 to 45, 5 years old and over (12 Runners).

7th Race: 14. The Manitou Plate - Div. I - (About) 1200 metres. Horses rated 20 to 45, 4 years old and over (9 Runners).

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BREATHALYSER TEST

No. of Riders Tested : 10

Results : Negative

Starting Remarks : Issued by the Starters separately

No. of Races : 2 No. of Runners Average Runners per race : 10

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<u>Inventory of Trainer Mr. S. Padmanabhan Stables conducted on 02/12/2022.</u>

"A"

The Stewards at their meetings held on 28/4/2023 and 11/5/2023, considered the charge sheet No.811, dated 27th February 2023 and the annexure thereto issued to Mr. Rishi Assistant to Trainer (Trainer Mr.S. Padmanabhan).

"BTC CHARGE SHEET No: 811 Allegation of breach of the BTC Rules of Racing

Venue : Bangalore **Race No.** Nil **Date:** 02-12-2022

Defendant: Mr. Rishi

Designation: Assistant to Trainer

The BTC Stipendiary Steward alleged that the above named Defendant committed a breach of:

BTC Rule/s: as detailed below:

For contravention of B.T.C. Rules of Racing and Racing Calendar (Medication Rules)

Sd/Date: 27-2-2023 Sr. Stipendiary Steward"

"Annexure to and forming part of the Charge Sheet as detailed:

Out of the enquiry it is very clear that, he is fully aware of the stable management and also various medicines and equipments kept in the stables.

As regards to the syringe and needles he claimed that it had been kept in the stables (according to the Jamedar by Dr.Kalamegam). When confronted him in presence of Dr.Kalamegam, Dr.Kalamegam totally refuted the allegations.

Therefore he was guilty of tendering false and misleading evidence apart from dereliction of duty as an Assistant to Trainer of Trainer Mr.S.Padmanabhan in terms of Rule 202 (vi) & (vii) of B.T.C Rules of Racing.

Rule No. 202. The Stewards and/or the Stewards of the Club shall fine and/or punish and/or warn off and/or exclude and/or eject and/or disqualify and/or suspend or withdraw Licences, for any reason or reasons, from any race course or place where these Rules are in force, any of the following persons viz.:

(vi) Any owner, nominator, trainer, jockey, lessee, apprentice, stable hand, bookmaker or bookmakers assistant or any person who either wilfully refuses to attend and give evidence at an enquiry when requested by the Stewards/Stewards of the Club/Stipendiary Stewards to do so, or knowingly gives evidence which is false or misleading in any particular.

(vii) any person who gives at any enquiry or appeal any evidence which in their opinion is false or misleading in any manner.

Thus, he has violated the provisions of the Rules of Racing.

Sd/-

Sr. Stipendiary Steward

The Stewards of the Bangalore Turf Club Ltd., considered the following:-

- 1. The Charge Sheet No: 811 dated 27th February, 2023 issued to Assistant to Trainer Mr. Rishi with relevant Annexures attached thereto, together with the submissions made by the concerned before the enquiry officer during their enquiry.
- 2. The Stewards noted and approved the request made by Mr. Rishi, Assistant to Trainer wherein he had requested for Spokesperson i.e., Trainer Mr. James Mckeown to represent him with respect to Chargesheet No. 811 issued to him.
- 3. The submissions made by Spokesperson Trainer Mr. James Mckeown on 11/5/2023 and by Mr. Rishi himself on 28/4/23 during the enquiry held by the Stewards.
- 4. They also examined Dr. Kalamegam, Dr. Hasneyn Mirza virtually and Dr. Syed Naveed Ahmed along with Mr. Rishi, Asst. to Trainer to Mr.S. Padmanabhan in person on 28/4/2023.
- 5. The opinion of the enquiry officers on this issue.
- 6. The Spokesperson himself was satisfied as to the misdemeanour by the assistant to trainer.
- 7. The spokesperson himself had determined the assistant to trainer as a person without basic knowledge.

After considering all of the above, giving full opportunity to Mr. James Mckeown (Spokesperson for Mr. Rishi, Assistant to trainer to Trainer Mr. S. Padmanabhan) and Mr. Rishi himself to make detailed submissions and after fully applying their mind to the whole issue, the Stewards unanimously concluded that Assistant to Trainer Mr. Rishi [had changed his statements throughout as such he was "Guilty" as charged in the matter of violating Rule No. 202 (vi) & (vii) of the B.T.C. Rules of Racing thereafter they decided as under:

- To suspend the assistant to trainer licence granted to Mr. Rishi w.e.f 25th May, 2023 to 24th August, 2023 (both days inclusive) for violating Rule No. 202 (vi) & (vii) of the B.T.C. Rules of Racing.
- He was informed of his right to appeal before the BTC Board of Appeal within the frame work of BTC Rules of Racing.

BANGALORE WINTER MEETING 2022-23 FIFTEENTH DAY, FRIDAY, 17TH FEBRUARY, 2023

(A)

Race: 116. The Sunday Silence Plate - Div. II - (About) 1400 metres. Horses rated 20 to 45, 5 years old and over (Whips not allowed).

The Stipendiary Stewards reported Trainer Mr. Naryana Gowda. V to the Stewards for contravention of B.T.C Calendar Notification under the heading "PUNISHMENT TO TRAINERS BY STIPENDIARY STEWARDS / STEWARDS (Under Clause -8)" read with of Rule No.202 (xvi) of the BTC Rules of Racing in respect of his charge TWILIGHT FAME.

In that his charge TWILIGHT FAME ran in a inconsistent manner and exhibiting reversal of form wherein, it won in the above race as compared to its previous run in Race No. 109 i.e., The Kabini Plate – Div. III – (About) 1200 metres. Horses rated 20 to 45 run on 10/2/2023 wherein it ran unplaced, when ridden by Jockey Angad.

The Stewards held an enquiry on 17th May, 2023 and examined Trainer Mr. Naryana Gowda. V.

The Stewards considered the following:

- 1. The Charge sheet issued to Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda. V by the Stipendiary Steward;
- 2. The Submissions made by Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda. V during the enquiry;
- 3. The Stewards viewed the Race No. 109 and the above race;
- 4. There has been total inconsistency into the running of his charge TWILIGHT FAME between 10/2/23 and 17/2/2023;
- 5. The Stewards noted that Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda.V could not offer any valid explanations to the reversal of form.
- 6. The explanations tendered by Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda.V for running of his charge in such short time when it had performed poorly was not acceptable at all.
- 7. The Stewards noted that Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda. V had not pleaded guilty of alleged breach of Contravention of B.T.C Calendar Notification under the heading "PUNISHMENT TO TRAINERS BY STIPENDIARY STEWARDS / STEWARDS (Under Clause -8)" read with of Rule No.202 (xvi) of the BTC Rules of Racing as charged by the Stipendiary Steward.

Thereafter in their collective wisdom, they unanimously decided that Trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda. V was "Guilty" as charged in the matter.

In light of the above, the Stewards decided as under:

- (a) To suspend the trainer's licence granted to trainer Mr. Narayana Gowda.V w.e.f **27**th **May**, **2023 to 11**th **June**, **2023 (Both days inclusive)** and fine him a sum of **Rs. 50,000/-** for contravention of B.T.C Calendar Notification under the heading "PUNISHMENT TO TRAINERS BY STIPENDIARY STEWARDS / STEWARDS (Under Clause 8)" read with of Rule No.202 (xvi) of the BTC Rules of Racing in respect of his charge TWILIGHT FAME.
- (b) He was informed of his right to appeal before the BTC Board of Appeal within the frame work of BTC Rules of Racing.

<u>(B)</u>

The Stipendiary Steward reported Jockey Ashok Kumar. A to the Stewards for Contravention of Rule No. 161 (iv) of the B.T.C. Rules of Racing on his mount ENGLISH BAY.

The Stewards held an enquiry on 17th May, 2023 and examined Jockey Ashok Kumar. A and Trainer Mr. S. Dominic.

The Stewards considered the following:

- > Charge sheet issued to Jockey Ashok Kumar. A by the Stipendiary Steward;
- ➤ The Submissions made by Jockey Ashok Kumar. A and Trainer Mr. S. Dominic during the enquiry;
- > Stewards viewed various angles of the race with specific reference to the riding by Jockey Ashok Kumar. A in the above race;
- ➤ The Stewards noted that Jockey Ashok Kumar. A had pleaded guilty of alleged breach of Contravening Rule No. 161 (iv) of the BTC Rules of Racing as charged by the Stipendiary Steward.

Thereafter in their collective wisdom, they unanimously decided that Jockey Ashok Kumar. A was "Guilty" as charged in the matter.

In light of the above, the Stewards decided as under:

- (a) Note the explanations tendered by Trainer Mr. S. Dominic.
- (b) To suspend the Jockey's Licence be granted to Jockey Ashok Kumar. A on **27**th **May, 2023** for fails to persevere with his mount ENGLISH BAY under Rule No. 161 (iv) of the B.T.C Rules of Racing (he is permitted to ride work).
- (c) He was informed of his right to appeal before the BTC Board of Appeal within the frame work of BTC Rules of Racing.

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