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Dear Sir

For the information of 4Racing and the Chief Executive of The National Horseracing Authority in accordance with Rule 4.2.3.

I wish to submit the following report regarding the meeting conducted at the TAB Vaal Racecourse (Classic Track) on Thursday, 29 October 2026.

The Stipendiary Stewards on duty	:	Mr D Moodley (Race Day Chairman) Mr L Anderson (Chief Stipendiary Steward) Mr R Hutcheson (Executive Chief Stipendiary Steward) Mr A Hoffmann, Mr S Mathe, Mr D Rahilly
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Investigators on duty	:	Mr Z Mkhaliphi
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Specimen Collectors on duty	:	Ms M du Plessis, Ms L King, Mr M Sibiya, Ms K Irving
Course Medical Officer on duty	:	Dr M Botha
Weather	:	Mostly sunny, 13 to 31 degs, 10 to 15km/p/h North Westerly Cross Wind. Sunset 18H23.
Track Condition	:	Good
Penetrometer Reading	:	22
False Rail Spur	:	4m on the back straight to 6m on the bend with a 4m spur at the 800m. Grass length at 85mm.

RACE 1 : 4RACING WELCOMES YOU WORK RIDERS MAIDEN PLATE : 1700M (194)
Starter: D R May Loading: 1 min 57 sec No. of Runners: 5

CARDED TIME:	12:00:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	12:02:00
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	12:04:58
ALL CLEAR:	12:10:53

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) FIRE TO THE STARS was stubborn loading and thereafter stumbled leaving the stalls. Trainer F P Habib was advised to reschool this gelding prior to his next engagement (GT).

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) Work Rider V Sithetho, the rider of CAMPO FORMIO, accidentally dropped his crop at the 100m.
c) In view of the performance of KWAITO, (distance 15,40 lengths, betting 33/20), the Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) FIRE TO THE STARS, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis. Trainer F P Habib was advised (MduP).

WORK RIDER CHANGES:

None.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) KWAITO fatigued.

SCRATCHED:

a) OVER SENSIBLE insufficient recovery time (Trainer) (Rule 53.5 applies).

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	WORK RIDER	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	4	FIRE TO THE STARS	F P Habib	+T Matsoele	-----		9/2
2ND	3	ALL TIME LEGEND	F P Habib	+S Valjalo	1,25	1,25	9/2
3RD	5	VIRGINGALACTIC	C J Lensley	+T Lukhele	7,25	8,50	25/1
4TH	1	CAMPO FORMIO	X/C Spies	+V Sithetho	0,40	8,90	2/1
5TH	2	KWAITO	J J van Vuuren	+P Mongqawa	6,50	15,40	33/20
		TIME OF RACE: 104,80 s					
Tote Favourite	2	KWAITO	J J van Vuuren	+P Mongqawa	15,40		33/20

RACE 2 : #YOUCANBETONUS! MAIDEN PLATE : 1000M (195)
Starter: D R May Loading: 1 min 49 sec No. of Runners: 10

CARDED TIME:	12:35:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	12:37:27
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	12:39:37
ALL CLEAR:	12:44:51

THE START OF THIS RACE WAS DELAYED DUE TO **EASTWOOD** BEING SUBJECT TO A LATE VETERINARY EXAMINATION AND WAS PASSED FIT TO RACE.

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) CHIMICHURI'S DREAM was stubborn loading and thereafter jumped inwards leaving the stalls.
b) COUNT OF CAPRI jumped awkwardly leaving the stalls, making contact with the right-side front starting stall gate.
c) WARRIOR BOLD was slow into stride.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) At approximately the 300m, KINGFORADAY was carried out marginally by CELERITAS, which switched out off the heels of EASTWOOD, to continue its run. Thereafter, CELERITAS continued to hang out.
c) Apprentice A Mosaheb reported that he felt something amiss with COUNT OF CAPRI in running. The Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) CELERITAS, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis. Trainer S G Tarry was advised (MS).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

None.

LATE RACE CARD CHANGE:

a) KINGFORADAY is a gelding. To be investigated.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) COUNT OF CAPRI not striding out right hind; blowing post-race.
b) HAWKEYE abnormal respiratory noise.

SCRATCHED:

a) AU CONTRAIRE abscess left front (Trainer) (Rule 53.5 applies).

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	10	CELERITAS	S G Tarry	K de Melo	-----		4/10
2ND	5	EASTWOOD	R R Magner	M Yeni	0,80	0,80	8/1
3RD	4	CYRUS THE GREAT	M G Azzie	J Gates	4,80	5,60	25/1
4TH	7	KAY KIWI	F Bronkhorst	R Danielson	0,25	5,85	25/2
5TH	2	YOUNG GENERAL	A P Peter	*S Choi	0,40	6,25	40/1
6TH	6	HAWKEYE	C J Lensley	*D Louw	0,20	6,45	125/1
		TIME OF RACE: 57,27 s					
Tote Favourite	10	CELERITAS	S G Tarry	K de Melo	-----		4/10

RACE 3 : RACING TODAY MAIDEN PLATE (F & M) : 1000M (196)
Starter: D R May Loading: 3 min 32 sec No. of Runners: 9

CARDED TIME:	13:10:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	13:13:06
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	13:15:13
ALL CLEAR:	13:19:45

DURING THE LOADING PROCESS, **DESERT DIAMOND** BECAME RESTLESS AND REARED IN THE STALLS. THIS FILLY WAS REMOVED FROM THE STALLS, EXAMINED BY THE VETERINARIAN, PASSED FIT TO RACE, AND RELOADED. THIS CAUSED A DELAY TO THE START OF THIS RACE.

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) DESERT DIAMOND was restless and reared in the stalls, examined by the Veterinarian, passed fit to race and reloaded. Thereafter, this filly jumped inwards leaving the stalls. Trainer D N Stenger was advised to reschool this filly prior to his next engagement (GT).
b) SEACHTU REALTA jumped outwards leaving the stalls, making contact with the left-side front starting stall gate.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) ABU SOQRAT hung in from the 300m.
c) Jockey C Habib reported that he felt something amiss with ELEGANT EDGE in running. The Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS), the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis. Assistant Trainer J Taylor, acting on behalf of Trainers M/M de Kock, was advised (MduP).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

None.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) ELEGANT EDGE examined post-race, nothing obvious detected.

SCRATCHED:

a) ASTROPHILE ineligible (Winner, TAB Turffontein Racecourse, 22/10/2026). Advised 23 October 2026 at 07H49.

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	7	BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS)	M/M de Kock	C Murray	-----		72/100
2ND	1	ELEGANT EDGE	C Binda	C Habib	0,75	0,75	33/10
3RD	2	MARY'S CAPTAIN	G J Maroun	*Q Ngcobo	1,10	1,85	100/1
4TH	4	FASCINATOR	P F Matchett	P Mxoli	3,10	4,95	20/1
5TH	5	SEACHTU REALTA	F Bronkhorst	C Maujean	0,05	5,00	33/1
6TH	8	DESERT DIAMOND	D N Stenger	M Michel	3,30	8,30	7/1
		TIME OF RACE: 56,66 s					
Tote Favourite	7	BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS)	M/M de Kock	C Murray	-----		72/100

RACE 4 : TICKETS @ HOWLER FOR THE BETWAY SUMMER CUP : 1700M (197)
MAIDEN PLATE (F & M)
Starter: G Timm Loading: 1 min 02 sec No. of Runners: 11

CARDED TIME:	13:45:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	13:45:33
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	13:48:52
ALL CLEAR:	13:53:42

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) KNOCKIN' BOOTS jumped awkwardly leaving the stalls.
b) DELICIOUS DISH was slow, losing two lengths.
c) LEANNE'S LOVE was slow, losing one length.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) Jockey M Yeni reported that he felt something amiss with LIFE AND LETTERS in running.
The Veterinarian was requested to examine.
Trainer W C Marwing was requested to report back to the Stipendiary Board on the condition of LIFE AND LETTERS on return to stables.
c) THUNDERING HOOVES, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
Trainer S G Tarry was advised (MS).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

None.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) LIFE AND LETTERS examined post-race, nothing obvious detected.
b) GRAINS OF PARADISE blowing post-race.

SCRATCHED:

a) STANISLAVA insufficient recovery time (Trainer) (Rule 53.5 applies).

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	12	THUNDERING HOOVES	S G Tarry	C Zackey	-----		33/10
2ND	4	TREX ON FIRE	E Verdonese	R Danielson	0,60	0,60	13/2
3RD	6	PROPHECIES	F Bronkhorst	C Maujean	2,00	2,60	25/1
4TH	8	DEMOCRAT	C I Jonker	P Mxoli	0,20	2,80	125/1
5TH	2	LEANNE'S LOVE	H van der Westhuizen	J Penny	1,00	3,80	10/1
6TH	1	LIFE AND LETTERS	W C Marwing	M Yeni	1,00	4,80	13/10
		TIME OF RACE: 103,57 s					
Tote Favourite	1	LIFE AND LETTERS	W C Marwing	M Yeni	4,80		13/10

RACE 5 : TAB CASINO FM 92 DIVIDED HANDICAP (F & M) : 1800M (198)
Starter: G Timm Loading: 55 sec No. of Runners: 6

CARDED TIME:	14:20:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	14:21:17
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	14:23:58
ALL CLEAR:	14:28:58

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) Shortly after the start, ART NOUVEAU and ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE, which jumped inwards leaving the stalls, came together and bumped.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE over-raced in the early and middle stages. Thereafter, in the concluding stages, FLYING WORLD and BOOM BOOM were carried in by ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE, which hung in from the 150m.
c) Apprentice A Mosaheb reported that AMAZON QUEEN did not stride out freely in running. The Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis. Trainer C Dawson was advised (MduP).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

a) ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE was ridden by Jockey K de Melo (declared 29 October 2026 at 08H11).

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) AMAZON QUEEN not striding out left front.
b) ART NOUVEAU cut into right hind.

SCRATCHED:

a) HAT'S QUEEN not striding out (NHA / 14H19) (Rule 53.5 applies). Betting 25/2.

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	3	ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE	C/T Dawson	K de Melo	-----		11/10
2ND	6	FLYING WORLD	J A Soma	M Michel	1,10	1,10	13/2
3RD	4	TOP SHELF TEDDY	S G Tarry	C Zackey	1,30	2,40	11/2
4TH	7	BOOM BOOM	F Bronkhorst	J Gates	0,70	3,10	13/2
5TH	2	ART NOUVEAU	A P Peter	K Matsunyane	0,70	3,80	7/2
6TH	5	AMAZON QUEEN	M Pandaram	*A Mosaheb	5,50	9,30	60/1
		TIME OF RACE: 111,25 s					
Tote Favourite	3	ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE	C/T Dawson	K de Melo	-----		11/10

RACE 6 : BETWAY SUMMER CUP 28 NOVEMBER FM 75 DIVIDED HANDICAP : 1800M (199) (F & M)
Starter: G Timm Loading: 1 min 01 sec No. of Runners: 11

CARDED TIME:	14:55:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	14:55:56
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	14:59:07
ALL CLEAR:	15:03:23

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) CHARIKLO jumped outwards leaving the stalls.
b) SHADOWLINE, NICCI'S LAW and BE MY FATE were slow into stride.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) BRIGHT COMET over-raced in the early stages.
c) CHARIKLO ducked in sharply at the 400m for no apparent reason and thereafter hung out in the concluding stages.
d) Approaching the 250m, SIKELOI was bumped in on two occasions by UP AND UP, which hung in from the 300m.
e) NICCI'S LAW, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
Trainer D Nieuwenhuizen was advised (MS).
When questioned regarding the poor performance of NICCI'S LAW on 26 September 2026, Trainer D Nieuwenhuizen could offer the Board no suitable explanation. His attention was drawn to the Rules pertaining to In and Out running.

JOCKEY CHANGES:

None.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) RED SPARROW coughing post-race.
b) UP AND UP cut in the nostril.

THERE WERE NO SCRATCHINGS.

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	6	NICCI'S LAW	D Nieuwenhuizen	*A Mosaheb	-----		14/1
2ND	8	BRIGHT COMET	F P Habib	K Matsunyane	0,75	0,75	25/1
3RD	5	CHARIKLO	D N Stenger	*T Mayhew	0,05	0,80	10/1
4TH	2	PLAY WITH FIRE	F Bronkhorst	K Strydom	0,10	0,90	66/1
5TH	7	BE MY FATE	D N Stenger	C Zackey	1,40	2,30	28/10
6TH	3	LITTLEMISSSPLENDID	R Klaasen	C Habib	0,50	2,80	9/2
		TIME OF RACE: 110,16 s					
Tote Favourite	7	BE MY FATE	D N Stenger	C Zackey	2,30		28/10

RACE 7 : TAB TELEBET 011 074 0300 FM 84 HANDICAP (F & M) : 1600M (200)
Starter: L A Saliete Loading: 41 sec No. of Runners: 6

CARDED TIME:	15:35:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	15:36:10
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	15:38:52
ALL CLEAR:	15:43:46

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) FIRE IN HER SOUL stumbled leaving the stalls.
b) ALTA CAPITANA jumped awkwardly leaving the stalls.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) SECRET FATE over-raced in the early and middle stages, proving difficult to assist. This filly's racing manners will be closely monitored in future.
c) ALTA CAPITANA over-raced in the early and middle stages.
d) Shortly before the finish line, AZALEAS FOR ALL was steadied momentarily when awkwardly placed on the heels of A BIT OF CLASS, which hung in from the 150m.
e) In view of the performance of SECRET FATE, (distance 7,00 lengths, betting 4/1), the Veterinarian was requested to examine.
f) Apprentice S Choi (AMERICAN BEAUTY) rode a satisfactory qualifying ride.
g) A BIT OF CLASS, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis. Trainer C Dawson was advised (MduP).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

None.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) SECRET FATE examined post-race, nothing obvious detected.

SCRATCHED:

a) MATCHA MINT off feed (Trainer) (Rule 53.5 applies).

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	2	A BIT OF CLASS	C/T Dawson	K Strydom	-----		17/2
2ND	5	ALTA CAPITANA	S G Tarry	K de Melo	0,05	0,05	9/4
3RD	3	FIRE IN HER SOUL	M N Houdalakis	P Mxoli	1,50	1,55	17/2
4TH	4	AZALEAS FOR ALL	F Bronkhorst	M Yeni	0,05	1,60	11/2
5TH	1	AMERICAN BEAUTY	A P Peter	*S Choi	1,10	2,70	3/1
6TH	7	SECRET FATE	S G Tarry	C Zackey	4,30	7,00	4/1
		TIME OF RACE: 97,55 s					
Tote Favourite	5	ALTA CAPITANA	S G Tarry	K de Melo	0,05		9/4

RACE 8 : PLAY SOCCER 6, 10 AND 13 MR 74 HANDICAP : 1600M (201)
Starter: L A Saliete Loading: 1 min 56 sec No. of Runners: 13

CARDED TIME:	16:10:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	16:11:50
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	16:14:57
ALL CLEAR:	16:19:47

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) Shortly after the start, DUKE OF LORRAINE and EIFFEL TOWER came together and bumped.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) Leaving the 1400m, TOMMY ATKINS was steadied momentarily when awkwardly placed on the inside of DUKE OF LORRAINE, which was carried by EIFFEL TOWER, which rolled in.
c) Jockey C Habib reported that he felt something amiss with TOMMY ATKINS in running.
The Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) Apprentice S Choi (ONE STATE) rode a satisfactory qualifying ride.
e) AINT NO DOUBT, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
Trainer F P Habib was advised (MS).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

a) ARUMUGAM was ridden by Jockey J Penny (declared 29 October 2026 at 15H48).
b) SKITT SMILING: Jockey R Danielson weighed out at 57,2kg, 1,5kg over the carded weight as declared.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) TOMMY ATKINS examined post-race, nothing obvious detected.
b) STEEL SPRING coughing post-race.
c) ARUMUGAM cast its right front shoe in running.

THERE WERE NO SCRATCHINGS.

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	8	AINT NO DOUBT	F P Habib	K Matsunyane	-----		28/10
2ND	2	ZIP CODE	D Nieuwenhuizen	*A Mosaheb	0,30	0,30	17/2
3RD	9	EIFFEL TOWER	S J Gray	J Gates	1,00	1,30	4/1
4TH	11	SKITT SMILING	P P / J M Vermeulen	R Danielson	1,30	2,60	7/1
5TH	5	GIMMETHESPOTLIGHT	D N Stenger	*T Mayhew	0,50	3,10	100/1
6TH	6	DUKE OF LORRAINE	M/M de Kock	K de Melo	1,00	4,10	11/2
		TIME OF RACE: 95,56 s					
Tote Favourite	8	AINT NO DOUBT	F P Habib	K Matsunyane	-----		28/10

RACE 9 : NEXT TAB VAAL RACEMEETING TUESDAY 03 NOVEMBER : 1000M (202)
MR 66 HANDICAP
Starter: L A Saliete Loading: 56 sec No. of Runners: 9

CARDED TIME:	16:45:00
RESCHEDULED TIME:	-----
OFF TIME:	16:45:34
PROVISIONAL RESULT:	16:48:39
ALL CLEAR:	16:52:38

THE STARTER REPORTED:

a) KYLIE'S ANGEL jumped inwards leaving the stalls.

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

a) All horses selected for TCO_2 were within the required levels, and no retests were recorded.
b) Shortly after the start, VAR PARK was bumped by KYLIE'S ANGEL, which jumped inwards leaving the stalls. As a consequence, Apprentice Q Ngcobo became unbalanced and briefly lost the footing to his right-side stirrup iron, and VAR PARK lost momentum and gave ground to the field.
c) KYLIE'S ANGEL hung in badly from the 200m. In view of this performance, the Veterinarian was requested to examine.
d) In view of the performance of BELL OF ANGELUS, (distance 9,10 lengths, betting 20/1), the Veterinarian was requested to examine.
e) MASTER'S LADY, the winner, was selected for the taking of specimens for analysis.
Stable Employee J Dhlamini, acting on behalf of Trainer R R Magner, was advised (MduP).

JOCKEY CHANGES:

a) TIME WILL TELL was ridden by Jockey C Habib (declared 29 October 2026 at 16H19).

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) KYLIE'S ANGEL not striding out left hind.
b) BELL OF ANGELUS not striding out right hind.

THERE WERE NO SCRATCHINGS.

DISQUALIFIED / DECLARED NON-RUNNER:

None.

OFFICIAL RESULT:

			TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE		BETTING
1ST	2	MASTER'S LADY	R R Magner	*J Botes	-----		14/1
2ND	4	ECHOES OF WAR	F P Habib	K Matsunyane	0,40	0,40	9/4
3RD	5	TIME WILL TELL	F Bronkhorst	C Habib	0,60	1,00	33/10
4TH	9	ORIENTAL BOUQUET	G J Maroun	P Mxoli	0,60	1,60	25/1
5TH	3	SERGEANT SOQRAT	X/C Spies	C Zackey	1,25	2,85	5/2
6TH	6	JET CAT	H van der Westhuizen	J Penny	2,90	5,75	25/1
		TIME OF RACE: 56,67 s					
Tote Favourite	3	SERGEANT SOQRAT	X/C Spies	C Zackey	2,85		5/2

ADDITIONAL REPORTS

Before engaging in his first ride, Jockey P Mxoli submitted a clearance notification from the Jockey Club of Kenya, which stated that he is clear to ride.

Jockey M Yeni was stood down after his riding engagement in Race 7 due to dehydration.
Rule 25.12 does not apply. He was replaced on his mounts in Races 8 and 9.

Assistant Trainer N Houdalakis acted on behalf of Trainer M N Houdalakis with regard to his runners.

Assistant Trainer J Taylor acted on behalf of Trainers M/M de Kock with regard to their runners.

Assistant Trainer C Naude acted on behalf of Trainer C Binda with regard to his runners.

Assistant Trainer M Peter acted on behalf of Trainer A P Peter with regard to his runners.

Stable Employee E Cossa acted on behalf of Trainer S J Gray with regard to his runners.

Stable Employee D Nondlazi acted on behalf of Trainer M G Azzie with regard to his runners.

Stable Employee F Makazhu acted on behalf of Trainer P F Matchett with regard to his runners.

Stable Employee S Bhantiwe acted on behalf of Trainer M Pandaram with regard to his runners.

Stable Employee J Dhlamini acted on behalf of Trainer R R Magner with regard to his runners.

PRE-RACE BLOOD SAMPLING

The following horses were presented to the Specimen Collection Area for Pre-Race Blood Sampling (including TCO_2 analysis):

RACE NO.	HORSE NO.	HORSE NAME	TRAINER
1	2	KWAITO	J J van Vuuren
1	3	ALL TIME LEGEND	F P Habib
1	4	FIRE TO THE STARS	F P Habib
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
2	1	COUNT OF CAPRI	D Nieuwenhuizen
2	2	YOUNG GENERAL	A P Peter
2	7	KAY KIWI	F Bronkhorst
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
3	7	BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS)	M/M de Kock
3	9	LANCE DANCER	S J Gray
3	10	SUN SEEKER	F Bronkhorst
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
4	2	LEANNE'S LOVE	H van der Westhuizen
4	5	KNOCKIN' BOOTS	A G Laird
4	8	DEMOCRAT	C I Jonker
4	12	THUNDERING HOOVES	S G Tarry
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
5	3	ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE	C/T Dawson
5	4	TOP SHELF TEDDY	S G Tarry
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
6	3	LITTLEMISSSPLENDID	R Klaasen
6	4	SHADOWLINE	J A Soma
6	8	BRIGHT COMET	F P Habib

6	9	PRETTY ANALIA	B Webber
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
7	2	A BIT OF CLASS	C/T Dawson
7	3	FIRE IN HER SOUL	M N Houdalakis
7	7	SECRET FATE	S G Tarry
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
8	3	ONE STATE	A P Peter
8	8	AINT NO DOUBT	F P Habib
8	9	EIFFEL TOWER	S J Gray
RACE NO.	**HORSE NO.**	**HORSE NAME**	**TRAINER**
9	3	SERGEANT SOQRAT	X/C Spies
9	5	TIME WILL TELL	F Bronkhorst
9	7	KYLIE'S ANGEL	C J Lensley

ADDENDUM

TAB TURFFONTEIN RACECOURSE, 22 OCTOBER 2026:

RACE 8 : NEXT TAB TURFFONTEIN RACEMEETING SATURDAY 24 OCTOBER MR 66 HANDICAP : 1800M (184)

THE STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORTED:

c) Jockey K de Melo (DISDAIN) did not persevere with his riding from the 300m. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine. When afforded the opportunity to place on record any factors which may have affected the gelding's performance, Jockey K de Melo reported that this gelding had over-raced in the early and middle stages, proving difficult to assist and, as a consequence, his saddle had slipped back. He further added that the gelding had hung in badly from approximately the 500m and made contact with the inside running rail at approximately the 200m.
Trainer M G Azzie was requested to report back to the Stipendiary Board on the condition of DISDAIN on return to stables.

THE VETERINARIAN REPORTED:

a) DISDAIN examined post-race, nothing obvious detected.

Trainer M G Azzie reported DISDAIN returned to the stables with nothing untoward found.

The Stipendiary Board could not confirm that the saddle had slipped. In light of Trainer M G Azzie's report and the findings of the NHA Veterinarian on the day, Jockey de Melo was advised to ride his mount out to the end of a race with the suitable amount of determination and vigour as to leave no room for query from the Stipendiary Board.

Final Card Changes Report
TAB Vaal Classic
Thursday, 29 October 2026 As at 29 October 10:30



Equipment Changes

Race	Horse		Equipment Changed	Time	Date	Advised	Captured
3	1	Elegant Edge	Blinkers Off	12:37	20261024	Clinton Binda	Clinton Binda
6	1	Sikeloi	Blinkers On	09:54	20261023	Denzil Mulligan	Audreyb

Other Changes	Advised	Captured
Duty Officer: Msizi Kubeka 076 710 9732		
Race 6 No 4 SHADOWLINE had a 208 day break due to a change of stable yards.	NHA	
Not Riding: T Godden (Flight Complications)	NHA	

SUMMARY OF STIPENDIARY STEWARDS REPORT

RACE	NAME		FINED/ PENALTY	SUSPENDED	RULE
AOG	Jockey/Apprentice	Trainer/Owner			
INQUIRIES	NAME	DETAILS			
INVESTIGATIONS					
Race 2 (8)	P F Matchett	KINGFORADAY: Notification of Castration.			
REPRIMANDS	NAME	DETAILS			
Addendum: 22/10/2026 TRC, R8	K de Melo	Advised to ride his mount out to the end of a race with the suitable amount of determination and vigour as to leave no room for query from the Stipendiary Board.			
RACE REVIEWS	DETAILS			NHA	
OBJECTIONS	RACE DETAILS	GROUNDS	FINDING	RESULT	DEPOSIT
SUSPENSIONS	HORSE'S NAME	TRAINER	REASON	SUSPENDED	NHA
STARTING STALLS CERTIFICATE	HORSE'S NAME	TRAINER	REASON	SUSPENDED	NHA
CASTRATIONS Race No.	HORSE'S NAME	TRAINER	DATE GELDED	DATE ADVISED	
VET REPORT REQ. BEFORE RACING	HORSE'S NAME	TRAINER	REASON	SUSPENDED	NHA
WINNING TOTE FAVOURITES	NUMBER	HORSE'S NAME	TRAINER	JOCKEY	BETTING
Race 2	10	CELERITAS	S G Tarry	K de Melo	4/10
Race 3	7	BEAUTIFUL ROSIE (AUS)	M/M de Kock	C Murray	72/100
Race 5	3	ONETWOBUCKLEMYSHOE	C/T Dawson	K de Melo	11/10
Race 8	8	AINT NO DOUBT	F P Habib	K Matsunyane	28/10
URINE SAMPLES					
RIDING CLEARANCES	NAME				
28/10/2026	P Mxoli				

Yours faithfully

D MOODLEY
Race Day Chairman
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