



INTERIM REPORT

RACE MEETING 2 – PEOPLE’S TURF PLC LTD

DATE:	Saturday, 25 th March 2023
TRACK:	Good
PENETROMETER:	2.80
WEATHER:	Sunny
FALSE RAIL:	4.75m
STEWARDS PANEL:	MR. D. MOODLEY (<i>Chairperson</i>) MR. R. M. KHAN MR. T.S. MAHENDHER MR. S. THAKAN MR. D. LABELLE (Trainee)
RACEDAY OFFICIALS:	Starter on duty: Mr R. Rawa
	Clerk of Scales on duty: Mr. A. Bandhoa
	Judges on duty: Mr. J. Smith & Mr. K. Lingen
	Inquiry Reporter on duty: Mrs. D. Bhookhun-Dhoomon
	Betting Analyst: Ms K. Hurboseea
	Farrier on duty: Mr N. Keble
	Specimen Collector on duty: Mr S. Damadarsing
	Course Medical Doctors on duty: Dr Balloo and Dr Ancharuz
Veterinary Surgeon: Dr. M. C. Domaingue	



Race 1 - 12:30 - THE PHILIPPE OH-SAN MEMORIAL CUP - [0 - 15] - ABT. 1400m (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	12hr31.48

Starting Reports

1. CHESTNUT COVE (J. Allyhosain) lost one length.
2. Shortly after the start, CRACKON (I.Taka) and BYPASS (A.Roy) came together and bumped.

Stewards Reports

1. CRACKON (I.Taka) overraced in the early and middle stages. Thereafter this gelding raced wide from the 400m to the 275m. Afterwards, this gelding was hanging in from the 250m.
2. KALI'S CHAMP (N.Marday) took an awkward stride at the crossing near the 450m. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.
3. THE GYPSY KING (S.Rama) and SPECIAL FORCE (Y.Mauree) overraced in the middle stages.
4. In view of the performance of BELLS APOSTLE (G.Aucharuz), the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

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| 1. SPECIAL FORCE | -Bled one nostril, 30 days suspension confirmed. |
| 2. CHESTNUT COVE | -Not striding out. |
| 3. BELLS APOSTLE | -No abnormalities detected. |

Official Result



		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	THE GYPSY KING	K. Ramanah	S.Rama	-
2ND	SPECIAL FORCE	P. Nagadoo	Y.Mauree	0.75
3RD	CHESTNUT COVE	Y. Emamdee	J.Allyhosain	3.05
4TH	CRACKON	N. Rawat	I.Taka	3.90
5TH	BYPASS	P. Nagadoo	A.Roy	7.80
	TIME OF RACE:	1.28.56s		

Race 2 - 13:05 - THE GURUDUTT MOHER (MSK), "LE PERE DU QUADRICOLORE" MEMORIAL CUP - [0 - 20] - ABT. 1400m (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-
Off time:	13hr17.59

General

1. Prior to the running of this race, Jockey B. Fayd'herbe (CHIEF RAFEEF) was ordered to provide a sample of his breath, which sample upon analysis appeared to be above the threshold as prescribed by the Rules of Racing. Accordingly, Jockey B. Fayd'herbe was stood down for the remainder of his rides for today. An inquiry has been opened into the matter.
2. The start of this race was delayed due to the change of Jockey on CHIEF RAFEEF.

Starting Reports

1. CHIEF RAFEEF (S.Donohoe) jumped awkwardly.

Stewards Reports

1. MASTEROFALLISURVEY (N. Batchameah) raced wide around the turn and into the straight.
2. Jockey S. Donohoe reported that his saddle slipped back and sideways. Jockey S. Donohoe was also reminded of his obligation to draw all saddle slips to the attention of a licensed official prior to unsaddling.
3. AFTER THE ORDER (J. Allyhosain) took an awkward stride at the 450m.
4. Jockey A. Aucharuz (INTOTHEMYSTIC) appeared before the Board and was questioned regarding his riding in the early stages of this race. In this regard, his attention was specifically drawn to whether it was possible for him to cross CELESTIAL MAGMA



(I.Taka) at the start and lead. Jockey A.Aucharuz explained that despite jumping marginally better than CELESTIAL MAGMA, he had observed that Apprentice I Taka was riding his mount in order to kick up strongly on his inside and hold him out into the first turn. As a consequence of this, he elected not to create a situation where he could get into a speed duel with CELESTIAL MAGMA and restrained INTOTHEMYSTIC to take a trail. Jockey A.Aucharuz further explained that his riding was according to the instructions from Trainer S. Narang.

Trainer S. Narang appeared before the Board and was questioned regarding his instructions on INTOTHEMYSTIC. The explanations of Trainer S. Narang were aligned with the statements of Jockey A.Aucharuz.

- At the 150m, AFTER THE ORDER (J. Allyhosain) was inconvenienced when awkwardly placed on the inside of AFRICAN ROCK (D.David) which was hanging in. Jockey D. David appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and was advised to take more care when shifting ground in his rides. Additionally, he was advised against the practice of using his whip on consecutive strides.

Racecard Changes

- Jockey B.Fayd'herbe was replaced by Jockey S.Donohoe on CHIEF RAFEEF.

Scratching

- None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

- SUPREME ELEVATION -Not striding out.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	CELESTIAL MAGMA	S. Mahadia	I.Taka	-
2ND	CHIEF RAFEEF	S. Hurchund	S.Donohoe	0.95
3RD	INTOTHEMYSTIC	S. Narang	G.Aucharuz	0.98
4TH	MASTEROFALLISURVEY	K. Ramanah	N. Batchameah	2.45
5TH	SUPREME ELEVATION	N. Rawat	S.Rama	5.80
	TIME OF RACE:	1.28.12s		



Race 3 - 13:40 - THE PHILIPPE GENTIL, COMPOSER OF NATIONAL ANTHEM MEMORIAL CUP - Benchmark 31 - ABT. 990m (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	13hr50.00
Off time:	13hr50.39

General

1. The start of this race was rescheduled due to delay in the previous race.

Starting Reports

1. ON A HIGH NOTE (J.Allyhosain) lost one length.
2. CAROLINA REAPER (N.Marday) was slow into stride and thereafter lost pace.

Stewards Reports

1. EL PATRON (I.Taka) took an awkward stride at the 450m.
2. Jockey N.Marday reported that CAROLINA REAPER was not striding out.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. EL PATRON -Distressed after the race.
2. CAPTAINS FORT -Abnormal respiratory noises.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	EL PATRON	K. Ramanah	I.Taka	-
2ND	RAIN MUST FALL	N. Rawat	K.Ramsamy	1.65
3RD	ON A HIGH NOTE	Y. Emamadee	J.Allyhosain	1.80
4TH	CAPTAINS FORT	S. Jones	S.Donohoe	3.75
5TH	CAROLINA REAPER	A. Perdrau	N.Marday	6.20
	TIME OF RACE:	57.27s		

Race 4 - 14:15 - THE 31ST ANNIVERSARY OF THE REPUBLIC OF MAURITIUS CUP - [0 - 25] - ABT. 1365m (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	14hr25.00
Off time:	14hr28.38

Starting Reports

1. Shortly after the start, CAPKUTA (D.David) and QUEST FOR GOOD (J.Bardottier) were tightened for galloping room when awkwardly placed between NEVIL MU (B.Bhaugeerothee) which rolled out and DUKE OF ABERCORN (S.Donohoe) which rolled in. As a consequence of this incident, CAPKUTA (D.David), QUEST FOR GOOD (J.Bardottier) and DUKE OF ABERCORN (S.Donohoe) came together and brushed on more than one occasion.

Stewards Reports

1. FLOWERSCAPE (K. Ramsamy) was ridden aggressively from its draw and obtained the lead at the 1200m.
2. QUEST FOR GOOD (J.Bardottier) raced wide throughout.
3. Apprentice N.S. Batchameah (LITE OF MY LIFE) appeared before the Board, was shown the patrol films of the race and advised against the practice of using his whip down the shoulder of LITE OF MY LIFE while in the drawn position and striking his mount near the flank. Apprentice N.S. Batchameah was issued with a warning.
4. Jockey K. Ramsamy (FLOWERSCAPE) appeared before the Board and was shown the patrol films of the race and was advised against the practice of using his whip on consecutive strides. Jockey K. Ramsamy was issued with a warning.

Racecard Changes

1. Jockey B.Fayd'herbe was replaced by Jockey K. Ramsamy on FLOWERSCAPE.

Scratching

1. None.



Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. DUKE OF ABERCORN

-No abnormalities detected.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	LITE OF MY LIFE	P. Nagadoo	N.Batchameah	-
2ND	FLOWERSCAPE	K. Ramanah	K. Ramsamy	1.90
3RD	NEVIL MU	S. Mahadia	B.Bhaugerothee	2.95
4TH	GIGGIN	S. Mahadia	I.Taka	3.05
5TH	DUKE OF ABERCORN	Y. Perdrau	S.Donohoe	4.20
	TIME OF RACE:	1.25.98s		

Race 5 - 14:50 - THE 55TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF MAURITIUS CUP - Benchmark 41 - ABT. 1400m (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	15hr00.00
Off time:	15hr04.17

Starting Reports

1. CRAZY CHARLIE (G.Aucharuz) lost two lengths.
2. SYDS LIASON (S.Rama) lost one length.

Stewards Reports

1. POP ICON (J.Allyhosain), CREATION (J.Bardottier) and MASSIMO (I.Taka) overraced in the early stages
2. PUGET SOUND (N.Batchameah) overraced in the early and middle stages. Thereafter, this gelding commenced to give ground to the field from the 500m.
3. In the concluding stages, CREATION (J.Bardottier) which was switched in to continue its run at the 200m and POP ICON (J.Allyhosain), which was hanging in, raced in close proximity. A race review was called by Jockey J Bardottier into this incident, however, after viewing the patrol films of the race, he elected to take no further action.
4. CRAZY CHARLIE (G.Aucharuz) switched out to continue its run at the 100m.
5. In view of the performance of MASSIMO (I.Taka), the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

Racecard Changes

1. None.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. MASSIMO -No abnormalities detected

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	POP ICON	D. Zaki	J.Allyhosain	-
2ND	CREATION	C. Ramdin	J.Bardottier	0.10
3RD	CRAZY CHARLIE	S. Narang	G.Aucharuz	1.40
4TH	SYDS LIASON	P. Nagadoo	S.Rama	1.90
5TH	MASSIMO	S. Mahadia	I.Taka	4.30
	TIME OF RACE:	1.27.80s		

Race 6 - 15:25 - THE PEOPLE'S TURF PLC KICK OFF MEETING 2023 CUP - Benchmark 56 - ABT. 1365m (6 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	16hr35.00
Off time:	15hr36.35

Starting Reports

1. ARIZONA SILK (J.Bardottier) was slow into stride.

Stewards Reports

1. JUNIPER LANE (I.Taka) raced fiercely in the early and middle stages.
2. In the concluding stages, ROYAL ITALIAN (M.Sonaram) shifted out away from the whip.

Racecard Changes

1. None.



Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

1. TOWER OF WISDOM -No abnormalities detected.

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	JUNIPER LANE	S. MAhadia	I.Taka	-
2ND	DYNAMITE JACK	D. Zaki	J.Allyhosain	1.55
3RD	ARIZONA SILK	S. Jones	J.Bardottier	3.15
4TH	ROYAL ITALIAN	Y. Perdrau	M.Sonaram	4.35
5TH	ETCHED IN BLUE	A. Perdrau	K.Ramsamy	5.00
	TIME OF RACE:	1.24.79s		

Race 7 - (16h00) - THE DR GEORGES PROSPER, LYRICIST OF NATIONAL ANTHEM CUP - Benchmark 36 - 1365M (5 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	16hr10.00
Off time:	16hr11.10

Starting Reports

1. No report.

Stewards Reports

1. DESERT ILLUSION (S.Rama) was hanging out from the 200m, proving difficult to assist.
2. Jockey S Donohoe (DESERT BOY) appeared before the Board and was advised by the Stewards that a trend had emerged from his riding today. In this regard, notwithstanding that his mounts had shown a tendency to lean out, he had consistently either maintained or used his whip with the right hand. The Stewards advised Jockey S Donohoe that he was required to take stronger measures to maintain his mounts on a straight course and keep them balanced, failing which stronger sanctions may follow.
3. Jockey K Ramsamy reported that JACALAC did not stride out freely in the running. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.



- Apprentice I. Taka (LIVERPOOL CHAMP) appeared before the Board and was shown the patrol films of the race and was advised against the practice of using his whip on consecutive strides. Apprentice I. Taka was issued with a warning.

Racecard Changes

- Jockey B.Fayd'herbe was replaced by Jockey K. Ramsamy on JACALAC.

Scratching

- None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

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| 1. JACALAC | -Lame near fore. |
| 2. DESERT ILLUSION | -Severely distressed after race, 30 days suspension confirmed. |

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	OXFORD BLUE	D. Zaki	D.David	-
2ND	DESERT BOY	N. Rawat	S.Donohoe	2.40
3RD	DESERT ILLUSION	K. Ramanah	S.Rama	5.65
4TH	LIVERPOOL CHAMP	S. Mahadia	I.Taka	7.40
5TH	JACALAC	A. Perdrau	K Ramsamy	Detached
	TIME OF RACE:	1.25.78s		

Race 8 - 16:45 - THE TURF4YOU MAG CUP - Benchmark 31 - ABT. 1400m (7 Runners)

Rescheduled time:	-16hr55.00
Off time:	16hr56.23

Starting Reports

- No report.

Stewards Reports

- Shortly after the start, TIGER'S ROCK (I.Taka) which was slow and lost a length, was carried in by BENEV (N.Marday) which was bumped in by GENERAL JACKSON (S.Donohoe) which jumped in. Jockey S Donohoe appeared before the Board, was shown



patrol films of the race and was advised to take stronger corrective measures to prevent his horse from shifting ground.

2. INSTINCTIVE POWER (D. David) was ridden aggressively from its wide draw and found the lead at the 1200m. Thereafter, this gelding shifted out away from the whip at the 150m.
3. ONE DAY OR DAY ONE (J. Bardottier) overraced in the early and middle stages.
4. EAGLES VISION (N. Batchameah) raced wide between the 400m and the 300m.
5. Jockey G. Aucharuz reported that VOLATILE ENERGY did not stride out freely in the running and did not persevere with his riding in the straight. In view of this report, the Veterinary Surgeon was requested to examine.

Racecard Changes

1. Jockey B.Fayd'herbe was replaced by Jockey J. Bardottier on ONE DAY OR DAY ONE.

Scratching

1. None.

Veterinary Surgeon Report

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| 1. BENEV | -No abnormalities detected. |
| 2. TIGER'S ROCK | -Not striding out. |
| 3. INSTINCTIVE POWER | -Not striding out. |
| 4. GENERAL JACKSON | - No abnormalities detected. |

Official Result

		TRAINER	JOCKEY	DISTANCE
1ST	INSTINCTIVE POWER (D. Zaki	D.David	-
2ND	ONE DAY OR DAY ONE	P. Nagadoo	J. Bardottier	2.45
3RD	EAGLES VISION	P. Nagadoo	N.Batchameah	6.40
4TH	TIGER'S ROCK	K. Ramanah	I.Taka	8.65
5TH	GENERAL JACKSON	A. Perdrau	S.Donohoe	Detached
	TIME OF RACE:			



Other comments/Explanations:

1. Pre-race blood specimens were taken from all starters and all returned negative.
2. In all races, all riders were weighed in.
3. All the winners were selected for the taking of specimens for analysis as well as BELLS APOSTLE (Race 1) and MASSIMO (Race 5).
4. All riders were breathalyzed and cleared to race, except B.Fayd'herbe .



RACEDAY SUMMARY

	RACE	NAME		RULE
Horse Suspensions:	1	SPECIAL FORCE	30 days suspension - Bled one nostril	
	7	DESERT ILLUSION	30 days suspension, severely distressed after the race.	
Rider Suspensions:				
Fines:	4,7	Jockey D. David (CAPKUTA and OXFORD BLUE)	Rs 3,000 - Using his whip on consecutive strides	Rule 29.2.5
Reprimands:	2	Jockey D. David (AFRICAN ROCK)	Using his whip on consecutive strides	Rule 29.2.5
	2	Jockey S. Donohoe (CHIEF RAFEEF)	Was reminded of his obligation to draw all saddle slips to the attention of a licensed official prior to unsaddling	
	4	Apprentice N.S. Batchameah (LITE OF MY LIFE)	Using his whip down the shoulder of LITE OF MY LIFE while in the drawn position and striking his mount near the flank	Rule 29.2.5 and 29.2.12
	4	K.RAMSAMY (FLOWERSCAPE)	Using his whip on consecutive strides	Rule 29.2.5

	7	Apprentice I. Taka (LIVERPOOL CHAMP)	Using his whip on consecutive strides	Rule 29.2.5
	7 & 8	Jockey S Donohoe (DESERT BOY and GENERAL JACKSON, respectively)	Advised to take stronger measures to maintain his mounts on a straight course and keep them balanced	
Change of Tactics:				
Riders To produce Medical Certificate prior to riding again:				
Inquiries:		Trainer Y. Perdrau	Rs 5,000 fine for failing to declare his horses for the races before 8hr30a.m	Declaration Guidelines
	2	Jockey B.Fayd'herbe (CHIEF RAFEEF)	Breath sample appeared to be above the threshold as prescribed by the Rules of Racing	Rule 71.4.1



ADDITIONAL REPORT

1. An inquiry has been opened into Trainer Y. Perdrau's contravention of the Declaration Guidelines whereby he failed to declare his horses for the races dated 25th March 2023 before 8hr30a.m.
2. After considering the representations of Jockey D. David, the Board elected to fine him holistically for his consecutive offences today. In this regard, Jockey D David signed an admission of guilt for a contravention of Rule 29.2.5, in races 4 and 7 in that he struck the horse CAPKUTA and OXFORD BLUE respectively, with his whip more than once on consecutive strides in the running. Accordingly, a penalty of a fine of Rs 3000 was imposed. Jockey David was advised that this indulgence was a once off and that he was required to correct the issue within his riding.