STEWARDS REPORT

SEOUL RACECOURSE

Saturday 21st August 2010

Weather: Fine

Track: 13% (raced 1-3); 12% (races 4-12)

Stewards: Byung-sun Kim (Chairman), Kwang Ho Lee, James Perry, In-wook

Hwang, T B Oh, Bae Young-phil

RACE ONE: CLASS 6 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1200 METRES

When parading behind the barriers, **SEONBONGYEOJE** was examined by the veterinary officer who found the filly to be lame in the off fore leg. **SEONBONGYEOJE** was a late scratching and betting time was extended five minutes. **BISASEING** delayed the start when it was difficult to load in the barrier. **BISAEING** will be required to undergo a stall test prior to the next start. When questioned in relation to the improved performance of **DONGBANGUI TAEJA**, Trainer Park Chun Seo stated that he was hoping to finish in a prize money placing but was surprised that his gelding had won the race. He stated that the gelding had been working well in its track work and had recovered fully from some shin soreness which may have affected its past performances. Trainer Park Chun Seo was advised that Stewards would now expect **DONGBANGUI TAEJA** to race consistently in terms of its performance.

RACE TWO: CLASS 6 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1000 METRES

The betting time for this race was extended five minutes due to the delays at the start in race one. **DUGAK** reared and was extremely fractious in the barrier and became cast. **DUGAK** was examined by the veterinary officer and was not deemed fit to start. **DUGAK** sustained lacerations to its left hind leg and will be ineligible to compete for 2 months. **DUGAK** was a late scratching. **BOHEMIAN LOVE** was difficult to load in the barrier and will be required to undergo a stall test prior to its next start. **MEMEUI TTAL** was slowly away. A post race veterinary examination of **HWASAL** did not reveal any abnormality and a swab sample was taken.

RACE THREE: CLASS 6 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1000 METRES

INTERLAKEN was fractious en route to the barrier and a warning was issued. **WANJEONJEONBOK** was difficult to load in the barrier and will be required to undergo a stall test prior to its next start. **DAEBUHWAL** refused to jump at all and took no part in the race. **DAEBUHWAL** will be required to compete satisfactorily in an official barrier trial prior to its next start.

RACE FOUR: CLASS 6 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1200 METRES

There was a totalisator malfunction during the betting time for this race. The race was delayed a total of ten minutes so the problem could be rectified but it could not be so, in accordance with the KRA operating guidelines, the race was cancelled and all bets were refunded.

RACE FIVE: CLASS 4 - FOREIGN BRED - 1000 METRES

Due to the delays surrounding the circumstances of race 4, this race was delayed initially for five minutes but after a further totalisator malfunction it was delayed a further five minutes however the problem was rectified and the race proceeded 12 minutes after its advertised time. Choi Bum Hyun (JEONGSANGCHUKJE) was fined W40 000 for careless riding in that near the 600m he permitted his mount to shift out when not clear of ORIENTAL CAT which had to be checked. A post race veterinary examination of REPENT N B SAVED did not reveal any abnormality and a swab sample was taken.

RACE SIX: CLASS 4 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1400 METRES

The betting time for this race was extended five minutes. Moon Se Young (WONDER HEART) was fined for careless riding in that near the 200m he permitted his mount to shift out for a considerable distance when not clear of TACHYS which was carried wider on the track and had to shift to the inside of WONDER HEART in order to improve. Moon Se Young has incurred two recent fines for this offence so, in accordance with the KRA penalty guidelines, his penalty was increased and his license to ride in races was suspended for 2 race days. A warning was issued against WONDER HEART for laying out when racing in the home straight. A swab sample was taken from WONDER HEART.

RACE SEVEN: CLASS 3 - FOREIGN BRED - 1700 METRES

A post race veterinary examination of YONGSAN HWANGNYONG and ADAM ONE did not reveal any abnormality and a swab sample was taken from both runners. CHEONGPAMYEONGJANG bled during the run and will be ineligible to race for one month.

RACE EIGHT: CLASS 4 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1800 METRES

Rounding the turn into the back straight, NAGWON, shifted in and collided heavily with the running rail resulting in its rider becoming unbalanced and falling from the mare. NAGWON suffered an injury to its off fore leg during the incident and will be retired from racing. Near the 300m JEONGSANG CHEONHA (Moon Se Young) shifted out and carried out BIGSISTER which was taken out slightly resulting in DEFCON (Lee Joon Chel) being carried out which continued to shift out and crowd BRANTO which was checked. Moon Se Young was reprimanded. Lee Joon Chel was warned. Near the 100m BRANTON was steadied when crowded between DEFCON (Lee Joon Chel) which shifted out when not quite clear and HAETBITCHORONG (Jo In Kwen) which shifted in when not quite clear. Lee Joon Chel and Jo In Kwen were both warned.

RACE NINE: CLASS 5 – DOMESTIC BRED - 1200 METRES

A swab sample was taken from **QUEEN'S BROWN**. A post race veterinary examination of **CANDRA** did not reveal any abnormality.

RACE TEN: CLASS 2 – DOMESTIC BRED – 1400 METRES

A post race veterinary examination of RED SKY, JAYEONGWANG and JAEMI BEST did not reveal any abnormality. A swab sample was taken from JAEMI BEST. After the race BATTLE COMMANDER (Muzi Yeni) veered out abruptly and when trying to prevent the shift the saddle shifted badly resulting in Muzi Yeni becoming dislodged. Muzi Yeni reported that he had not sustained any injury and would be fit fulfill his remaining engagements on Sunday 22 August. CHOWONHUI CHUEOK was beaten in excess of 42 lengths so, in accordance with the KRA rules, the horse was disqualified and it will be suspended from racing for 2 months.

RACE ELEVEN: CLASS 1 – DOMESTIC BRED – 2000 METRES

Cho Kyoung Ho (BLUE PIN) was reprimanded for careless riding in that approaching the finish he permitted his mount to shift out when not clear of HONGJI which was steadied. A swab sample was taken from NATURAL LINE.

RACE TWELVE: CLASS 5 - DOMESTIC BRED - 1300 METRES

A post race veterinary examination of **GANGCHEOLDORYEONG** did not reveal any abnormality. Yoo Mi Ra (**CHARMING GIRL**) was warned for carelessly allowing her mount to shift in near the 300m resulting in **CHEONHA JIBAE** being inconvenienced. When questioned in relation to his riding in the home straight, Seo Do Soo (**GANGCHEOLDORYEONG**) stated that his mount was green and had a tendency to lay in hampering his ability to rode the colt out fully. His explanation was accepted.

In addition to the swab samples noted above, all the first three place getters in each race were sent to be swabbed.