

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT

POSITIVE FINDING OF ILLICIT SUBSTANCE - "SECRET CIRCLE"

On 11th July 2024, the Inquiry Board comprising of Stipendiary Stewards concluded an inquiry at the Office of Horse Racing Division into the positive finding of an Illicit Substance, STANOZOLOL and 16B hydroxystanzolol, in the blood sample taken as Out of Competition Testing on 25th April 2024 from SECRET CIRCLE.

STANOZOLOL is an Anabolic Androgenic Steroid which is an Illicit Substance IN TERMS OF THE Rules.

Mr. Y Emamdee was interviewed in this regard and pleaded not guilty to the charge of contravening Rule 65.1, 65.2 read in conjunction with the "Illicit Substance" as published in the Racing Calendar, however the Board found him guilty, in that, he, Mr. Y Emamdee, as the Trainer of the horse, SECRET CIRCLE, was guilty of an offence as the sample taken from this horse at any time disclosed, upon analysis, the presence of an Illicit Substance.

Consequently, a penalty of suspension for a period of 01 year and a fine of a sum of Rs.500,000 was imposed on him and he was advised of his right to appeal.

In addition, the horse, SECRET CIRCLE, has been banned from racing for 365 days commencing from 30th April 2024.

Thursday, 11 July 2024