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TO: ALL OWNERS, TRAINERS, JOCKEYS AND APPRENTICES

AMENDMENTS TO MRA REGULATIONS 7.1 AND 46.1.1

The following amendments to MRA Regulations 7.1 and 46.1.1 (highlighted in bold) are to be implemented with immediate effect:

MRA REGULATIONS

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
HORSES Maiden/Restricted Maiden races	Regulation 7.1 amended.	<u>Regulation 7.1</u> The conditions for Maiden/Restricted Maiden races are as follows: (a) <u>Malaysia</u> (i) All horses which have not won a race, both newly registered imports and horses already registered with the Association will be eligible to run in Maiden races. Unraced two (2) and three (3) year old horses (with the exception of Malaysian-bred horses) must have two race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races to be allocated an official MRA rating before becoming eligible for any race held under Handicap conditions.

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
		<p>(ii) All unraced horses registered to race in Malaysia which have turned four (4) years old and have not won or completed two race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be allocated a MRA rating of not less than 44 points</p> <p>(iii) All Malaysian-bred horses are qualified for handicaps with an initial rating of not less than thirty eight (38) points.</p> <p>(b) <u>Singapore</u></p> <p>(i) All horses which have not won a race, both newly registered imports and horses already registered with the Association will be eligible to run in Maiden races. Unraced two (2) and three (3) year old horses (with the exception of Malaysian-bred horses) must have three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races to be allocated an official MRA rating before becoming eligible for any race held under Handicap conditions.</p> <p>(ii) All unraced horses registered to race in Singapore which have turned four (4) years old and have not won or completed three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be required to complete three race starts before being allocated a MRA rating.</p>

SECTION	EXPLANATION	AMENDMENT
MISCELLANEOUS	Regulation 46.1.1 amended.	<p>(iii) All unraced horses, registered to race in Singapore which have turned (6) years old and have not won or completed three race starts in Restricted Maiden or Term races will be allocated a MRA rating of not less than 55 points.</p> <p><u>Regulation 46.1</u></p> <p>Referee Laboratories (Approved by MRA)</p> <p>.1 Analysis of Equine Referee Samples (10/12/07)</p> <p>.1 The Hong Kong Jockey Club Laboratory Sha Tin Racecourse N.T., Hong Kong</p> <p>.2 Racing Analytical Services Ltd 400 Epsom Road Flemington Victoria 3031 Australia</p> <p>.3 LGC Limited Newmarket Road Fordham, Cambridgeshire United Kingdom CB7 5WW</p> <p>.4 Australian Racing Forensic Laboratory Royal Randwick Racecourse Alison Road NSW 2033 Australia</p> <p>.5 Laboratoire des Courses Hippiques 15 rue de Paradis 91370 verrieres le Buisson France</p>

2 Please note that the full set of the MRA Rules of Racing can be downloaded from the MRA website at www.malayan-racing.com.

Best Regards.



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