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GRSA BOARD REVIEW – CONDITIONS OF DISQUALIFICATION

On Monday, 22 August 2016, Trainer Mr. Kenneth Newlyn was disqualified for a period of six (6) months and fined \$2000 after pleading guilty to a charge under GAR 83(2) which reads:

The owner, trainer or person in charge of a greyhound –

(a) nominated to compete in an event;

shall present the greyhound free from any prohibited substance

(3) The owner, trainer or person in charge of a greyhound presented contrary to sub-rule (2) shall be guilty of an offence.

Mr. Newlyn lodged an appeal to the GRSA Board and provided correspondence citing extenuating circumstances in relation to him being able to remain at his home address which is also a registered kennel address.

The Board considered Mr. Newlyn's application and exercised their powers under LR(SA) 5(2)(h) to alter the conditions of his penalty to allow him to continue to reside at that address. However, strict conditions have been imposed regarding access to training or racing related areas of the property.

It should also be noted that all other effects of disqualification under GAR 99 will stand.

Mr. Newlyn's disqualification period commenced at midnight on Sunday, 4 September 2016.

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