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## **DECISION**

### **RACING VICTORIA STEWARDS and DANIELLE LOOS**

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Date of Hearing 13 February 2018

Panel Judge Bowman (Chair)

Appearances Stephen Schmidhofer appeared on behalf of the stewards.  
Danielle Loos was self-represented.

Charge 1 AR 178

*Subject to AR 778G, when any horse that has been brought to a racecourse for the purpose of engaging in a race and a prohibited substance is detected in any sample taken from it prior to or following its running in any race, the trainer and any other person who was in charge of such horse at any relevant time may be penalised.*

The particulars are that a prohibited substance, being Triamcinolone Acetonide (a corticosteroid), was detected in a pre-race blood sample taken from the horse *Anemoui* prior to it running in Race 2 at Caulfield on 18 October 2017.

Charge 2 AR 178F(1)

*(1) A trainer must record treatment and medication administered to each horse in his or her care by midnight on the day on which the administration was given, and each record must include the following information:*

- (a) the name of the horse;*
- (b) the date and time of administration of the treatment or medication;*
- (c) the name of the treatment or medication administered (brand name or active constituent);*
- (d) the route of administration including by injection, stomach tube, paste, topical application or inhalation);*
- (e) the amount of medication given (if applicable);*
- (f) the duration of a treatment (if applicable);*
- (g) the name and signature of person or persons administering and/or authorizing the administration of the treatment or medication.*

The particulars are that Ms Loos failed to record the administration of the medication Triamcinolone Acetonide (Kenocourt) by a veterinary practitioner to *Anemoi* on 7 October 2017, in accordance with the requirements of AR 178F(1).

**Plea**

Charges 1 and 2 - guilty.

**Decision**

Charge 1 - Ms Loos convicted and fined \$3,000.

Charge 2 - Ms Loos convicted and fined \$500.

A total fine of \$3,500 - payment terms 60 days.

Pursuant to AR 177, *Anemoi* is disqualified from Race 2 at Caulfield on 18 October 2017 and the places amended accordingly.

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Registrar  
Racing Appeals and Disciplinary Board