



HEARING RESULT

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FROM: Registrar – Racing Appeals and Disciplinary Board

DATE: 31 July 2015

SUBJECT: **HEARING RESULT – STABLE EMPLOYEE: DANIEL SCHMITT**

Heard By Mr Brian Forrest (Acting Chair).

Appearances Mr Schmitt appeared on his own behalf.
Mr Dayle Brown appeared on behalf of the stewards.

Charge Two breaches of AR 175A

Any person bound by these Rules who either within a racecourse or elsewhere in the opinion of the Committee of any Club or the Stewards has been guilty of conduct prejudicial to the image, or interests, or welfare of racing may be penalised.

The charges relating to tweets published by Mr Schmitt.

Plea Guilty – both charges.

Decision The Board finds both charges proved with convictions recorded.

The Board orders that Mr Schmitt write letters unreservedly apologising to Mr Adam Goodes and Mr Bachar Houli via their respective AFL Clubs (in relation to Charge 1) and to the Chairman of Stewards Mr Terry Bailey (in relation to Charge 2) within 14 days of today's hearing.

If Mr Schmitt does not comply with this order the Board will reconvene to consider penalty otherwise the matter will be concluded.