

RACING APPEALS AND DISCIPLINARY BOARD

APPEAL DECISION

DANIEL MOOR

and

RACING VICTORIA STEWARDS

Date of Hearing:	3 October 2016
Heard By:	Judge Bowman (Chair)
<u>Appearances:</u>	Mr Corie Waller appeared on behalf of the stewards. Mr Moor appeared on his own behalf.

At Mornington on Wednesday 28 September 2016, jockey Daniel Moor was found guilty of a charge of careless riding on his mount *Shozelt* in Race 1 the *Ladbrokes.com.au Plate* (2025m).

The careless riding being that passing the 1500 metres he permitted his mount to shift in when insufficiently clear of *Delle Donne*, which had to be steadied. *Delle Donne* then raced close to the heels of *Shozelt (NZ)* for several strides before clipping that fillies heels shortly after.

Daniel Moor had his licence to ride in races suspended for a period to commence at midnight on Saturday, 1 October 2016 and to expire at midnight on Monday, 10 October 2016 – a total of 10 race meetings (2 metro, 8 provincial).

In assessing penalty Stewards were of the view that the incident qualified for the low end of the mid-range category of carelessness and took into account his good riding record, and the circumstances surrounding the incident

A Notice of Appeal against **the decision and severity of the penalty** was lodged on Wednesday, 28 September 2016. A stay of proceedings was not requested.

DECISION: Appeal against conviction dismissed. Appeal against severity of penalty allowed.

The period of suspension will now expire at the completion of the meeting at Hamilton on Friday, 7 October 2016 – a total of 6 race meetings.