



HEARING RESULT

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SUBJECT: **HEARING RESULT – TRAINER: DARYL BLACKSHAW**

Panel Judge Bowman (Chair), Mr Darren McGee, Mr Shaun Ryan.

Appearances Mr Daniel Bolkunowicz appeared as counsel for the stewards.
Mr John Verhoeven appeared as counsel for Mr Blackshaw.

Charge Breach of AR 178

Subject to AR 178G, 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 charge relates to a prohibited substance, being Diclofenac, which was detected in a post-race urine sample taken from the horse *Gallant Spur* following its running in Race 5 at Traralgon on 6 December 2015.

Plea Guilty.

Decision The Board finds the charge proved but with no penalty imposed or conviction recorded.

Pursuant to AR 177, *Gallant Spur* must be and is disqualified from Race 5 at Traralgon on 6 December 2015 and the places amended accordingly.

Georgie Gavin
Registrar - Racing Appeals and Disciplinary Board