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Senior Judges Report

Name of Track	Rideau Carleton		Ottawa		
Date	Sunday, 16 Dec 2018		Post Time	18:30	
Weather	Race 1 - 15: Clear (Temp: -2 deg. C)				
Track Condition	Race 1 - 15: Fast (Variant 0 secs)				
Number of Races	15	Qualifying races	0	Total Entries	133/139
Mutual Handle	\$270,397				
Contact Vet	Paddock Meeting	Track Maintenance Meeting	Investigator Visit	Outgoing Senior Judge Update	

Senior Judge	Associate Judge	Associate Judge
Weber, Michael	Coles, Sharla	Frenette, Ben

Report on day's events:

(Accidents, claims, fines and/or suspensions, objections and/or disqualifications, refunds and any other pertinent incidents)

Office:

- Meeting with General Manager Peter Andrusek and NCRHHA President Gordon McDonald regarding the Rideau condition sheet and eligibility.

Races:

- Robert Robinson excused from one drive.
1. Reviewed breaking horses before and after the start, #3 TLF BEWARE (Darrell Coville) and #6 IRISH MASTER (Guy Gagnon) broke before the start, were inside the fair start pole and did receive a fair start; #8 TEA BOWL (Stephane Brosseau) broke before the start, was not inside the fair start pole and was a mutual refund (AGCO rule 22.03 (I)) in the amount of \$1578; #1 THE BACK NINE (Marie-Claude Auger) suffered broken equipment (buxton) before the ¼ mile pole and finished 1st with broken equipment. Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/UN7aYGnpFFq>

2. Inquiry and driver's objection #2 BIG BAD MACH (Darcy Clancy) against #6 GROOMED (Pascal Berube) before the ¼ mile pole concerning possible interference which was not supported by the video, objection disallowed. #1 NORTHERN REBEL (Richard Simard) broke before the ¼ mile pole and then suffered broken equipment (hobble) and pulled up (did not finish); while off stride #1 did cause interference to #2 (charted with an interference break) who while off stride did cause interference to #5 HEAVEN FOR SURE and #6 GROOMED (no placing necessary). Clear.

Video: <https://youtu.be/E1mledlowr4>

3. Clear.
4. Clear.
5. Clear.
6. Clear.
7. Inquiry on #3 RAISING RICHARD (Darrell Coville) who finished 4th around the last turn relative to AGCO rule 18.08.02 (leaving the course), #3 was inside one pylon, hit the next pylon and was inside the third pylon, no violations. Clear.
Video: <https://youtu.be/gEF908EHAVc>
8. Clear.
9. Clear.
10. Reviewed #7 AIR GLIDER (Darrell Coville) who finished 6th around the last turn; #7 was inside one pylon and hit the next two pylons, no violations. Clear.
11. Clear.
12. Reviewed break by #1 HP PATRIOTE (Richard Simard) before the start, #1 did receive a fair start and did not cause interference to #9 BESTOFBEST HANOVER. Clear.
13. Reviewed the start of #6 OK JASMINE (Stephane Pouliot) regarding broken equipment (buxton) which was determined to have occurred after the start. Clear.
14. JANN AND DEAN #6 broke before the ¾ mile pole and pulled up, the AGCO veterinarian Dr. L. Atack-Berthiaume examined the horse after the race and placed #6 on the long-term veterinarian's list (lame), #6 qualifies for performance (trainer notified). Clear.
15. Breathalyzer retest. Reviewed racing before the ½ mile pole, #2 MUSSELSFRMBRUSSELS (Gary McDonald) who finished 4th was inside one pylon and hit the following pylon, no violations. Clear.

Claims:

- 6 #1 BEST TO HURST (1 claim) for \$7,000 by Sylvain Cote (S. Cote trainer).
- 9 #7 CHEYENNE MOISHE (1 claim) for \$15,000 by Copley Stables & Dean Larkin (Jamie Copley trainer).
- 13 #2 STONEBRIDGE FOCUS (1 claim) for \$12,500 by Copley Stables & Dean Larkin (Jamie Copley trainer).