



20 December 2018

NOTICE OF INQUIRY RESULT

STEWARDS: L.G. Michalanney, D. Jonas, J. Evans,

On Tuesday 18 December, 2018, Greyhound Racing South Australia (GRSA) Stewards opened an inquiry following a report from GRSA Officials following a kennel inspection at the registered kennel address of Trainer Mr. Simon Gesler on Tuesday 4 December, 2018.

Mr. Gesler had previously pleaded not guilty to a charge under GAR 86(ag) which reads:

A person (including an official) shall be guilty of an offence if the person-fails to comply with a policy adopted by a Controlling Body

Mr. Gesler had been issued with a disqualification that would come into effect if he failed to comply with the policy going forward. He was given a period of 28 days to rectify the issues and fully comply with the directions.

Stewards gave Mr. Gesler the opportunity to show cause as to why they should not invoke the disqualification. After considering all the evidence before them Stewards were of the opinion that Mr. Gesler had again failed to comply with The South Australian Greyhound Industry Animal Welfare Policy. He had also failed to comply with a number of directions in relation to his licence.

Consequently, Mr. Gesler was disqualified for a period of six (6) months. The disqualification commenced at midnight on Wednesday 19 December, 2018.

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