

Tuesday, 29 November 2022

## Stewards' Notice

### Integrity Hearings Panel

#### Determination of Inquiry - Mr Oswald Chegia

**On Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022, Greyhound Racing SA Integrity Hearings Panel (IHP) heard and determined an Inquiry with respect to the detection of a prohibited substance in greyhounds trained by Mr Oswald Chegia.**

The IHP heard six (6) charges of breaches of (then) rule 83 of the Greyhounds Australasia Rules, to present greyhounds not free of a prohibited substance namely caffeine (and its metabolites theophylline, paraxanthine and theobromine).

The IHP penalised Mr Chegia by way of a suspension for 3-months, effective from 22<sup>nd</sup> August 2022, being the date of the original suspension by Stewards.

All greyhounds subject to the charges were disqualified from their respective events, with associated prizemoney forfeited. That prizemoney will be re-distributed pursuant to the amended placings.

The IHP will publish reasons in due course.

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