



Wednesday, 27 December 2023

## Stewards' Notice

### Stewards' Inquiry

#### Determination of Inquiry – 235756

**On 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023, Greyhound Racing SA Stewards heard and determined an Inquiry with respect to the abandonment of greyhounds 493404 and 497143.**

Stewards conducted an Inquiry relating to the alleged relinquishment of the greyhounds 493404 and 497143 on or about 5<sup>th</sup> May 2023. 235756 contacted another registered person about the end of April 2023, and asked if they could keep the greyhounds for about a week. They agreed and took possession of the greyhounds. 235756 never returned and could not be contacted by the other person. The other person contacted Greyhound Racing SA about the matter on 5<sup>th</sup> May 2023. 235756 does not, according to records, ordinarily reside in South Australia. The greyhounds were retired to the Greyhounds As Pets SA program in good condition.

Stewards heard the Inquiry on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023. 235756 did not attend. At the time of the Inquiry, 235756 did not hold a current registration with respect to greyhound racing.

Stewards found sufficient evidence to charge 235756 with –

That between the 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2023 and the 5<sup>th</sup> day of May 2023, at [redacted] in South Australia, RS –

- (1) Ill-treated greyhounds (Local Rule 131); and,
- (2) Failed to comply with the provisions of Local Rule 130 (formally Local Rule 114) in relation to the proper retirement and rehoming of greyhounds (Local Rule 130).

Stewards found those charge substantiated. Pursuant to Local Rule 134, the Integrity Hearings Panel must hear and determine the charges to a conclusion. Consequently, acting under rule 13(1)(j), Greyhounds Australasia Rules, 235756 is warned off until he attends an Inquiry in relation to the offences.

*Further details may be provided for authorised purposes, upon application to Greyhound Racing SA by other Controlling Bodies or related entities.*

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