

Stewards' Report

Stewards Report: Mr Ben Gordon (Track rider)

Date: 22 August 2020

Panel: P Gillard

Queensland Racing Integrity Commission (QRIC) Steward Mr P. Gillard today inquired into the reason track rider Mr B. Gordon rode trackwork at the Gold Coast Turf Club between 1 August 2020 and 18 August 2020, when not the holder of the appropriate licence to do so. After hearing and considering all submissions Mr Gordon pleaded guilty to a charge under;

LR7(b) which reads;

LR7(b) Licensing

A person shall not:

(b) ride a horse in any race, Trial or trackwork;

unless that person is the holder of a current appropriate Licence, permit or registration issued by the Principal Racing Authority.

The specifics of the charge being that Mr Gordon did ride trackwork at the Gold Coast Turf Club between 1 August 2020 and 18 August 2020 when not the holder of a current and appropriate licence to do so. Mr Gordon was fined the sum of \$200.

Mr Gordon was made aware of his right to an appeal against the findings of the Steward.