

Stewards' Report

Stewards Report: Trainer Mr. Troy Pascoe

Date: 28th March 2023

Panel: Clayton Warren & Sharon Coulthard

Queensland Racing Integrity Commission (QRIC) Stewards today concluded an inquiry into an incident concerning Trainer Mr T Pascoe's conduct in the mounting yard at Warwick Turf Club on the 14th of March 2023.

After considering all of the evidence including Sky Channel footage of the incident Mr Pascoe was issued with a charge pursuant to AR228(a) which reads:

A person must not engage in:

(a) Conduct prejudicial to the image, interest, integrity, or welfare of racing, whether or not that conduct takes place within a racecourse or elsewhere.

The particulars of the charge being that Mr Troy Pascoe, as the Trainer of Apache Flash, whilst parading that runner in the Warwick Turf Club mounting yard on the 14th of March 2023, did do so in a manner which was determined by Stewards to be unwarranted and constituted conduct prejudicial to the image, interest, integrity and welfare of racing.

Mr Pascoe was found guilty of the charge and fined the sum of \$300.00.

In determining penalty Stewards were mindful that the breach did not constitute any malice on behalf of Mr Pascoe as well as Mr Pascoe's excellent record in relation to the rule. However, Stewards were ever cognisant of the fact the act was unwarranted as well as detrimental to the wider public's perception of the industry.

Mr Pascoe was advised of his right to an internal review.