

Waverley RC 15 November 2020 - R 9 - Chair, Mr N McCutcheon

Rules:

[638\(1\)\(d\)](#)

Name(s):

Mr M Kareem - Rider of RANGITATA
Ms K Clapperton - Apprentice Riding Mentor assisting Mr Kareem
Mr M Williamson - Senior Stipendiary Steward

Charge:

Facts:

admitted

Following the running of Race 9 (CR Grace/Tony Wilson Livestock 1650), Information A14109 was lodged with the Judicial Committee. It was alleged that Mr Kareem allowed his mount RANGITATA to shift in near the 800m when not sufficiently clear of ZENA BELLE which was forced in, crowding SASSENACH which was checked.

Mr Kareem said that he understood the Charge, the Rule and confirmed that he admitted the breach.

Mr Goodwin showed the film replays and said that Mr Kareem went from a 3-wide position to one-off the fence when not clear. This resulted in ZENA BELLE being forced onto SASSENACH which was checked.

Mr Kareem said that his mount did roll in a bit.

Ms Clapperton said that perhaps SASSENACH was back in a blind spot and that Mr Kareem was not aware that the horse was still there when he shifted.

Decision:

As the charge was admitted together with the clear film evidence it was found proved.