

Stewards Investigation/ Hearing Report

1 December 2015

Date of Hearing: 16 November 2015
Venue of Hearing: Traralgon Greyhound Racing Club
Name: Charles Dobson
Suburb: Hazelwood North
GAR: 108
Offence: Failed to ensure that greyhounds under his care and custody did not stray onto private property.
Officiating Stewards: Mr. Greg Huntington, Mr. Russel Colquhoun

REPORT

Stewards on 16 November 2015 conducted an inquiry into an incident that occurred at the property of Mr Charles Dobson of Hazelwood North on 31 August 2015 whereby a greyhound under his care and custody has escaped its enclosure and attacked livestock in a neighbouring property.

Stewards heard evidence from Mr Charles Dobson, Greyhound Racing Victoria Animal Welfare Officer Ms. Fiona Currie and personnel from Latrobe City Council.

After hearing the evidence, Stewards charged Mr Dobson with a breach of GAR 108 in that he failed to ensure that greyhounds under his care and custody did not stray onto private property.

Mr Dobson pleaded guilty to the charge

Stewards found Mr Dobson guilty as charged and fined him the sum of \$500 with \$200 suspended for 12 months pending no further breaches of GAR 108.

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Greg Huntington
Manager Investigations Unit.

NB: Steward Investigation/Hearing decisions are subject to Appeal under the Rules of Greyhound Racing.