GREYHOUND RACING INTEGRITY & WELFARE

Investigative Stewards Hearing Report

Thursday, 5 March 2026

Date of Hearing:	Wednesday, 4 March 2026
Venue of Hearing:	Kennel address of Mr Terence Bailey
Name:	Mr Terence Bailey
Date of offence:	Thursday, 12 February 2026

Rule: **Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)**

Rule: **Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 151(1)**

Officiating Investigative Stewards: Mr Joshua Goldenberg (Chairman) & Ms Maria Petrova

REPORT

On Thursday, 12 February 2026, Investigative Stewards conducted an inspection of Mr Terence Bailey's registered kennel address, during which several deficiencies were identified. A Stewards Inquiry was convened later that same day in response to the matters observed during the inspection.

On Wednesday, 4 March 2026, Investigative Stewards held a Stewards Hearing with Mr Bailey to consider six (6) charges as follows:

CHARGE 1

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)

Failing to comply with the Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds, section 6.7.6 (Construction of housing pens and yards), in that Mr Bailey did not provide his greyhounds with beds and bedding that were soft, dry, and warm.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

CHARGE 2

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)

Failing to comply with the Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds, section 6.7.2 (Minimum housing requirements), in that Mr Bailey did not maintain his outdoor yards in a clean and hygienic condition.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

CHARGE 3

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)

Failing to comply with the Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds, section 6.2.2 (Vaccination and parasite prevention), in that Mr Bailey did not satisfactorily administer preventative treatment for external parasites, specifically fleas, to the greyhounds located in outdoor yards.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

CHARGE 4

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)

Failing to comply with the Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds, section 6.1.1 (Food), in that the cleanliness and hygiene of Mr Bailey's food preparation area were inadequate.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

CHARGE 5

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 156(w)

Failing to comply with the Code of Practice for the Keeping of Racing Greyhounds, section 4.5 (Security), in that Mr Bailey did not ensure his establishment securely confined all greyhounds, resulting in multiple escapes from the property.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

CHARGE 6

Greyhounds Australasia Rules (GAR) 151(1)

Failing to ensure satisfactory written records detailing all vaccinations, antiparasitics, and treatments administered to the greyhounds in his care.

Mr Bailey pleaded guilty to the charge.

PENALTY

Charge 1

- 3-month suspension wholly suspended for 12 months.

Charge 2

- Fine of $250, with $150 suspended for 12 months.

Charge 3

- Fine of $250, wholly suspended for 12 months.

Charge 4

- Mr Bailey was provided with education and reminded of his responsibilities to ensure that all food is prepared in hygienic areas that are thoroughly cleaned and disinfected after use.

Charge 5

- Fine of $300, with $150 suspended for 12 months.

Charge 6

- Fine of $150.

In determining the penalty, Investigative Stewards considered the following factors namely:

- Mr Bailey's explanation concerning the incident.
- Mr Bailey's guilty pleas to all charges.
- Mr Bailey's prior disciplinary history.
- Mr Bailey's prompt action to address the identified deficiencies and his cooperation with Investigative Stewards.
- Specific and general deterrence

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