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TOTALIZATOR ACT 1916—RULE

(Relating to Superfecta totalizators)

NEW SOUTH WALES



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HIS Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, and in pursuance of the Totalizator Act 1916, has been pleased to make the Rule set forth hereunder.

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Minister for Sport, Recreation and Racing.

Commencement

1. This Rule commences on 14th December 1990.

Amendment

2. The Superfecta Totalizator Rule 1986 is amended by omitting clause 18 and by inserting instead the following clause:

Dead heats

18. (1) If 2 or more finishers dead heat for any of the first 6 places:

- (a) each of those finishers is taken to have filled that place and each subsequent place up to the number of subsequent places corresponding to one less than the number of finishers involved in the dead heat; and
- (b) the dividend pool, consolation pool or golden superfecta pool is to be divided into as many equal sub-pools as there are winning groups, other than groups that have not been selected by any investor; and

(c) the amount contained in a sub-pool so created is to be paid to investors in accordance with clause 15, 16 or 17 as if the sub-pool were a dividend pool, consolation pool or golden superfecta pool.

(2) In this clause, a reference to a winning group, in relation to a dividend pool, consolation pool or golden superfecta pool, is a reference:

- (a) except as provided by paragraph (b)—to one of 2 or more winning permutations of finishers (that is, groups of finishers selected in correct order); or
- (b) in relation to a proposed payment under clause 17(2)(c)—to one of 2 or more winning combinations of finishers (that is, groups of finishers selected in any order),

such that the investors in any one such group would (were that group to be the only such group) be entitled to payment from the pool in accordance with clause 15, 16 or 17.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

The object of this Rule is to amend the Superfecta Totalizator Rule 1986 so as to vary the provisions of that Rule with respect to payments from dividend pools, consolation pools and golden superfecta pools in circumstances involving a dead heat among the first 6 places in a superfecta race. In those circumstances, it is intended that the relevant pool be divided into as many equal sub-pools as there are winning groups arising from the dead heat, excluding any group that has not been selected by at least one investor, and that each sub-pool so created be divided among the investors as if the sub-pool were itself a dividend pool, consolation pool or golden superfecta pool.
