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SINGAPORE TOTALISATOR BOARD ACT (CHAPTER 305A)

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Pursuant to section 11(5) of the Singapore Totalisator Board Act, it is hereby notified for general information that the Singapore Totalisator Board has, with the approval of Mr Raymond Lim Siang Keat, Senior Minister of State, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, charged with the responsibility of the Second Minister for Finance, varied the Singapore Totalisator Scheme, with effect from 1st April 2005, in the manner set out in paragraphs 2 and 3.

2. Paragraph 21 in Part IV to the Singapore Totalisator Scheme (Sch 1) is deleted and the following paragraphs substituted therefor:

““21.1. Except as provided under paragraph 18, dividends will be calculated from the total investments of each pool registered on the Board’s or its agent’s official record. Pools from investment on each bet type shall be calculated separately.

21.2 (a) Sub
ject to sub-
paragraph (b),
from each of these
pools there shall
be deducted the
amount of any

duty charged
under the Betting
and Sweepstake
Duties Act
(Chapter 22) and
the amount of the
Board's
commission in
accordance with
section 12 of the
Act and any other
Government tax.

- (b) In the case of betting on a totalisator in connection with any horse race, the amount of duty charged under the Betting and Sweepstake Duties Act shall not be deducted from each of these pools.

21.3 The amount of dividend payable in respect of an investment shall be calculated in accordance with the By-laws. The Board may, however, from time to time and at its discretion declare a minimum dividend in respect of an investment.”.

3. The Schedule to the Singapore Totalisator Scheme is varied —

(by inserting, immediately after the word “Parliament” at the end of paragraph 1.16 of Part I, the following words:

a)

“, except that, in the case of betting on a totalisator in connection with any horse race, the term shall not include the amount of duty charged under the Betting and Sweepstake Duties Act in respect of such betting”.

(by inserting, immediately after by-law 2.29 in Part II, the following by-law:

b)

“**2.29A.** The Club may declare a minimum guaranteed net pool amount for a particular pool or pools. In the event that the net pool is less than the minimum guaranteed amount, the Club shall increase the net pool to the minimum guaranteed amount before the net pool is divided in accordance with the By-laws.”;

(by inserting, immediately after regulation 12 in Part III, the following regulation:

c)

“**12A.** *Triple Trio Betting Regulations*

- (12A. “Triple Trio” means the type of betting where the investor has to select the 1st, 2nd and 3rd
1) horses, regardless of the finishing order of the investor’s selections, in each of three races nominated by the Club. The winning combination is the selection of the 1st, 2nd and 3rd horses, regardless of their finishing order, in the 1st leg, the 2nd leg and the 3rd leg.

(12A. For insufficient starters, the following shall apply:
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- (12A.2.1) If there are less than 4 starters in all legs, there will be no Triple Trio pool.
 - (12A.2.2) If there are less than 4 starters in any leg, the jackpot allocated to the Triple Trio pool will not form part of the net pool but shall be carried forward as jackpot to the next pool unless otherwise decided by the Board.
 - (12A.2.3) If there are less than 4 starters in two legs, pay 1st, 2nd and 3rd horses in any order in the remaining leg.
 - (12A.2.4) If there are less than 4 starters in one leg, pay 1st, 2nd and 3rd horses in any order in the other two legs.
- (12A.3) Withdrawal
- (12A.3.1) In the event of a withdrawal in any leg of the Triple Trio, no refunds will be made and the favourite in the leg in which a withdrawal occurs will be substituted for the withdrawn horse in each bet combination unless an investor has included the favourite in his original bet combination in which event the investor's original bet combination will be deemed to have included the 2nd favourite in lieu of the withdrawn horse. If the investor's original bet combination included both the favourite and the 2nd favourite, the investor's original bet combination will be deemed to have included the 3rd favourite in lieu of the withdrawn horse.
 - (12A.3.2) In the event of two withdrawals in any leg of the Triple Trio, the favourite and the 2nd favourite in the leg will be substituted for the withdrawn horses unless an investor has included the favourite or the 2nd favourite in his original bet combination in which event the investor's original bet combination will be deemed to have been the 2nd favourite and the 3rd favourite or the favourite and the 3rd favourite, as the case may be, in lieu of the withdrawn horses.
 - (12A.3.3) In the event of three withdrawals in a leg of the Triple Trio, the favourite, the 2nd favourite and the 3rd favourite in the leg will be substituted for the withdrawn horses.
- (12A.4) Dead-Heats
- (12A.4.1) In the event of a dead-heat for 1st place in the 1st leg, say, horses No. 4 and 8, horse No. 10 is 3rd in the 1st leg, horses No. 6, 9 and 2 are 1st, 2nd and 3rd respectively in the 2nd leg, and horses No. 8, 6 and 1 are 1st, 2nd and 3rd respectively in the 3rd leg, the winning combination is:
horses No. 4, 8 and 10/horses No. 2, 6 and 9/horses No. 1, 6 and 8.
 - (12A.4.2) In the event of a dead-heat for 2nd place in the 1st leg, say, horse No. 4 is 1st in the 1st leg, horses No. 8 and 10 running dead-heat for 2nd place in the 1st leg,