

GREYHOUND WELFARE & INTEGRITY COMMISSION DISCIPLINARY ACTION DECISION

| Date of decision: | 16 January 2025 |
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| Decision-makers: | Senior Steward Zane Turner |
| Name of relevant person: | Mr. Mark Newham |
| Track: | N/A |
| Rule no.: | Rule 169(5)(c) |
| Disciplinary action taken: | To impose an interim suspension on Mr. Newham pending the finalisation of the Commission's inquiry into his fitness to be registered as a participant in the greyhound racing industry. |
| REPORT: | |
| The Commission has commenced an inquiry into Mr. Newham's fitness to be registered as a participant in the greyhound racing industry, as a result of charges issued against him by NSW Police. | |
| After considering the evidence currently before the Commission and providing Mr. Newham the opportunity to make submissions, the Commission imposed an interim suspension upon Mr. Newham pending the finalisation of the inquiry into this matter, pursuant to Rule 169(5)(c) of the Greyhound Racing Rules. | |
| In addition, pursuant to Local Rule 178D(1)(b)(i) of the Greyhound Racing Rules, the Commission has imposed a restriction on Mr. Newham's registrations, prohibiting him from entering any racecourse or place under the control of any Club or the Controlling Body | |
| The investigation into this matter is ongoing. | |
| Mr. Newham was advised of his internal review and appeal rights. | |
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