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## SPECIAL SUPPLEMENT

### TOTALIZATOR ACT 1997

#### TAB LIMITED TOTALIZATOR RULES

In accordance with the provision of section 54(1) of the *Totalizator Act 1997*, the Minister for Gaming and Racing has approved of amendments to the Totalizator Rules. The amendments, to commence on date of gazettal, are as follows:

#### 1.2 Commencement

Delete Rule 1.2 and replace with the following:

These rules commence on 15 August 2005 (as amended from time to time by notice in the Government Gazette).

#### 1.5 Definitions

Replace the definition for “**all-up betting**” with the following:

“**all-up bet**” means:

- (a) a parlay bet with a formula number that is equal to the number of races within that parlay bet; or
- (b) a bet:
  - (i) made on the chance of winning a series of bets made on a series of win and place totalizators or other totalizators as determined by TAB; and
  - (ii) in which the amount of the bet in respect of the second or any subsequent totalizator is the amount of the dividend or refund (if any) on the previous totalizator;

Delete the definition for “**all-up betting record**”

Replace the definition for “**device bet**” with the following:

“**device bet**” means a bet where the details of the bet are instructed by way of a device or electronic data transfer means including by:

- (a) use of a telephone and interactive voice recognition or by a telephone keypad;  
or
- (b) use of a computer and the Internet;  
or by any other technology means approved by TAB from time to time;

After “**doubles totalizator**” insert the following new definitions:

“**duet race**” means a race on which a duet totalizator is conducted;

“**duet totalizator**” means a totalizator for persons to bet on a race with a view to successfully predicting, regardless of order, any two of the contestants that will place first, second and third in the race;

Delete the definition for “**first 4 jackpot allocation table**”

After “**first 4 totalizator**” insert the following new definition:

“**formula number**” means the number of races within the parley bet that must result in a dividend or refund in order for the parlay bet to be successful;

After “**operator services terminal**” insert the following definitions:

“**parlay bet**” means a bet in respect of which any resultant dividend or refund shall be reinvested in a subsequent totalizator or totalizators at the same meeting in accordance with the investor’s instructions given at the time of investment;

“**parlay betting record**” means a parlay betting record established under clause 15.1;

“**parlay re-investment**” means the amount of dividend or refund (if any) reinvested on the second or any subsequent totalizator within a parlay bet;

Delete the current definition for “**succeeding first 4 race**” and replace with the following:

“**succeeding first 4 race**” means, in relation to a first 4 race (“**initial first 4 race**”):

- (a) the next first 4 race (if any) conducted on the same day and at the same race meeting as the initial first 4 race; or if there is none,
- (b) the next first 4 race at a meeting selected by the TAB and within the same meeting class as defined in the jackpot allocation table;

Delete the current definition for “**USA racing event**” and replace with the following:

“**USA racing event**” - see clause 16.1.1;

#### **Amendment of Rule 2.4.2**

Delete current Rule 2.4.2 and replace with the following:

- 2.4.2 any greater amounts invested on a totalizator must be a multiple of the relevant single unit of investment for that totalizator type:

totalizator type	unit of investment
Racing	\$0.50
FootyTAB sports betting events	\$1.00

**Amendment to Rule 2.6.5**

Delete Rule 2.6.5(b)(vi) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (vi) if a doubles bet, at any time up until the start of the race prior to the first leg of the double or if the double involves the first race of the meeting covered by TAB, at any time up until 30 minutes prior to the advertised start of the race; or

**Amendment to Rule 2.7.1**

Delete Rule 2.7.1(a)(i) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (i) the number of the betting account against which the bet is to be debited and (if required by the TAB operator accepting the bet) the PIN allocated to that account; and

**Amendment to Rule 2.8.1**

Delete Rule 2.8.1(a)(i) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (i) the number of the betting account against which the bet is to be debited and the PIN and/or password allocated to that account; and

**Amendment to Rule 2.9.2**

Delete Rule 2.9.2(d) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (d) A person who establishes a betting account will be notified by TAB, or the racing club of the betting account number.

**Amendment to Rule 3.1**

Delete Rule 3.1.2 and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- 3.1.2 a reference to the winning team or final score for the relevant footyTAB totalizators is as set out in clause 17.2.

**Amendment to Rule 3.7**

Delete Rule 3.7.2 and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- 3.7.2 After investigating the claim, TAB, or the racing club as applicable:
  - (a) must notify the claimant of its decision; and
  - (b) may pay such dividend or refund to the claimant as to TAB, or the racing club, appears just and reasonable; and
  - (c) if the dividend that was calculated and declared did not include the claimant's investment, and that dividend exceeds, by more than \$1000.00, the dividend that would have been declared had the dividend be recalculated to include the claimant's investment, then the dividend that applies for the purpose of the claim will be the recalculated dividend that includes the claimant's investment; and
  - (d) such amounts that are paid to the claimant shall exclude any refund or credit given to the claimant in respect of the claimant's Investment under any other provision of these Rules.

**Amendment to Rule 3.9**

Delete Rule 3.9 and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

**3.9 Lost, destroyed, mutilated and stolen ticket claims**

- 3.9.1. Claims for dividends or refunds in respect of lost, destroyed, mutilated or stolen betting tickets must be lodged within 14 days of the respective race meeting or sports

betting event unless the claimant can provide a reason to the satisfaction of TAB for the delay in lodging the claim. Claims may be lodged at any TAB outlet. Where a claim is made:

- (a) TAB may charge the claimant a claim investigation fee, as determined by TAB from time to time, to investigate the claim; and
  - (b) a statutory declaration from the claimant in the form and containing the information as TAB requires must accompany the claim; and
  - (c) the claim will not be investigated prior to the occurrence of the respective race or sports betting event and the ticket becoming dividend or refund bearing unless:
    - (i) the ticket investment value exceeds \$100.00; or
    - (ii) in the case of a claim for a stolen ticket, the claimant has reported the theft to the police; and
  - (d) the claimant will receive written acknowledgment of receipt of their claim within 21 days of the claim being received by TAB; and
  - (e) TAB may stop payment on the ticket pending the outcome of its investigation.
- 3.9.2 Following investigation by TAB of the claim for the lost, destroyed, mutilated or stolen betting ticket, if TAB is satisfied that the claimant is entitled to payment of a dividend or refund on the betting ticket then:

- (a) approved claims will be settled by:
  - (i) voucher payable at any TAB cash sales outlet, except for amounts greater than \$500 (Five Hundred Dollars);
  - (ii) cheque in favour of the claimant; or
  - (iii) deposit to the claimant's nominated betting account; and
- (b) TAB will immediately record the cancellation of the ticket.

#### **Amendments to Rule 4.2**

Delete Rule 4.2.2(b)(iv) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (iv) the money is invested on a parlay bet and clause 15.2 applies.

Delete Rule 4.2.3(b) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (b) Subclause (a) applies unless:
  - (i) clause 11 applies in respect of a doubles totalizator; or
  - (ii) clause 13 applies in respect of a quaddie totalizator.

Delete Rule 4.2.4(a) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (a) in the case of win and place, quinella, duet, exacta and doubles totalizators, the dividend pool must be refunded to the investors; and

#### **Amendment to Rule 11.2**

Delete Rule 11.2(b) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (b) must be terminated if the number of contestants in each leg of the double falls below 2 at any time or if there are no finishers in each leg of the double.

**Amendment to Rule 11.3**

Delete Rule 11.3.4(a) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (a) If a first leg is abandoned, postponed to another date, declared a no-race or is a walkover (whether or not it may be re-run later in a program) the doubles dividend pool is to be divided among the investors on the winner of the second leg.

Delete Rule 11.3.5(a) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (a) If a second leg is abandoned, postponed to another date, declared a no-race or is a walkover (whether or not it may be re-run later in a program) the doubles dividend pool is to be divided among the investors on the winner of the first leg.

**Amendment to Rule 13.2**

Delete Rule 13.2(b) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (b) must be terminated if the number of contestants in each race of the quaddie falls below 2 at any time or if there are no finishers in each race of the quaddie.

**Amendment to Rule 13.3**

Delete Rule 13.3.5(a) and replace with a new rule in the following terms:

- (a) Where any race in a quaddie is abandoned, postponed until another day, declared a no-race or is a walkover (whether or not it may be re-run later in a program), all selections on that race will be deemed to be first placed finishers and the quaddie dividend pool will be divided on that basis.

Delete Rule 13.3.5(c)

**Delete Rule 14 and replace with a new Rule in the following terms:**

**14. DUET TOTALIZATOR****14.1 Opening and termination of duet totalizator pool**

A duet totalizator:

- (a) must not be opened to accept bets for a race if the number of contestants in the race is less than 8; and
- (b) must be terminated if the number of contestants in the race falls below 8 prior to any late scratchings or below 5 at any time or if there are no finishers in the race.

**14.2 Duet pool dividends****14.2.1 Distribution of duet dividend pool**

- (a) Money invested on a duet totalizator (less any amounts deducted as commission pursuant to Part 6 of the Act) is to be paid into a duet dividend pool.
- (b) The duet dividend pool is (except to the extent otherwise provided in these rules) to be divided among the investors on the combination comprising any two of the first, second and third placed finishers in a race.

- (c) If there are 3 or more finishers in a duet race, the whole of the duet dividend pool is (except to the extent otherwise provided in these rules) to be divided into three equal parts, of which:
  - (i) one part is to be dividend among the investors who select the winning combination comprising the first and second placed finishers in the race;
  - (ii) one part is to be divided among the investors who select the winning combination comprising the first and third placed finishers in the race; and
  - (iii) one part is to be divided among the investors who select the winning combination comprising the second and third placed finishers in the race.
- (d) Where there are 2 finishers only in a duet race then the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided among the investors who select the winning combination comprising the first and second placed finishers in the race.
- (e) Where there is one finisher only in a duet race then the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided among the investors who select the winning combination comprising the first placed finisher in the race and any other starter.

#### **14.2.2 Unbacked combinations**

If one or more winning combinations referred to in clause 14.2.1(c) is not backed:

- (a) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations; and
- (b) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
- (c) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.2.3 Dead-heat for first place between 2 finishers**

- (a) If 2 finishers dead-heat for first place and there is no dead-heat for third place:
  - (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations of:
    - A. the 2 finishers in the dead-heat for first place; and
    - B. one of the finishers in the dead-heat for first place and the third place finisher; and
    - C. the other finisher in the dead-heat for first place and the third place finisher; and
  - (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iii) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.
- (b) If 2 finishers dead-heat for first place and 2 or more finishers dead-heat for third place:

- (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations of:
  - A. the 2 finishers in the dead-heat for first place;
  - B. one of the finishers in the dead-heat for first place and a finisher in the dead-heat for third place; and
  - C. the other finisher in the dead heat for first place and a finisher in the dead-heat for third place; and
- (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
- (iii) a part allotted to the winning combination referred to in (i)B or (i)C is to be further divided into as many equal parts as there are backed individual winning combinations to which that part applies and allotted to that backed individual winning combination; and
- (iv) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.2.4 Dead-heat for first place between 3 or more finishers**

- (a) If 3 or more finishers dead-heat for first place:
  - (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations comprising 2 of those finishers in the dead-heat for first place; and
  - (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iii) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.2.5 Dead-heat for second place between 2 finishers**

- (a) If 2 finishers dead-heat for second place:
  - (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations of:
    - A. the first placed finisher and a finisher in the dead-heat for second place;
    - B. the first placed finisher and the other finisher in the dead-heat for second place; and
    - C. the 2 finishers in the dead-heat for second place; and
  - (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iii) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.2.6 Dead-heat for second place between 3 or more finishers**

- (a) If 3 or more finishers dead-heat for second place and both winning combinations referred to in clause 14.2.6(a)(i) and clause 14.2.6(a)(ii) are backed:
  - (i) two thirds of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations comprising the first placed finisher and a finisher in the dead-heat for second place; and

- (ii) one third of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations comprising any two of the finishers in the dead-heat for second place; and
  - (iii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iv) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.
- (b) If no winning combination referred to in either clause 14.2.6(a)(i) or clause 14.2.6(a)(ii) is backed:
- (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations as described in either clause 14.2.6(a)(i) or clause 14.2.6(a)(ii); and
  - (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iii) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.2.7 Dead-heat for third place between 2 or more finishers**

- (a) If 2 or more finishers dead-heat for third place:
- (i) the whole of the duet dividend pool is to be divided into as many equal parts as there are backed winning combinations of:
    - A. the first placed finisher and the second placed finisher;
    - B. the first placed finisher and a finisher in the dead-heat for third place; and
    - C. the second placed finisher and a finisher in the dead-heat for third place; and
  - (ii) a part is to be allotted to each backed winning combination; and
  - (iii) a part allotted to the winning combination referred to in (i)B or (i)C is to be further divided into as many equal parts as there are backed individual winning combinations to which that part applies and allotted to that backed individual winning combination; and
  - (iv) each part is to be divided among the investors on the winning combination to which the part is allotted.

#### **14.3 Deficiency in duet totalizator pool**

##### **14.3.1 Dividend where deficiency in one part of the duet totalizator pool**

- (a) If:
- (i) the duet dividend pool is divided in accordance with clause 14.2; and
  - (ii) in not more than one part (in this clause referred to as the “**deficient part**”) of the duet dividend pool there is insufficient money to enable a dividend equal to the unit of investment to be declared in respect of that part; and



(iii) the amount of the deficiency is greater than the amount deducted as commission;

then, there must, before any dividend is declared, be deducted:

(iv) from the part, other than the deficient part; or

(v) if there are 2 or more parts that are not deficient parts, from those parts in proportion to the amounts standing in those parts;

an amount sufficient to enable a dividend equal to the unit of investment to be declared in respect of the deficient part, less the commission.

(b) The amount so deducted is to be added to the deficient part so that, if the commission were also added to the deficient part, there would be produced in the deficient part an amount not greater than the amount required in that part to declare a dividend equal to the unit of investment.

#### **14.3.2 Dividend where deficiency in 2 or more parts of the duet totalizator pool**

(a) If:

(i) the duet dividend pool is divided in accordance with clause 14.2; and

(ii) in each of 2 or more parts (in this clause referred to as the “**deficient part**”) of the duet dividend pool there is insufficient money to enable dividends equal to the unit of investment to be declared in respect of those parts; and

(iii) the aggregate of the amounts of those deficiencies is greater than the amount deducted as commission;

then, there must, before any dividend is declared, be deducted:

(iv) from the part, other than the deficient parts; or

(v) if there are 2 or more parts that are not deficient parts, from those parts in proportion to the amounts standing in those parts,

an amount equal to the aggregate of the amounts of the deficiencies in the deficient parts, less the commission.

(b) The amount so deducted is to be added to the deficient part so that, if the commission were also added to the deficient parts, there would be produced in each of the deficient parts an amount not greater than the amount required in each of those parts to declare a dividend equal to the unit of investment.

Renumber **Rule 16** as **Rule 17**, Renumber **Rule 15** as **Rule 16**:

Insert New **Rule 15 PARLAY BETTING**

### **15 PARLAY BETTING**

#### **15.1 Establishment of parlay betting records**

On the request of a person, TAB, or on-course totalizator, may establish a parlay betting record to enable the person to make parlay cash bets, telephone bets or device bets.

## 15.2 Races to which parlay bets relate

15.2.1 A parlay bet may be made in respect of:

- (a) races on which a win and place totalizator or quinella totalizator is operating; or
- (b) any other race totalizators as determined by TAB from time to time.

15.2.2 At the time of placing a parlay investment, the investor will determine the formula number that is to be applied to that bet, which must be a whole number, not less than 1 and not greater than the total number of races in the bet.

15.2.3 The maximum number of races in respect of which any one parlay bet may be made is to be as determined by TAB, or racing club conducting an on-course totalizator as applicable.

15.2.4 TAB, or racing club (as applicable) may limit the races in respect of which any one parlay bet may be made to races at the same race meeting or in any other manner as they may determine.

## 15.3 Dividends and refunds on parlay bets

15.3.1 Money to the credit of a parlay betting record must be transmitted to the win and place totalizator, or quinella totalizator (or other class of totalizator on which the bet is required) for the next race to which the parlay bet relates.

15.3.2 Any dividend or refund for a parlay bet must be collected by TAB, or racing club, and credited to the parlay betting record for the bet.

15.3.3 After a dividend is paid in accordance with these rules on the second or any subsequent race or event to which a parlay bet relates, the amount to be credited to the parlay betting record for the bet is to be calculated as follows:

$$A = \frac{CxD}{U}$$

where:

"A" represents the amount to be credited;

"C" represents the amount credited to the parlay betting record in respect of the previous race to which the parlay bet relates;

"D" represents the dividend declared for the minimum unit of investment in respect of the second or subsequent race;

"U" represents the minimum bet for that race.

15.3.4 In calculating the amount to be credited pursuant to clause 15.3.3 to a parlay betting record:

- (a) fractions of cents will be disregarded; and
- (b) minimum dividend provisions apply to the calculation of the amount to be credited in the same way as they apply to the calculated amount referred to in those provisions.

15.3.5 The balance standing to the credit of a parlay betting record after the last race to which the parlay bet relates:

- (a) in the case of a parlay cash betting record, must be paid to the person concerned as if the bet were a cash bet; or

- (b) in the case of a parlay telephone or device betting record, must be paid into the betting account of the person concerned.

15.3.6 Any money that is paid as a dividend or refund in accordance with the Act, and that remains unallocated after the calculation of the amounts payable under this clause 15.3, is to be allocated in accordance with Part 6 of the Act.

#### 15.4 Races postponed or run out of sequence

In the event that a race to which a parlay bet relates is postponed or is run out of the sequence, TAB, or racing club conducting an on-course totalizator, must treat the race for the purposes of the parlay bet as an abandoned race.

#### Amendments to Rule 17.2

Replace the definition for “**away team**” with the following:

**“away team”** means the team that appears last in the match description published by the controlling body (e.g. home team vs. away team);

Replace the definition for “**home team**” with the following:

**“home team”** means the team that appears first in the match description published by the controlling body (e.g. home team vs. away team);

After “**points start**” insert the following new definition:

**“score range”** means a defined range of points as shown in Appendix 4 from which the investor may make a selection for pick the margins bet types;

#### Amendment to Appendix 2

Delete **clause 4(c)** and replace with a new clause in the following terms:

- (c) to a win and place, quinella, exacta, duet, trifecta, first 4, doubles, quaddie, superfecta and spinner totalizator if the total amount of the dividends payable in accordance with the rules for that type of totalizator would exceed the total amount paid into the totalizator (less any amounts refundable to investors); or

Insert new **clause 4(e)** in the following terms and re-number the existing clause 4(e) as 4(f)

- (e) to the duet pool of a duet totalizator if the total money invested on any combination in respect of which a dividend is payable under clause 14.2 of the rules is more than 40% of the sum of the duet pool and any amount deducted as commission; or

#### Amendment to Appendix 3

Delete **Appendix 3** and replace with a new clause in the following terms:

#### APPENDIX 3 - BAD SALES

##### Determination under clause 2.6.5(b)(ix)

Adjustment for late cancellation of bets (bad sales) made in accordance with rule 2.6.5 "Cancellation for errors on betting tickets" actioned after close of betting and transmission of final collations to TAB and up to the declaration of "all clear" or "correct weight", will be accepted on the condition that such bad sales are not less than the following amounts for any one bet:

Win and Place & Spinner - \$200.00

Quinella, Exacta, Duet & Doubles - \$ 50.00

Trifecta, First 4, Superfecta, Quaddie, FootyTAB– No Limit

Insert New Appendix 4 after Appendix 3

**APPENDIX 4 – SELECTION NUMBERS AND SCORE RANGES FOR SPORTS  
TOTALIZATOR**

**(1) PICK THE MARGINS FOOTYTAB**

<b>SELECTIONS</b>	<b>HOME TEAM TO WIN/LEAD BY</b>	<b>SELECTIONS</b>	<b>AWAY TEAM TO WIN BY</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>Score Range 1 – 10</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Score Range 1 – 10</b>
<b>2</b>	<b>Score Range 11 – 20</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Score Range 11 – 20</b>
<b>3</b>	<b>Score Range 21+</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>Score Range 21+</b>
<b>4</b>	<b>DRAWN GAME/TIED SCORES</b>		

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