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### Racing Act 1958

#### APPROVAL OF METHODS OF COMMUNICATION FOR BOOKMAKERS TO ACCEPT BETS

Under section 86A of the **Racing Act 1958**, the following method of communication is approved for the purposes of bookmakers registered under Part IV of the Act to accept bets from persons not present on the racecourse on which the bookmaker is carrying on business —

Communications by telephone utilising the dedicated PABX system with mobile telephone extensions and associated voice recording equipment installed at the premises of Racing Victoria (within the meaning of the **Racing Act 1958**) on exchange numbers (03) 9214 0500 to (03) 9214 0599 inclusive.

This approval is subject to the following conditions:

- (i) all telephone communications are to be voice recorded;
- (ii) all communication records are to be retained for a minimum of 28 days;
- (iii) access to communication records must be provided to authorised officers of Victoria Police and Bookmakers & Bookmakers' Clerks Registration Committee;
- (iv) all betting transactions and communications must be conducted in accordance with Racing Victoria's Bookmaker's Telephone Betting Rules 2001; and
- (v) any amendment of the Bookmaker's Telephone Betting Rules 2001 must not come into operation until it has been approved by the Minister responsible for the **Racing Act 1958**.

Dated 24 January 2006

JOHN PANDAZOPOULOS MP Minister for Racing

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APPROVAL OF A RACECOURSE FOR THE PURPOSES OF SECTION 4(1)(b) OF THE RACING ACT 1958

For the purposes of section 4(1)(b) of the **Racing Act 1958**, Caulfield Racecourse, Station Street, Caulfield and Moonee Valley Racecourse, McPherson Street, Moonee Ponds are approved racecourses.

Dated 24 January 2006

JOHN PANDAZOPOULOS MP Minister for Racing

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