

## **Deputy Chief Steward**

Greyhound Racing Victoria (GRV) is seeking to appoint a highly-motivated individual to act as second in charge leading the implementation of the newly established framework for Stewarding within the Greyhound Racing Industry in Victoria. This is all in pursuit of developing a culture of best practice broadly across the racing industry in Australia.

GRV regulates and promotes greyhound racing at the State level with animal welfare and integrity at the forefront. GRV is committed to attracting, selecting and retaining the highest calibre of people to achieve the optimum level of performance and behavioural standards required for each position and as such, are seeking a passionate and professional leader to join GRV as the Deputy Chief Steward.

We are looking for someone who has demonstrable management and leadership experience, someone who has sound interpersonal skills and can multi-task and prioritise deadlines accordingly. Previous stewarding experience, at a senior level, is a preferred attribute of the ideal candidate. Further to that, you should have an unblemished background with respect to Integrity in racing.

This position is a newly created role and will report directly to the Chief Steward and be part of the Stewards Panel leadership team. It is expected that you will be able to work shift patterns in line with our racing program and it is essential that you hold a driver's licence.

To be successful in this role you will require:

- Demonstrated leadership and management skills
- Extensive experience in a similar or senior role within the Australian racing industry
- Strong analytical and reporting skills to identify areas requiring development
- Sound interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills
- High level of initiative, discretion, and judgement in managing and resolving racing issues
- Possess the ability to establish and maintain strong relationships
- Be outcome focused, underpinned by your ability to think strategically
- Be experienced in working in a complex regulatory environment
- Be a team player with a positive attitude and initiative

It should be noted that the role is required to undertake extensive travel and may work outside normal business hours. The role performs its duties in the field at greyhound breeders' properties, trainers' properties and greyhound racing tracks.

For further information, please contact Ms. Heidi Lester – Chief Steward on telephone number (03) 8329 1161.

If you think that you fit that mould and are ready to make a difference, please send a covering letter explaining why you are interested in this position together with a current resume to <a href="mailto:careers@grv.org.au">careers@grv.org.au</a>. Applications will close on 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2017. For a copy of the position description, please visit our website – www.grv.org.au

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