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live lure and being gnawed on by the first two of the said three greyhounds to trial.

(iv) It was “improper” to use an animal as a lure as described in paragraphs (i) – (iii) herein.

REPORT:

Under Rule 47.1 of the Greyhound Racing Victoria Local Rules a breach of LRR 18.5 and GAR 86(af) each constitutes a Serious Offence. As a result, on Monday, 23 November 2015 this matter was heard before the Racing Appeals and Disciplinary Board in the first instance under Greyhound Local Racing Rule 47.3 and Sections 83C(b) and 83M(1) of the Racing Act.

Mr. Paul Anderton was represented by Mr. Matthew Stirling (Barrister) instructed by Balbata & Associates.

Mr. Paul Holdenson QC, instructed by Corrs Chambers Westgarth Solicitors represented the Stewards Panel.

Mr. Ron Matthews, (GRV Steward) and Professor Ronald Slocombe appeared as witnesses on behalf of the Stewards.

Mr. Paul Anderton gave evidence on his own behalf.

After hearing all the evidence tendered including viewing video footage and hearing closing submissions from both Mr. Holdenson and Mr. Stirling the RADB reserved its decision in these matters.

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