2019 MILLION DOLLAR CHASE TERMS & CONDITIONS
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

Greyhound Racing New South Wales (GRNSW) advises owners and trainers of their obligations under the Terms and Conditions of Entry to the TAB Million Dollar Chase (Event). These Terms and Conditions of Entry apply to all owners and/or trainers (Nominator(s)) who nominate a greyhound/s to compete at any race meetings which form part of the Event and/or any Associated Event (as defined below), including (but not limited to):

● Qualifying Series (Regional and City) – scheduled to be held between 31st August 2019 & 5th October 2019;
● Semi-Finals – scheduled to be held on 11th October 2019; and
● Grand Final – scheduled to be held on 18th October 2019.

Nomination of any greyhound for any race meeting which forms part of the Event and/or any Associated Event is deemed as acceptance of these Terms and Conditions of Entry.

Conduct of Race Meetings

1. The conduct of race meetings which form part of the Event or Associated Events is subject to:
   (a) the Greyhound Welfare Integrity Commission (GWIC) Greyhound Racing Rules; and
   (b) the GRNSW Grading Policy.

2. In the event that there is conflict between the Terms and Conditions of Entry and the grading policy, the Terms and Conditions of Entry will prevail.
Event eligibility and entry fees

3. GRNSW has sole discretion to accept or reject the nomination of any greyhound for entry to compete in the Event or Associated Event for any reason whatsoever.

4. Minimum requirements for eligibility to enter the Event:
   (a) A greyhound will not be eligible to compete in any race meeting until its Nominator(s) has paid an entry fee as per Race Entry Fee Schedule.

   Race Entry Fee Schedule
   (i) $60 (gst inclusive) per greyhound per Regional Heat
   (ii) $60 (gst inclusive) per greyhound per City Qualifier
   (iii) $110 (gst inclusive) per greyhound per Semi-Final
   (iv) $250 (gst inclusive) per greyhound - to contest the Consolation Final
   (v) $550 (gst inclusive) per greyhound - to contest the Grand Final

   100% from each entry fee will be donated by GRNSW to the NSW Greyhounds As Pets (GAP) program.

   (b) There is no limit to the number of Qualifying races (Regional) in which a greyhound can compete.

The Event details

5. The Event Regional Qualifying Heats
   (a) Nominations will only be accepted if a greyhound is directly nominated into the series.
   (b) GRNSW reserve the right to grade the number of races as determined by the nominations.
   (c) Where possible preference will be given to drawing full fields.
   (d) Maidens Ineligible
6. There will be 14 Qualifying Venues held at 14 Regional NSW tracks, as follows:

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7. The Event Regional Qualifying Finals

(a) Greyhounds eligible to compete in the Event Regional Qualifying finals will be as follows:

(i) if 2 heats conducted: first, second, third & fourth place getters;

(ii) if 3 heats conducted: first and second place getters + 2 fastest third place getters;

(iii) if 4 heats conducted: first and second place getters;

(iv) if 5 heats conducted: 5 x first place getters + 3 fastest second placed runners;

(v) if 6 heats conducted: 6 x first place getters + 2 fastest second placed runners;

(vi) if 7 heats conducted: 7 x first place getters + 1 fastest second placed runner; and

(vii) if 8 heats conducted: 8 x first placed runners.

(viii) If more than 8 heats conducted: 8 fastest heat winners will qualify.
(b) Reserves for the Regional qualifying finals will be drawn from the greyhounds which finish in the order Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, (on times).

(c) The greyhounds placing First, Second, Third and Fourth in each Qualifying Final (Regional) will qualify for the Semi-Finals (56 greyhounds total). If the greyhound placing First, Second, Third or Fourth becomes ineligible for the Semi-Finals, then the greyhound which places Fifth will qualify for the Semi-Finals (and so on as necessary).

(d) Greyhounds that have qualified for the Million Dollar Chase Semi-Finals through a regional qualifying final are ineligible to compete in any other regional qualifying heat.

8. The Event City Qualifying Finals

(a) There will be 8 Qualifying Finals (City) held at Wentworth Park on: 5th October 2019

(b) The greyhounds placing First in each Qualifying Final (City) will qualify for a place in the Semi-Finals (8 greyhounds total). If the greyhound placing First, becomes ineligible for the Semi-Finals, then the greyhound which places Second will qualify for the Semi-Finals (and so on as necessary).

(c) The order of entry for the Qualifying Finals (Regional and City) will be pursuant to GRNSW Grading Policy guidelines.

(d) Reserves for the Semi-Finals will be drawn from the eight (8) fastest seconds then the next fastest thirds and fourths from the Qualifying Finals (City), from those that are eligible to be drawn.

(e) Greyhounds that have qualified the Million Dollar Chase Semi-Finals through the regional qualifying finals are ineligible to compete in the city qualifying finals.

9. The Event Semi-Finals

(a) There will be eight (8) Semi-Finals held at Wentworth Park on 11th October 2019.

(b) The greyhound placing First in each Semi-Final will qualify for a place in the Grand Final. If the greyhound placing First in a Semi-Final becomes ineligible for the Grand Final, before the box draw, then the greyhound which places Second will qualify for the Grand Final (and so on as necessary).

(c) Two Reserves for the Grand Final will be drawn from the two fastest greyhounds which placed second in a Semi-Final.

(d) The greyhound placing second in each Semi-Final will qualify for a place in the Grand Final Consolation. If the greyhound placing Second in a Semi-Final becomes ineligible for the Grand Final consolation, before the box draw, then the greyhound which places Third will qualify for the Grand Final Consolation (and so on as necessary).

(e) Two Reserves for the Grand Final Consolation will be drawn from the two fastest greyhounds which placed Third in a Semi-Final.
10. **The Event Grand Final**
   
   (a) There will be one (1) Grand Final held at Wentworth Park on 18th October 2019.
   
   (b) There will be one (1) Grand Final Consolation held at Wentworth Park on 18th October 2019.

11. **Cancellation**
   
   (a) If any scheduled race meeting forming part of the Event is cancelled or abandoned, GRNSW reserves the right to re-schedule that race meeting to take place on another date in its sole discretion.

12. **The Grand Final Event Prizemoney**

   The total prizemoney for the Grand Final Event will be $1,200,000, to be distributed to the owners of greyhounds placing in the Grand Final as follows:

   (i) First: $1,000,000

   (ii) Second: $100,000

   (iii) Third: $45,000

   (iv) Fourth: $15,000

   (v) Fifth to eighth: $10,000 each

13. No other prizemoney will be distributed in relation to the Grand final Event.

14. **The Grand Final Consolation Event Prizemoney**

   The total prizemoney for the Grand Final Consolation Event will be $45,000 to be distributed to the owners of greyhounds placing in the Grand Final Consolation Event as follows:

   (i) First: $25,000

   (ii) Second: $7,000

   (iii) Third: $4,000

   (iv) Fourth: $2,500

   (v) Fifth to eighth: $2,000 each
Race meetings related to the Event

15. In addition to the Event, GRNSW will also be conducting the following race meetings (Associated Events):

16. Masters Meteor – 520m

(a) Greyhounds eligible to compete in the Masters Meteor event will be the best 32 Masters greyhounds nominated.

(b) The Masters Meteor event will comprise four (4) heats and one (1) Final. Greyhounds which place First and Second in each of the heats will qualify automatically for the Final. The two fastest greyhounds of those which place Third in each heat will be the Reserves for the Final. If the greyhound placing First and/or Second becomes ineligible for the Final, before the box draw, then the greyhound which places as the Third will qualify for the Final (and so on as necessary).

(c) The Masters Meteor heats are scheduled to take place at Wentworth Park on Wednesday 9th October 2019.

(d) The Masters Meteor final is scheduled to take place at Wentworth Park on 18th October 2019.

(e) For greyhounds to be eligible they must be domiciled in NSW or ACT from 22nd July 2019.

(g) The total prizemoney for the Masters Meteor will be $132,500, to be distributed to the owners of greyhounds placing in that event as follows.

   (i) First: $100,000
   (ii) Second: $20,000
   (iii) Third: $10,000
   (iv) Unplaced: $500 each

17. Young Star – 520m (27 months of age)

(a) Greyhounds eligible to compete in the Young Star event will be the best 32 greyhounds nominated. Greyhounds must have been whelped on or after 1 July 2017.

(b) Greyhounds must have been bred in NSW.

(c) Maiden greyhounds are ineligible to compete.

(d) The Young Star event will comprise four (4) heats and one (1) Final. Greyhounds which place First and Second in each of the heats will qualify automatically for the Final. The two fastest greyhounds of those which place Third in each heat will be the Reserves for the Final. If the greyhound placing First and/or Second becomes ineligible for the Final, before the box draw, then the greyhound which places as the Third will qualify for the Final (and so on as necessary).
(e) The Young Star heats are scheduled to take place Wentworth Park on Wednesday 9th October 2019.

(f) The Young Star final is scheduled to take place at Wentworth Park on 18th October 2019.

(g) The total prizemoney for the Young Star will be $35,000 to be distributed to the owners of greyhounds placing in that event as follows:

(i) First: $25,000  
(ii) Second: $7,000  
(iii) Third: $4,000  
(iv) Unplaced: $500 each

18. **Regional Reward – 520m**

(a) Greyhounds eligible to compete in the Regional Reward event will be the best eight (8) greyhounds which competed in a Qualifying Final (Regional or City) which failed to qualify for the Grand Final, and were trained by a person whose registered kennel is located in regional NSW as at 22nd July 2019 (that is, outside the Sydney Metropolitan area and outside the following state electoral boundaries. Hawkesbury, Blue Mountains, Wollondilly, Gosford, Terrigal, The Entrance, Wyong, Swansea, Lake Macquarie, Charlestown, Newcastle, Wallsend, Keira, Wollongong and Shellharbour).

(b) The Regional Reward is scheduled to take place at Wentworth Park on 18th October 2019.

(c) The total prizemoney for the Regional Reward will be $22,000 to be distributed to the owners of greyhounds placing in that event as follows:

(i) First: $15,000  
(ii) Second: $3,000  
(iii) Third: $1,500  
(iv) Unplaced: $500 each

**General**

19. GRNSW is not liable for any losses (including loss of opportunity), costs or damage (including direct, indirect or consequential damage) or personal injury suffered or incurred in relation to the Event and/or any Associated Event (including in relation to participation in the Event and/or any Associated Event), which cannot be excluded by law.

20. GWIC reserves the right to, at any time, disqualify any greyhound in respect of which GRNSW has reason to believe that the greyhound or its owner or trainer has not complied with these Terms and Conditions of Entry and/or the GWIC Greyhound Racing Rules.

21. GRNSW reserves the right to modify, suspend or terminate the Event and/or any Associated Event without notice.