

### **QUESTIONS ON NOTICE TO MR CHARNY**

1. What is the full-time salary for a CEO of Racing NSW, base salary plus bonus.

**This question is outside the scope of this Inquiry, is objectionable and objected to. This question is particularly objectionable in circumstances where Mr V'landys' contract is commercial in confidence. In these circumstances, if the question is to be pressed and the Chair rules it proper, as the information is the property of Racing NSW and commercial in confidence, any inquiries in relation to Mr V'landys' remuneration should be directed to Racing NSW (consistent with my evidence at the hearing on 9 August 2024).**

2. What are the monthly breakdowns of the Equine Welfare Fund that the board has received in the last two years? Has any property been acquired by Racing NSW using part of that fund?

**This question is outside the scope of this Inquiry, is objectionable and objected to. Nevertheless, in the interests of assisting this Inquiry, I understand that Racing NSW has been asked about monthly breakdowns of the Equine Welfare Fund and will be responding to the Inquiry directly in relation to that matter. This is appropriate as it is an operational matter. I confirm that, as far as I am aware, no property has been acquired by Racing NSW using part of the Equine Welfare Fund.**

3. Does Racing NSW have an HR representative?

**This question is outside the scope of this Inquiry, is objectionable and objected to. However, my understanding is that whilst Racing NSW has no formal HR department, the formal roles of HR are administered by a member of the Racing NSW legal team. Further, I understand that Racing NSW has been asked this precise question and will be responding in detail.**

4. What have the costs been for the Victorian litigation?

**This question is outside the scope of this Inquiry, is objectionable and objected to. Further, I am not aware of the precise costs to date for the Victorian litigation as it was commenced, with Board approval, well before my appointment and is not apparent from the accounts. That information could be calculated by the Racing NSW executive team however I note that the information is commercial in confidence having regard to the fact that the litigation is ongoing.**