

## TRNT BOARD POLICY NO:

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## HORSES SUFFERING FROM CARDIAC ARRYTHMIA

Horses that suffer from any form of Cardiac Arrythmia in a race will not be permitted to start in any race until a Veterinary Certificate of Soundness has been received and the horse has completed in a barrier trial of at least 900 metres to the satisfaction of the stewards and has been declared free of Cardiac Arrythmia post trial by a Veterinarian at that trial.

Horses that suffer from repeated episodes of Cardiac Arrythmia in a race or trial starts will not be permitted to race until the horse has undergone a full and complete investigation into the cause of the Cardiac Arrythmia by a veterinarian in conjunction with the TRNT stewards. If the stewards deem appropriate the stewards may stand such horse down for a period of 3 months and then only be permitted to race following the receipt of a Veterinary Certificate of Soundness before trialling and the satisfactory completion of two trials.