## Hastings Racecourse FRESH HORSE Program

## \*Limited to Thoroughbreds that were not stabled at Hastings Racecourse in 2023 AND have had at least one start elsewhere *prior to the 2024 Hastings meet*

## A guaranteed \$7,500 total bonus for any Applicant horses first three starts at Hastings Racecourse whose previous starts were made outside of British Columbia

Additional Conditions/Information (all conditions must be met to be eligible)

- Horses that raced or were stabled previously at Hastings Racecourse are ineligible, *unless it was prior* to the 2023 Hastings meet.
- Registration 'papers' provided with application include both paper and electronic versions.
- Application must be made to the Horsemen's Bookkeeper (Cristan Gossen) or the Racing Secretary (*Scott Henson*) upon arrival at Hastings Racecourse to establish eligibility.
- \$2,500 will be paid after the horse's first start paid to the owner of record who registered with the race office upon the horse's arrival at Hastings and filed the Horse's papers.
- An additional \$2,500 after the horse's second start paid to the same initial owner of record only.
- An additional \$2,500 after the horse's third start paid to the same initial owner of record only.
- Maximum incentive value of this program available to the original owner of record is \$7,500.
- The horse may be claim waivered, at the owner's discretion, for its first start, provided that the claiming level is equal to or higher than the claiming level the horse ran for in its previous start. (For example, a US\$ or CDN\$ \$10k claim (exchange rate is not factored into claiming levels) must run at \$10k or higher to be waiver claimed.
- Stakes and allowance race level horses are excluded from this program.
- All horses must have started for \$4,000, in the currency of the track they ran it, or more in their last three starts to qualify. If a horse has not started three times, then all its lifetime starts must be for \$4,000 or more.
- First-time starters do not qualify for this program.
- Applicants agree that the registration papers will remain in the Hastings Racecourse racing office for the entire 2024 season. Repayment of funds received from this program will release the papers and allow the horse to race elsewhere.
- Horses must arrive at Hastings Racecourse on or before July 1,2024 and start by August 1,2024 to be eligible.
- All monies earned under this program will be paid to the initial owner of record at the time of the first start. Claiming or purchasing the horse after the first start does not transfer eligibility and so future payments will be made to the initial owner of record only on qualifying future horse starts.

## THIS PROGRAM CANNOT BE COMBINED WITH ANY OTHER HASTINGS INCENTIVE PROGRAM