# WHAT IS COMMINGLING (GUESTING INTO HKJC WIN, PLACE AND QUINELLA PLACE POOL)

Commingling of pools is where one totalisator organisation combines its wagering pool with another to create one common dividend. With a bigger betting pool, racing fans can enjoy greater dividend stability and potentially higher dividends.

RSTC is commingling its Win, Place, and Quinella Place pools into these respective pools operated by The Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC).

RSTC is the "guest" of the commingled pools, and HKJC is the "host". With commingling, RSTC racing fans bets directly into the Win, Place, and Quinella Place pools for all Hong Kong races.

For commingling to take place, the "guest" is to follow the "host" betting rules. Kindly see HKJC's betting rules:

https://special.hkjc.com/racing/info/en/betting/bet\_b etrules.asp

# For Hong Kong Commingled races:

#### WIN:

1<sup>st</sup> in a race

Unit bet is RM5

#### **PLACE:**

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup> in a race, or 1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup> in a race of 4 to 6 declared starters

• Unit bet is RM5

# **QUINELLA PLACE:**

Any two of the first three placed horses in any order in a race

• Unit bet is RM2

# **Declared Dividend:**

For Win, Place and Quinella Place bets, the Dividend on each unit bet will be declared in RM, the equivalent of HKD.

### **Minimum Dividend:**

No Dividend of less than the Unit Bet plus MYR the equivalent of HKD10 cents will be declared for Place Bets.

No Dividend of less than the Unit Bet plus MYR the equivalent of HKD50 cents will be declared for Win and Quinella Place.

#### **Minimum Number of Starters:**

The Operator from time to time may announce the minimum number of Declared Starters necessary for the conduct of each type of Betting. Unless otherwise announced by the Operator, in the case of Place Betting, two Place Dividends will be paid when there are 4, 5 and 6 Declared Starters at the commencement of Betting and three Place Dividends will be paid when there are 7 or more Declared Starters at the commencement of Betting.

# **Horse Withdrawals:**

Where as a result of Withdrawals either before or during a Betting period, there remains insufficient Starters as set out below, the Pool will be closed and all Bets refunded.

#### **Pool Insufficient Starters**

less than 2 Starters WIN PLACE (3 Dividends) less than 5 Starters (2 Dividends) less than 4 Starters Quinella Place

less than 7 Starters