

Stewards Decision

Tasracing Integrity Unit

and

Bradley Franklin

Date of Decision	6th October 2026
Decision Makers	Mr. T.T Styles
Respondent	Mr. Bradley Franklin
Rule	<i>AR233(a): A person must not breach a policy, regulation or code of practice published by Racing Australia or a PRA.</i>
Plea	Guilty
Finding	Guilty
Penalty	\$250 Fine
Summary of Facts	1. Mr Franklin was at all relevant times a licensed trainer and a person bound by the Australian Rules of Racing. 2. On 11th September 2026, at the Longford Training Centre, Mr Franklin allowed Kindra Martin to ride trackwork for him when she was not licensed to do so. 3. On 2nd October 2026, Mr Franklin admitted to a charge pursuant to Tasmanian Local Rules of Racing: <i>LR 15.18(b): No employee unless registered as aforesaid shall be retained in employment.</i> 4. The particulars of the charge were that, on 11th September 2026, at the Longford Training Centre, Mr Franklin allowed Kindra Martin to ride trackwork when she was unlicensed as a trackwork rider which was a breach of Tasmanian Local Rules of Racing <i>LR 15.18(b)</i> 5. After considering the available evidence and Mr Franklin's admission, Stewards found him guilty of the charge.

6. Stewards fined Mr Franklin \$250.

Penalty Discussion

In arriving at a penalty, the Decision Makers considered all available evidence, including but not limited to:

- Mr Franklin's guilty plea.
- The nature of the offence and the importance of ensuring that persons engaged in racing activities comply with the applicable licensing and registration requirements.
- That any penalty should be a deterrent both general and specific.

Mr Franklin was advised of his rights to appeal the Stewards' decision.