

ROYAL COLLEGE OF VETERINARY SURGEONS

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MR PAUL ANTHONY EVANS MRCVS

CHARGE SHEET

That, being registered in the Register of Veterinary Surgeons, whilst in practice at Greyhound Consultancy Service, 25 Highlands Road, Royton, Oldham:

1. On a day unknown between 1 January 2006 and 20 February 2006, having prescribed Norethindrone to Confident Bunny, a racing greyhound:
You advised Ms P, the National Greyhound Racing Club (NGRC) licensed greyhound trainer for Confident Bunny, that she could race Confident Bunny when under treatment with Norethindrone (a substance prohibited by Rule 217 of the NGRC rules) when you knew or ought to have known that to race Confident Bunny in those circumstances would result in a breach of the NGRC rules of racing;
Confident Bunny was raced contrary to the rules of racing and following a NGRC Stewards' Inquiry, you were severely reprimanded and fined £750 and Ms P was reprimanded and fined £450.
2. On a day unknown between 1 January 2006 and 31 March 2006, having prescribed and supplied Norethindrone to Checkinpost, a racing greyhound:
You advised Ms P, the NGRC licensed greyhound trainer for Checkinpost, that she could race Checkinpost when under treatment with Norethindrone (a substance prohibited by Rule 217 of the NGRC rules) when you knew or ought to have known that to race Checkinpost in those circumstances would result in a breach of the NGRC rules of racing;
Checkinpost was raced contrary to the rules of racing and following a NGRC Stewards' Inquiry, you were severely reprimanded and fined £750 and Ms P was reprimanded and fined £450.

And that in relation to the facts alleged, you have been guilty of disgraceful conduct in a professional respect.