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VETERINARY REPORT:

FAROE:

A routine pre race trot up on 20/07/2019 showed this horse to be lame (grade 2/5) in the near hind leg. Reexamination on 22/07/2019 confirmed a grade 2/5 near hind leg lameness.

The filly has a history of chronic hind limb lameness since an injury in her first race (October 2017).

Physical examination: mild wastage of left hind quarter muscles, deviation of the sacrum with significant reaction to palpation of the posterior sacral border, and sciatic nerve on left side.

It is my opinion that FAROE has a significant back injury, with partial displacement of the sacrum, and this would have a considerable effect on racing performance.

Based on the history, it would appear the sacral instability is getting worse, and continued training will further aggravate the condition.

It is recommended that retirement from racing be considered.



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