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TO: THE SECRETARY, ALL TOTALISATOR CLUBS AND KINDRED BODIES

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SUBJECT: 2017 HRNZ ANNUAL CONFERENCE & AGM – CHANGE OF DATE

Original plans were that this year's Annual Conference was to be held on Friday 4 August and Saturday 5 August in Christchurch, with the Annual Harness Awards on the evening of Saturday 5 August.

However that night will potentially clash with the Super Rugby final if it is to be hosted in New Zealand. Given many attendees at the Awards would have a strong interest in the rugby as well, the Board has agreed to a change in date to avoid such a clash.

The Annual Conference will now be hosted on Thursday 3 August and Friday 4 August at the Commodore Hotel, Christchurch. This will commence at 1.00 pm on the Thursday, with the AGM held on the afternoon of Friday 4 August (commencing at 1.30 pm). The Annual Awards will now be held at the Wigram Airforce Museum on the evening of Thursday 3 August, with this being one of two social functions for Conference attendees, along with the races on the Friday evening.

Registration details for the Conference will be circulated in the next week or so.

While HRNZ apologises for this late change, we are sure a large proportion of attendees will understand and support this.

Regards

Edward Rennell CHIEF EXECUTIVE