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MYHORSERACING.HORSE AUSTRALIA'S NEW ONLINE PORTAL FOR OWNERS

Chair of Racing Australia, Frances Nelson QC, has announced the launch of **myhorseracing.horse** the new online portal for racehorse owners across Australia.

"This is a significant day for the Australian racing industry, Ms Nelson said.

"myhorseracing.horse provides racehorse owners with a safe, convenient and unique ID to enable them to conduct their transactions online to save time and avoid the need to re-enter information provided previously.

"From late January active racehorse owners across Australia will over a 4-6 week period be asked to validate their **myhorseracing.horse** accounts.

"As soon as their account is validated owners will be able to see their horse's details online, including nominations, acceptances, scratchings and results.

"When fully operational in April 2019, **myhorseracing.horse** will be an online 'one stop shop' to enable racehorse owners to conduct transactions online.

"Until now, even something as straightforward as naming a horse involved paperwork which could require contacting up to 20 owners, a process that could be lengthy and confusing.

"When **myhorseracing.horse** is fully operational owners will be able to provide the information needed, submit applications with a single mouse click, and instantly receive confirmation the application has been lodged.

"My message to racehorse owners is simple: Racing Australia has listened to your concerns and acted to ensure the business of being a horse owner is made easier.

"I encourage owners to take up this exciting opportunity and try out **myhorseracing.horse**," Ms Nelson concluded.

Owners will continue to have the choice of using the old paper-based system.

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