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Operator of consultancy firm charged with \$680,000 bribery over HKJC membership application

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An operator of a membership consultancy firm has been charged by the ICAC today (December 19) with conspiracy for members of the Hong Kong Jockey Club (HKJC) to accept a share of a \$680,000 bribe for assisting a person in applying for its racing membership.

Vincent Wai Jun-feng, 52, operator of the firm, faces a charge of conspiracy for an agent to accept an advantage, contrary to Section 9(1)(a) of the Prevention of Bribery Ordinance and Section 159A of the Crimes Ordinance.

The defendant will appear at the West Kowloon Magistracy on Friday (December 21) for transfer to the District Court for plea.

At the material times, the defendant was the operator of the firm which assisted its customers to apply for local prestigious memberships, including HKJC membership.

An applicant for the racing membership and/or full membership of HKJC should obtain an application form from the proposing voting member. The application must be separately proposed and seconded by one voting member and supported by three other individual full or racing members.

HKJC prohibits its members from soliciting or accepting any advantage for proposing, seconding and supporting a membership application.

The charge alleges that between May 27 and July 14, 2016, the defendant conspired with a man known as “Mr MOK” and unknown members of HKJC for those members to, without lawful authority or reasonable excuse, accept an advantage, namely an unknown sum being part of \$680,000 from a person known as “Ming Gor”, as an inducement to provide an application form for racing membership of HKJC to “Ming Gor”, and act favourably in proposing, seconding and supporting the application by “Ming Gor” for racing membership of HKJC.

HKJC has rendered full assistance to the ICAC during its investigation into the case.

The defendant has been released on ICAC bail, pending his court appearance on Friday.

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新聞公佈

廉署起訴顧問公司經營者疑涉六十八萬元馬會會籍貪污案

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廉政公署今日(十二月十九日)落案起訴一名會籍顧問公司經營者，控告他涉嫌串謀使多名香港賽馬會(馬會)會員各收受一筆六十八萬元賄款的部分款項，以協助一名人士申請馬會賽馬會員會籍。

該公司經營者韋駿鋒，五十二歲，被控一項串謀使代理人接受利益罪名，違反《防止賄賂條例》第9(1)(a)條及《刑事罪行條例》第159A條。

被告將於星期五(十二月二十一日)在西九龍裁判法院應訊，以待案件轉介區域法院答辯。

被告於案發時是該會籍顧問公司的經營者，而該公司是一間協助客戶申請本地著名會籍的顧問公司，而會籍包括馬會會籍。

馬會賽馬會員會籍及/或全費會員會籍申請人須從打算提名他/她的遴選會員獲得申請表。有關申請須分別由各一位遴選會員提名及附議，並由另外三位全費或賽馬會員支持。

馬會嚴禁其會員就提名、附議及支持會籍申請的相關事宜索取或接受任何利益。

控罪指被告涉嫌於二〇一六年五月二十七日至七月十四日期間，與一名稱為「莫先生」的男子及一些身份不詳的馬會會員串謀，使該些會員在無合法權限或合理辯解下，從一名稱為「明哥」的人士接受利益，即一筆六十八萬元的部分金額不詳款項，作為向「明哥」提供馬會賽馬會員會籍申請表及在提及、附議和支持「明哥」申請馬會賽馬會員會籍一事上予以優待的誘因。

馬會在廉署調查案件期間提供全面協助。

被告已獲廉署准予保釋，以待星期五應訊。

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