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PRESS RELEASE FROM PANORAMA MOTORCYCLE CLUB

2012 NSW SENIOR LONG TRACK STATE TITLES

It is with regret that Panorama Motorcycle Club notifies that we will not be in a position to run the 2012 NSW Senior Long Track State Titles on the 3rd November 2012. The club realises the enormity of cancelling the event for the riders, the Sponsors, MNSW and our own Club, however feel that we have little alternative.

The Club has been placed in this very disappointing position due to Motorcycling Australia's decision to move the Australia Senior Long Track Titles to the 17th November 2012. We acknowledge that MNSW had no objection to this date when first contacted by MA, however after discussions with the club and understanding the clubs position, MNSW made numerous attempts to work with MA to seek a resolution to the issue. Unfortunately this ultimately was unachievable.

Although we could have proceeded with running the event and then cancelled if we did not achieve the rider entries required, the costs in preparing the venue are large and would be lost placing the strain on the financial position of the club, coupled with disappointment of the riders when events are cancelled late, we chose to take this disappointing decision at this time.

It is the opinion of the club that if Motorcycling Australia had taken into consideration the affiliated clubs and its licenced riders, Panorama Motorcycle Club would not have been put in this position and would not have had to come to the decision made, especially considering the lateness of the date change and that there is still 5 months until the Australian Championship meeting is scheduled to proceed.

We would like to apologise to the riders and officials for the very disappointing decision the club had no option but to make and would like all involved to know that we regret having been put in this position.

Judy Doulman Secretary

Mark Plunkett President

On behalf of the PMCC Committee