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Will Stand at Park Paddocks, Somerville Paddock R, Box 377

110 (WITH VAT) RUSTIC GOLD (GB) (2004) A Chesnut Gelding	{ Tobougg (IRE) { Suave Shot (GB) (1997)	{ Barathea (IRE) { Lacovia (USA)	{ Sadler's Wells (USA) Brocade { Majestic Light (USA) Hope For All (USA) { Green Dancer (USA) Suavite (USA) { Song Electo

RUSTIC GOLD (GB): won 2 races (9f. - 10f.) at 3 years, 2007 and £7924 viz Handicap (Class 5), Windsor and Handicap (Class 5), Salisbury, placed twice viz second in Handicap (Class 5), Windsor and third in Handicap (Class 5), Folkestone.

1st Dam

SUAVE SHOT (GB), ran once at 3 years;

dam of one winner from 2 runners and 4 foals of racing age viz-

RUSTIC GOLD (GB) (2004 g. by Tobougg (IRE)), see above.

She also has a 2005 gelding by Josr Algarhoud (IRE).

2nd Dam

Optaria, won 1 race at 2 years and placed 3 times including third in Precocious National Stakes, Sandown Park, L.;

dam of seven winners from 10 runners and 10 foals of racing age viz-

GREY SHOT (GB) (g. by Sharrood (USA)), won 6 races at home and in France and £175,000 including Garrard Goodwood Cup, Goodwood, Gr.2, Portland Place Props. Jockey Club Cup, Newmarket, Gr.3, Prix de Lutece, Longchamp, Gr.3 and Bahrain Trophy, Newmarket, L., placed second in Prix Vicomtesse Vigier, Longchamp, Gr.2, Prix Kergorlay, Deauville, Gr.2, Insulpak Sagaro Stakes, Ascot, Gr.3 and third in Chester Rated Handicap, Chester, L.; also won 5 races over hurdles and £84,644 including Axminster 100 Kingwell Hurdle, Wincanton, Murphy's Draughtflow Handicap Hurdle, Cheltenham and Tanglefoot Elite Limited Handicap Hurdle, Wincanton, placed twice viz second in Sun'King of the Punters' Tolworth Hurdle, Sandown Park and Bonusprint Bula Hurdle, Cheltenham and won 2 races over fences and £13,379.

OPERA CAPE (GB) (c. by Barathea (IRE)), won 2 races and £122,068 including Iveco Daily Solario Stakes, Sandown Park, Gr.3, second in Prix Jean-Luc Grand Criterium, Longchamp, Gr.1 and third in Dewhurst Stakes, Newmarket, Gr.1.

Night Shot (GB) (g. by Night Shift (USA)), won 4 races at 3 and 4 years and £89,967, second in L'Exclusive Ruinart Champagne Hackwood S, Newbury, L., Dubai Airport World Trophy Stakes, Newbury, L. and third in Courage Best Leisure Stakes, Lingfield Park, L.; also placed in Germany and in Hong Kong and £44,382 including second in Holsten Trophy, Hamburg, Gr.3.

HIGHLAND SHOT (GB), won 6 races at 4 and 5 years and £55,444.

SIGHT'N SOUND (GB), won 1 race at 3 years and £5444 and placed 4 times; also placed 4 times over hurdles; dam of winners.

OPERA GLASS (GB), won 1 race at 3 years and £13,653 and placed 6 times.

OPERA MUSIC (GB), won 1 race at 2 years, 2006 and £10,511 and placed 4 times.

3rd Dam

ELECTO, ran a few times at 2 and 3 years;

dam of three winners from 3 runners and 4 foals of racing age including-

Optaria, see above.

The next dam As Blessed, won 2 races at 2 years and placed 3 times including fourth in Queen Mary Stakes, Royal Ascot, Gr.2;

dam of five winners from 12 runners and 15 foals of racing age including-

GLORY OF HERA, won 2 races at 2 years including St Hugh's Stakes, Newbury, L., placed twice; dam of winners.

GLORY OF DANCER (GB), Champion 2yr old colt in Italy in 1995, 3 races at home and in Italy including Gran Criterium, Milan, Gr.1 and Homeowners Dante Stakes, York, Gr.2, placed second in Grand Prix de Paris, Longchamp, Gr.1, Thresher Classic Trial Stakes, Sandown Park, Gr.3, third in Guinness Champion Stakes, Leopardstown, Gr.1; sire.

So Directed, won 1 race at 2 years and placed 4 times including second in Heinz 57 Phoenix Stakes, Gr.1, Goff's Silver Flash Fillies Stakes, Phoenix Park, L. and third in M C Collins Marble Hill Stakes, Curragh, L.; dam of winners.