## Hip No. 2744

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Barn 30

Chestnut Colt; foaled 2016

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By TAPIT (2001). Black-type winner of \$557,300, Wood Memorial S. [G1] (AQU, \$450,000), etc. Leading sire 3 times, sire of 12 crops of racing age, 1367 foals, 1083 starters, 125 black-type winners, 812 winners of 2437 races and earning \$146,358,424, 7 champions, including Untapable (\$3,-926,625, Breeders' Cup Distaff [G1] (SA, \$1,100,000), etc.), Stardom Bound (\$1,861,610, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies [G1] (OSA, \$1,080,-000), etc.), Unique Bella [G1] (\$1,272,400), Hansen [G1] (\$1,810,805).

## 1st dam

HACHITA, by Gone West. Winner at 2 and 3, £23,643, in England. (Total: \$43,211). Dam of 11 other registered foals, 9 of racing age, including a 2-year-old of 2019, 8 to race, 8 winners, including--

**ANNOUNCE (GB)** (f. by Selkirk). 5 wins in 10 starts at 3 and 4, €394,960, in France, Darley Prix Jean Romanet [G1], Prix Allez France [G3], Shadwell Prix Minerve [G3], Prix de Thiberville [L], 2nd Qatar Prix de l'Opera [G1], Prix Corrida [G2], La Couple [G3]. (Total: \$547,607). Dam of--

Maquette (f. by Tapit). Winner at 2 and 3, €40,500, in France, 2nd Prix Solitude [L]. (Total: \$51,751).

**MEXICAN GOLD** (f. by Medaglia d'Oro). Winner at 2 and 3, €128,035, in France, Prix de la Grotte [G3], 2nd Prix de Saint-Cyr [L], 3rd Poule d'Essai des Pouliches [G1]; winner at 4, \$92,000, in N.A./U.S., 3rd Athenia S. **[G3]** (BEL, \$20,000). (Total: \$234,810).

Straight Thinking (f. by Mizzen Mast). Winner at 2, €60,000, in France, 2nd Prix de la Grotte [G3], PMU Prix du Calvados [G3], Prix d'Aumale [G3].

(Total: \$80,587).

**Wessex** (f. by Unbridled's Song). 2 wins, \$85,260, 3rd Hilltop S. (PIM, \$10,000). Vanbrugh (c. by First Defence). 2 wins at 3, €49,950, in France, 2nd Qatar Prix Kistena [L]; winner at 4, 2019, £10,333, in England. (Total: \$71,802).

## 2nd dam

**CHOICE SPIRIT**, by Danzig. 2 wins in 3 starts at 3, €42,381, in France, Prix de la Calonne [L], 2nd Prix Amandine [L]; placed, \$34,840, in N.A./U.S. (Total: \$79,675). Half-sister to **ZAFONIC [G1]** (Total: \$669,681, champion 2-year-old colt in Europe, sire), ZAMINDAR [G3], Shuttle Diplomacy [G3], Press Baron [L], Botanic [L], Western Appeal [L]. Dam of--

Action Plan. Winner at 5, \$165,322, in Canada; 2 wins at 8, \$67,847, in | N.A./U.S. (Total: \$227,771).

Choice House. Unraced. Dam of Glenrowan Rose [L] (f. by Bushranger (IRE), 6 wins, Total: \$98,801), **Valegro** [L] (c. by Canford Cliffs, in India).

RACE RECORD: Unraced.

Engagements: Breeders' Cup.

Foaled in Kentucky. (KTDF).

Racing prospect.