

All persons engaged in racing in Maryland under assumed names must register with the appropriate Board and receive its permission for the use of such name. The Boards have the power to revoke or suspend the license of any person or corporation engaged in racing within the State that violates the racing laws or the rules of the Commission (Code 1957, Art. 78B).

MARYLAND STANDARDBRED RACE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Vincent D. Palumbo, 1979

Earle P. Brown, 1979; Charles E. Keller, 1979; John H. Burbage, 1979; William J. Collins, 1979

The Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee was created by Chapter 771, Acts of 1971. The Committee consists of five members: Two of the members are operators of standardbred breeding farms; two are harness track licensees; and one a member of the Commission. Members are appointed by the Maryland Racing Commission with the approval of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation (Code 1957, Art. 78B, sec. 17A(c)).

The Committee assists and advises the Racing Commission on the administration of the Standardbred Race Program and the Standardbred Race Fund. This Fund was established by having each harness track licensee allocate .50% of the mutuel on all races conducted by it during the year to the Fund. This Fund is then used as a purse for races involving Standardbred horses (Code 1957, Art. 78B, sec. 17A).

MARYLAND-BRED RACE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Robert W. Furtick, 1979

Hal C. B. Clagett, 1979; Charles J. Lang, 1979; Max Mosner, 1979; John C. Moberly, 1979

The Maryland-Bred Race Fund Advisory Committee, created by Chapter 137, Acts of 1962, consists of five members appointed by the Maryland Racing Commission with the approval of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation. Of the five members, two represent the Maryland Horse Breeders' Association; one the mile track associations; one the half-mile track associations; and one is a member of the Commission (Code 1957, Art. 78B).

The Committee administers the Maryland-Bred Race Program and the Maryland-Bred Race

Fund. This Fund was established by having each thoroughbred track licensee allocate .50% of the mutuel pool of all races conducted by it during the year. The Fund is then used as a purse for races involving Maryland-Bred horses (Code 1957, Art. 78B, sec. 16).

REAL ESTATE COMMISSION OF MARYLAND

Chairperson: William C. Harloff, 1981

Vice-Chairperson: Albert L. Jones, 1983

Donald E. Howard, 1980; Roger J. Johnson, 1983; Marilyn R. Jones, 1982; James C. Latham, 1981; John J. Moran, Jr., 1980; Charles R. Wolfe, 1982

Executive Director: Charles G. Chambers

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The Real Estate Commission, originally established by Chapter 351, Acts of 1939, had its membership expanded by Chapter 617, Acts of 1961, its composition redefined by Chapter 506, Acts of 1966, and its composition further redefined by Chapter 653, Acts of 1971, and Chapter 851, Acts of 1974. The Commission is composed of eight members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation and the advice and consent of the Senate. One member represents the Eastern Shore; one, Central Maryland; one, Baltimore City; one, Southern Maryland; one, Western Maryland; and three the State at large. The at large members must not be engaged in the real estate business. All members must be citizens and residents of the area for which they were appointed for not less than five years, and they must have been actively engaged in the real estate business for ten years prior to appointment, except the at large members. The Commission selects its own Chairperson and licensees all real estate brokers and salesmen doing business in Maryland.

Each applicant for a real estate salesman's or broker's license must complete courses relating to principles of real estate in order to qualify for examination.

The Commission has the power to revoke, refuse, or suspend licenses of any person for violating the real estate laws or for unethical conduct. The Real Estate Commission, by Chapter 648, Acts of 1971, administers the Real Estate