

three in some aspect of harness racing. The Governor designates the chairperson. The Secretary of Licensing and Regulation appoints the Executive Director. Authorization for the Commission continues until July 1, 2001 (Code Business Regulation Article, secs. 11-201 through 11-214).

**MARYLAND-BRED RACE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

John H. Mosner, *Chairperson*, 1994  
(410) 333-6267

In 1962, the Maryland-Bred Race Fund Advisory Committee was created to administer the Maryland-Bred Race Program and the Maryland-Bred Race Fund (Chapter 137, Acts of 1962). The Fund is supported by an assessment on each thoroughbred track licensee of a portion of the mutuel pool of all its horse races during the year. The Fund is then apportioned between a purse for races involving Maryland-bred horses and awards given to breeder, owner, and stallion for horses bred in Maryland.

The Committee consists of five members appointed to one-year terms by the Maryland Racing Commission with the approval of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation. Two members represent the Maryland Horse Breeders' Association, one represents the mile track associations, and one the half-mile track associations. One is a member of the Maryland Racing Commission. Authorization for the Committee continues until July 1, 2001 (Code Business Regulation Article, secs. 11-529 through 11-541).

**MARYLAND STANDARDBRED RACE FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Eric Frederick, *Chairperson*, 1994  
(410) 333-6267

The Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee was introduced in 1971 (Chapter 771, Acts of 1971). The Committee assists and advises the

Maryland Racing Commission on the administration of the Standardbred Race Program, the Standardbred Race Fund, and the Standardbred Sires Stakes Program. The Standardbred Race Fund is supported by an assessment on each harness track licensee of a portion of the mutuel pool of all its horse races during the year. The Fund is then used as a purse for races involving standardbred horses.

The Committee consists of five members. Four members are appointed to four-year terms and the chairperson to a one-year term by the Maryland Racing Commission with the approval of the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation. Two members are nominated by the organization representing a majority of the standard breeders in Maryland, and one is nominated by the Cloverleaf Standardbred Owners' Association. One member is a commercial breeder, one is a harness track licensee, and one is a member of the Maryland Racing Commission. Authorization for the Committee continues until July 1, 2001 (Code Business Regulation Article, secs. 11-623 through 11-636).

**MARYLAND JOCKEY INJURY COMPENSATION FUND, INCORPORATED**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

(410) 333-6267

In January 1986, the Maryland Jockey Injury Compensation Fund, Inc., was established as a nonprofit corporation (Chapter 757, Acts of 1985). The Fund secures workmen's compensation insurance coverage on a blanket basis for jockeys licensed by the Maryland Racing Commission to ride thoroughbred horses.

The Fund is managed by a three-member Board of Directors, appointed by the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation (Code Business Regulation Article, secs. 11-901 through 11-907).

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**DEFUNCT DEPARTMENTAL AGENCIES**

**ANTI-FRAUD UNIT**

Formerly under the Financial Audit Services Team, the Unit ceased to exist in 1992 due to budget constraints.

**BOARD OF EXAMINERS FOR HEARING AID DEALERS**

Abolished in 1992 (Chapter 326, Acts of 1992). Functions of the Board were assigned to the State Board of Examiners for Audiologists, Hearing Aid Dealers, and Speech-Language Pathologists, under the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene.

**DIVISION OF SAVINGS & LOAN ASSOCIATIONS**

Authorization for the Division of Savings and Loan Associations expired June 30, 1992 (Chapter 519, Acts of 1982).

**EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS SERVICE**

The Service, formerly under the Division of Labor and Industry, was abolished in 1991.

**INSURANCE DIVISION**

Reorganized in 1993 as the Maryland Insurance Administration, an independent agency (Chapter 538, Acts of 1993).

**MEDIATION & CONCILIATION SERVICE**

Formerly under the Division of Labor and Industry, the Service ceased to function in 1991.

**WAGE & HOUR ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

Formerly under the Division of Labor and Industry, the Committee was abolished in 1993 (Chapter 552, Acts of 1993).