promulgates such rules and regulations as may be necessary to govern the races. It may also regulate the size of the purse, the price of admission, or the charge made for any article or service sold at the meets. All persons engaged in racing in Maryland under assumed names must register with the Commission and receive its permission for the use of such name. The Commission has the power to revoke or suspend the license of any person or corporation engaged in racing within the State who violates the racing laws or the rules of the Commission (Code 1951, Art. 78B, secs. 1-2, 6-25).

Appropriations—Special Fu Administration Race Track Upkeep	1953 \$ 35,050	1954 \$ 36,775 415,000
Totals	\$385,050	\$451,775

## REAL ESTATE COMMISSION

Chairman: Mathew A. Powers, Chief License Inspector Ralph P. Ripley, 1956; Mac Gardiner, 1955 William G. Nicholson, Executive Secretary

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The Real Estate Commission was established in 1939. The Commission is composed of three members, one of whom is the Chief License Inspector of the State License Bureau, who also acts as Chairman. The remaining two members are appointed by the Governor for four year terms. Both appointive members must have been actively engaged in the real estate business for ten years prior to appointment; one must be a resident of Baltimore City and the other a resident of one of the counties. The Commission licenses all real estate agencies, brokers and salesmen doing business or wishing to do business in Maryland. The Commission has the power to revoke, refuse or suspend licenses of any agency or person for violating the State real estate laws, or for unethical conduct (Code 1951, Art. 56, secs. 220-238).

Appro	priati	ons	<b>195</b> 3	1954
General	Fund	***************************************	\$23,107	\$25,081
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## DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY

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