

shall issue a license for the holding of the meeting during the days awarded to such applicant and for which the license fee shall have been paid, which said license shall be for all purposes in substitution for that now required by law and shall contain a condition that all races or race meetings conducted thereunder shall be subject to all the rules, regulations and conditions from time to time prescribed by the commission and such license shall be revocable by the commission for any violation thereof or whenever the continuance of such license shall be deemed by the commission not conducive to the interest of legitimate racing. But if any license is refused or revoked said commission shall state publicly its reasons for so doing and cause an entry of such reasons to be made on the minute book of the commission, and the propriety of such action shall be subject to review by the Circuit Court for Harford County upon a bill in equity filed for that purpose by any person, corporation or association, feeling aggrieved by such action.

438. Said commission may in its discretion meet subsequent to the 15th day of April and award dates for racing on applications submitted to it subsequent to the first day of April, provided the expense of holding such meeting and issuing the proper license be borne by the applicant, and that the days so awarded in no way conflict with the further provisions of this Act. And provided further that no license for a race meeting shall issue prior to the payment of the fees therefor at the rate hereinbefore provided.

439. The said racing commission shall have full power to prescribe rules, regulations and conditions under which all horse races shall be conducted in Harford County, and may make rules governing, restricting or regulating betting on such races, and a violation of any of such rules, regulations or conditions with or without the consent of the licensee shall be sufficient cause for the commission to revoke forthwith the license under which such races are conducted, and said commission may thereafter refuse any license to the corporation or association whose license has been once so revoked. Every person aiding or abetting in the conduct of any meeting in Harford County at which the racing of horses shall be permitted for any stake, purse or reward, except in accordance with a license duly issued and unrevoked by the Harford County Racing Commission, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$500 and not more than \$2,000 for each day of such unauthorized meeting, or by imprisonment for not exceeding one year or both, and in