

owning or leasing the track to which such transfer is made, but nothing in this section shall affect in any manner the license fees, requirements, rights, conditions, terms and provisions of Section 8 of this Article; provided, further, that the Commission shall issue no license nor award any dates for racing on any tracks or places for holding races in Maryland, unless on such tracks or places for holding races, races have been run or held at least once in every year for a period of three consecutive years immediately prior to May 6, 1943. The intent and purpose of this proviso being that no new or additional tracks or places for holding races shall be licensed or awarded dates for holding or conducting races.

8. Except in the case of the trotting and pacing meeting, as provided in Section 7, and except the corporations and associations named in Section 14, each applicant desiring to hold races on the days or day awarded by the Commission shall, before the issuance of any license therefor, pay to the said Commission a license fee of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) for each day of any meeting for the conduct of races so licensed.

11. Said Racing Commission shall have full power to prescribe rules, regulations and conditions under which all horse-races shall be conducted within the State of Maryland. Said Commission may make rules governing, restricting or regulating betting on such races and may fix, regulate and condition the rate of charge by the licensee for admission, or for the performance of any service, or for the sale of any article on the premises of such licensee, and may regulate the size of the purse, stake or reward to be offered for the conduct of such races. Each licensee may deduct and retain for its own account one-half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the breakage computed to the 10¢ and 6% of the mutuel pool, including any deduction required by the Commission as its agent pursuant to the provisions of Section 11A of this Article but exclusive of the 4% State tax imposed by Section 13 of this Article. All contracts and agreements for the payment of money and all salaries, fees and compensation paid by any person or persons, association or corporation licensed as hereinbefore provided, and all proposed extensions, additions, or improvements to the buildings, stables, improvements or tracks upon property owned or leased by such licensee shall be subject to the approval of the Commission. Said Commission shall have power to compel the production of any and all books, memoranda or documents showing the receipts and disbursements of any person, corporation or association, licensed under the provisions of this Article to conduct race meetings. The Commission may at any time require the removal of any employee or official employed by any licensee hereunder. The Commission shall also