Commission, one-fourth by the Maryland Jockey Club, oncfourth by the Maryland State Fair, one-fourth by the Southern Maryland Agricultural Association, and one-fourth by the Harford Agricultural and Breeder's Association; and the Commission may make grants from the Racing Fund, as constituted on May 4th, 1945, to each of said four Racing Organizations, equally, in the manner and to the extent hereinabove set forth, and, for the purposes of this section, each shall be considered as having deducted from the mutuel pool one-fourth of said Racing Fund as so constituted as agents aforesaid. If, however, the Commission shall issue a license for the conduct of racing to one of the said four Racing Organizations, for the purpose of enabling a joint meeting to be held in which one or more of the others of the above-mentioned Racing Organizations participate, the deductions made by the licensee of said meeting shall be considered and treated as having been made, for the purposes of this section, by each of said Racing Organizations participating in said meeting, as agents aforesaid, in the proportion in which is ARE shared the profits and losses of that particular meeting, and the Racing Commission may make grants from the Racing Fund to the Racing Organization considered and treated herein as having made such deduction, in the manner and to the extent hereinabove set forth.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure and necessary for the immediate preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Maryland, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 7, 1951.

## CHAPTER 707

(House Bill 629)

AN ACT to add two new sections to Higinbotham's Code of Harford County (1942 Edition), being Article 13 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland, title "Harford County",

EXPLANATION: Italics indicate new matter added to existing law.

[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

CAPITALS indicate amendments to bill.

Strike out indicates matter stricken out of bill.