

~~OFFICE, THE GOVERNOR SHALL FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, A COMPLETE STATEMENT OF ALL CHARGES MADE AGAINST THE COMMISSIONER AND HIS FINDINGS TOGETHER WITH A COMPLETE RECORD OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST THE COMMISSIONER.~~

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~~(A) THE COMMISSION SHALL POSSESS THE POWERS AND DUTIES SPECIFIED IN THIS ARTICLE AND ALSO THE POWERS NECESSARY OR PROPER TO ENABLE IT TO CARRY OUT FULLY AND EFFECTUALLY ALL THE PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE.~~

~~(B) THE JURISDICTION, SUPERVISION, POWERS, AND DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION SHALL EXTEND UNDER THIS ARTICLE TO ANY PERSON WHO HOLDS OR CONDUCTS ANY MEETING WITHIN THIS STATE AT WHICH HARNESS HORSE RACING IS PERMITTED FOR ANY STAKE, PURSE, OR REWARD, AND UPON WHICH WAGERING OR BETTING IS CONDUCTED AS PROVIDED IN THIS ARTICLE.~~

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~~(A) BEFORE ENTERING UPON THE DISCHARGE OF THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE, EACH COMMISSIONER SHALL TAKE AN OATH THAT HE WILL WELL AND FAITHFULLY EXECUTE ALL OF THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE ACCORDING TO THE LAWS OF THIS STATE AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED BY THE COMMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THIS STATE.~~

~~(B) (1) EACH COMMISSIONER SHALL GIVE BOND TO THE STATE WITH PERSONAL OR CORPORATE SURETY OR SURETIES APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE PENAL SUM OF \$100,000 WITH THE CONDITION THAT HE WILL WELL AND FAITHFULLY EXECUTE AND PERFORM ALL OF THE DUTIES OF HIS OFFICE ACCORDING TO THE LAWS OF THIS STATE, AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS ADOPTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THIS STATE.~~

~~(2) EVERY BOND, WHEN DULY EXECUTED AND APPROVED, SHALL BE FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, AND CERTIFIED COPIES UNDER THE SEAL OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE MAY BE USED AS EVIDENCE IN ANY COURT OF THIS STATE.~~

~~(C) (1) WHEN IN THE OPINION OF THE GOVERNOR THE SURETY OR SURETIES OF ANY COMMISSIONER HAVE BECOME OR ARE LIKELY TO BECOME INVALID OR INSUFFICIENT, HE SHALL DEMAND AND REQUIRE THE COMMISSIONER TO RENEW HIS BOND TO THIS STATE WITH SURETY OR SURETIES TO BE APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR, IN THE PENALTY, AND ACCORDING TO THE FORM PRESCRIBED IN THIS SECTION.~~

~~(2) ANY COMMISSIONER WHO FAILS TO TAKE OATH AND GIVE BOND WITH SURETY OR SURETIES AS REQUIRED BY THIS SECTION WITHIN 30 DAYS OF HIS APPOINTMENT, OR WHO FAILS TO RENEW HIS BOND WITH SURETY OR SURETIES WITHIN 30 DAYS AFTER THE BOND HAS BEEN DEMANDED AND REQUIRED BY THE GOVERNOR, SHALL BE GUILTY OF NEGLECT OF DUTY AND MAY BE~~