

track licensee in time to permit the licensee to schedule a substitute race.

(2) ON AND AFTER JUNE 1, 1980, THE MARYLAND RACING COMMISSION, UPON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMITTEE, SHALL ESTABLISH GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES FOR MARYLAND STANDARDBRED SIRES STAKES RACES TO BE RUN BEGINNING IN THE CALENDAR YEAR 1983. FOR ANY RACING YEAR, STANDARDBRED SIRES ELIGIBLE FOR THE PROGRAM WILL BE THOSE SIRES REGISTERED WITH THE UNITED STATES TROTTING ASSOCIATION AND THE COMMITTEE WHICH HAVE BEEN STANDING IN THE STATE FOR A FULL BREEDING SEASON. THE NUMBER OF MARYLAND STANDARDBRED SIRES STAKES RACES, NOMINATION AND REGISTRATION PROCEDURES, AMOUNTS OF PURSES AND BONUSES AND OTHER CONDITIONS AND PROCEDURES NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THE INTENT OF THE MARYLAND STANDARDBRED SIRES STAKES RACE PROGRAM SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE COMMISSION UPON THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE COMMITTEE. THE MARYLAND STANDARDBRED SIRES STAKES RACES PROGRAM SHALL BE SUBJECT TO ALL OF THE APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION, EXCEPT AS MODIFIED BY THIS PARAGRAPH.

SECTION 2. -- AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That on June 1, 1980 -- the -- terms -- of -- office -- of -- the -- members -- of -- the -- Maryland Standardbred -- Race -- Fund -- Advisory -- Committee -- in -- office immediately -- prior -- to -- this -- date -- shall -- be -- terminated -- and appointments -- of -- members -- of -- the -- committee -- shall -- be -- made -- as provided -- in -- Section 1 -- of -- this -- Act -- to -- be -- effective -- for -- terms of -- office -- beginning -- June 1, 1980.

SECTION 2 § 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July June 1, 1980.

Approved May 27, 1980.

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#### CHAPTER 809

(House Bill 1829)

AN ACT concerning

Fires - Occupants Needing Evacuation Assistance

FOR the purpose of requiring the State Fire Prevention Commission to develop a symbol to identify dwellings of persons needing evacuation assistance in case of fire; requiring the Commission to devise a program to govern the use of these symbols; and requiring the State Fire Marshal to enforce the program.

BY adding to

Article 38A - Fires and Investigations