

(A) IN ADDITION TO LICENSING RACING ASSOCIATIONS UNDER § 7 OF THIS ARTICLE, THE COMMISSION SHALL LICENSE THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION TO CONDUCT ON AN ANNUAL BASIS 2 DAYS OF THOROUGHBRED HORSE RACING ON A FLAT DIRT TRACK AT THE PRINCE GEORGE'S EQUESTRIAN CENTER.

(B) THE 2 DAYS OF RACING SHALL BE:

(1) HELD ON DATES SELECTED BY THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION AND APPROVED BY THE RACING COMMISSION;

(2) HELD ON DAYS THAT THE TRACKS LICENSED UNDER § 7 OF THIS ARTICLE ARE NOT CONDUCTING RACING; AND

(3) HELD IN CONNECTION WITH OR FOR THE BENEFIT OF BONA FIDE COUNTY FAIRS OR EQUESTRIAN EXHIBITIONS AND ACTIVITIES.

(C) THE 2 DAYS OF RACING AWARDED UNDER SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL CONSTITUTE A LICENSE OF THE DAYS TO THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION AND DO NOT PROVIDE ANY RIGHT OF OWNERSHIP IN THE DAYS TO THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION OR ANY OTHER PERSON.

(D) THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION MAY CONDUCT PART-MUTUEL WAGERING ON THE DAYS OF RACES AUTHORIZED UNDER THIS SECTION.

(E) (I) (I) IN THIS SUBSECTION THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(II) "REGULAR MUTUEL POOL" MEANS A SEPARATE WAGERING POOL IN WHICH AN INTEREST IS REPRESENTED BY A SINGLE TICKET EVIDENCING A SINGLE WAGER ON 1 HORSE.

(III) "MULTIPLE MUTUEL POOL" MEANS A SEPARATE WAGERING POOL IN WHICH AN INTEREST IS REPRESENTED BY A SINGLE WAGER ON 2 OR MORE HORSES.

(2) THE MARYLAND-NATIONAL CAPITAL PARK AND PLANNING COMMISSION MAY DEDUCT THE FOLLOWING AMOUNTS ON RACES CONDUCTED BY IT EACH YEAR:

(I) 13.50 PERCENT OF ALL MONEY WAGERED IN ALL REGULAR MUTUEL POOLS;

(II) 15.50 PERCENT OF ALL MONEY WAGERED IN MULTIPLE MUTUEL POOLS INVOLVING 2 HORSES; AND

(III) 21.50 PERCENT OF ALL MONEY WAGERED IN MULTIPLE MUTUEL POOLS INVOLVING 3 OR MORE HORSES.