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MARYLAND JOCKEY INJURY COMPENSATION FUND

32.

(a) The Maryland Jockey Injury Compensation Fund, Incorporated, is established as a non-profit corporation.

(b) The Fund shall secure workmen's compensation insurance coverage on a blanket basis for the benefit of all jockeys who are employees pursuant to § 21(d) of Article 101 of the Code.

(c) (1) The Commission shall levy an assessment against all licensed thoroughbred owners and trainers to provide sufficient funds to pay the cost of the insurance required by this section and Article 101 of the Code.

(2) All assessments collected by the Commission under this section shall be transferred to the Fund and shall be used by the Fund to purchase the workmen's compensation insurance for jockeys and to administer the workmen's compensation program for jockeys required by this section and Article 101 of the Code.

(d) The Fund shall be managed by a three-member board of directors who shall be appointed by, and serve at the pleasure of, the Secretary of Licensing and Regulation, and who shall post any bond required by the Secretary.

(e) The Fund shall have such authority as is necessary to implement the provisions of this section.

(f) The license of any owner or trainer who fails to pay the assessment levied pursuant to this section:

(1) Shall be revoked or suspended; and

(2) May not be reinstated or renewed during the period of the default.

DRAFTER'S NOTE:

Error: Omitted subtitle preceding Article 78B, § 32.

Occurred: Ch. 757, Acts of 1985.

Article 78D - Regional Planning Council

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The employment, compensation, and tenure of an executive officer may be made by the Regional Planning Council without being subject to any of the provisions and restrictions of