

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the provisions of this Act shall apply to any cause of action arising on or after October 1, 1999.

SECTION ~~2~~ 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect October 1, 1999.

Approved May 27, 1999.

CHAPTER 565
(Senate Bill 446)

AN ACT concerning

Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee - Membership

FOR the purpose of altering the ~~number of members~~ *membership* of the Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee; requiring the chairman of the State Racing Commission to nominate as members ~~certain representatives of certain licensees~~ *a representative from each harness racing licensee*; and generally relating to the membership of the Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - Business Regulation

Section 11-626(a)

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1998 Replacement Volume)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - Business Regulation

11-626.

(a) (1) The Advisory Committee consists of [5] 6 members appointed by the Commission with the approval of the Secretary.

(2) Of the [5] 6 members of the Advisory Committee:

(i) 1 shall be nominated by the chairman of the Commission and be another member of the Commission;

(ii) ~~[1]-2~~ shall be nominated by the chairman of the Commission ~~and EACH ONE shall represent a SEPARATE~~ TO REPRESENT EACH harness racing licensee;

(iii) 2 shall be nominated by a majority vote of the organization that represents a majority of Standardbred Breeders in the State, and 1 of those recommended shall be a commercial breeder as defined by the Commission; and