

(I) DURING ITS OPENING YEAR IF IT HAS SCHEDULED AT LEAST 21 DAYS OF LIVE RACING TO OCCUR WITHIN 12 MONTHS OF ITS OPENING AND THE COMMISSION HAS GRANTED ITS APPLICATION TO RACE ON THOSE DAYS; AND

(II) IN SUBSEQUENT YEARS IF AT LEAST 21 DAYS OF LIVE RACING WERE HELD AT THE TRACK IN THE PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR

[(6)] (8) The Commission may waive a requirement of this subsection if the receiving track could not meet the requirement because of:

- (i) an act of God; or
- (ii) what the Commission finds to be an emergency.

11-825.

(a) A satellite simulcast facility:

(1) shall be in premises owned or leased by a permit holder;

(2) may not be within a 35-mile radius of any mile thoroughbred track or harness track unless approved by the track licensee~~t~~, the group that represents a majority of the applicable owners and trainers licensed in the State and the group that represents a majority of the applicable breeders in the State, considered separately~~;~~;

(3) unless the track agrees otherwise, may not operate during hours on those days that racing with pari-mutuel betting is permitted at a racetrack located in this State within a 35-mile radius of the satellite simulcast facility; and

(4) shall offer pari-mutuel betting facilities and amenities that the Commission finds are:

(i) comparable to those available in the sports palace facilities of the mile thoroughbred racing licensees including:

1. high quality dining, lounge, and seating areas that are of a manner generally found in fine restaurants; and

2. teletheatre screen capacity; and

(ii) appropriate for the area where the satellite simulcast facility is located.

SUBTITLE 12. MARYLAND RACING FACILITY REDEVELOPMENT PROGRAM.

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(A) IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(B) "AUTHORITY" MEANS THE MARYLAND STADIUM AUTHORITY.