

~~(2) A BALLOT MAY NOT BE COUNTED UNLESS THE COMMISSION RECEIVES AN APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF THE VOTER'S AUTHORIZATION TO PARTICIPATE IN RACING AT A RACE MEETING AND APPROPRIATE FEES BY THE CUTOFF RETURN DATE UNDER SUBSECTION (E) OF THIS SECTION.~~

~~(3) AFTER AN ELECTION IS ANNOUNCED, MONEY ACCRUING TO THE ORGANIZATION CURRENTLY RECOGNIZED AS REPRESENTING STANDARD BRED HORSEMEN OR THOROUGHBRED HORSEMEN SHALL BE HELD IN ESCROW UNTIL THE RESULT OF THE ELECTION IS DETERMINED.~~

~~(E) (1) WHEN THE COMMISSION ANNOUNCES THE ELECTION, THE COMMISSION SHALL SET THE APPROXIMATE MAILING DATE FOR BALLOTS AND A CUTOFF DATE FOR COMPLETED BALLOTS TO BE RECEIVED AT THE COMMISSION OFFICES.~~

~~(2) THE MAILING DATE AND THE CUTOFF DATE MAY BE CHANGED IF NOTICE IS GIVEN TO THE ORGANIZATIONS INVOLVED.~~

~~(3) THE MAILING DATE MAY NOT BE MORE THAN 30 DAYS AFTER THE ELECTION IS ANNOUNCED.~~

~~(4) THE CUTOFF DATE MAY NOT BE LESS THAN:~~

~~(I) 20 DAYS AFTER THE MAILING DATE FOR AN ELECTION OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF A MAJORITY OF STANDARD BRED HORSEMEN; AND~~

~~(II) 15 DAYS AFTER THE MAILING DATE FOR AN ELECTION OF THE REPRESENTATIVE OF A MAJORITY OF THOROUGHBRED HORSEMEN.~~

~~(F) THE COMMISSION SHALL SEQUENTIALLY NUMBER THE BALLOTS AND INCLUDE IN EACH:~~

~~(1) THE NAME OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO WHOM IT IS MAILED;~~

~~(2) THE NAMES OF THE COMPETING ORGANIZATIONS IN ALPHABETICAL ORDER;~~

~~(3) THE CUTOFF DATE;~~

~~(4) A WARNING THAT THE BALLOT WILL NOT BE COUNTED IF THE VOTER'S APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL AND APPROPRIATE FEES HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED BY THE COMMISSION BY THE END OF THE CUTOFF DATE; AND~~

~~(5) ANY OTHER INFORMATION THAT THE COMMISSION CONSIDERS APPROPRIATE.~~

~~(G) THE VOTER WHOSE NAME APPEARS ON A BALLOT SHALL SIGN THE BALLOT BEFORE RETURNING IT TO THE COMMISSION.~~