

DAYS OF A LICENSEE HAVING A TOTAL WAGER NOT IN EXCESS OF \$166,666.67 DAILY AVERAGE ON ALL RACES CONDUCTED BY IT, THE DAYS SHALL BE DIVIDED EQUALLY BETWEEN THEM AND RUN UNDER IDENTICAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS, AND ONE-HALF OF ALL REVENUES DERIVED FROM THESE DAYS BY THE LICENSEE NOT RUNNING THE DAYS SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO PURSE MONEY AT THE NEXT MEETING AT WHICH DAYS ARE RUN BY THE LICENSEE NOT RUNNING THE DAYS. The additional days of racing may be awarded under such terms and conditions as the Board may prescribe for any substantial alterations, additions, changes, improvements, or major repairs to or upon the property owned or leased by any licensee and used for the conduct of racing. However, FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1984 AND ALL SUBSEQUENT YEARS no more than [18] 48 AND FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1983 ONLY, NO MORE THAN 38 additional days of racing may be awarded to any single licensee. The discretion of the board on the award of all additional dates shall be final, and the award of all dates shall constitute a license and not a franchise.

(8) In addition each licensee shall allocate from its share of all money wagered in excess of \$125,000 daily average on all races conducted by it during the year (1) a sum equal to 0.50 percent to the Maryland Standardbred Fund created by Section 17A of this article; and (2) [for calendar years 1981, 1982, 1983, and 1984 only,] a sum equal to 0.50 percent to be used[, with the approval of the harness racing board,] for purses and to pay the cost of track maintenance, physical improvements, PAYMENTS ON ANY INDEBTEDNESS RELATED TO THE FACILITY (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, CLUBHOUSE AND GRANDSTAND CONSTRUCTION) PREVIOUSLY OR HEREAFTER INCURRED, and personnel-related expenses, and to ensure the maintenance of proper living conditions in the backstretch.

(b-1) In addition to the foregoing, each licensee licensed under the provisions of this section, and having a total wager not in excess of \$166,666.67 daily average on all races conducted by it during the year, shall retain for its own use 1 percent of all money wagered, to be expended equally upon increased purses and TO PAY THE COST OF TRACK MAINTENANCE, PHYSICAL IMPROVEMENTS, PAYMENTS ON ANY INDEBTEDNESS RELATED TO THE FACILITY (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, CLUBHOUSE AND GRANDSTAND CONSTRUCTION) PREVIOUSLY OR HEREAFTER INCURRED, AND PERSONNEL-RELATED EXPENSES. [physical improvements to its racing facilities, as approved by the harness racing board. In calendar years 1981, 1982, 1983, and 1984 only, each] EACH licensee subject to the provisions of this subsection shall ALSO retain for its own use an additional sum equal to .75 percent of all money wagered to be used[, with the approval of the harness racing board,] for purses and to pay the cost of track maintenance, physical improvements, PAYMENTS ON ANY INDEBTEDNESS RELATED TO THE FACILITY (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, CLUBHOUSE AND GRANDSTAND CONSTRUCTION) PREVIOUSLY OR HEREAFTER INCURRED, personnel-related expenses, and to ensure the maintenance of proper living conditions in the backstretch.

(b-2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (b) of this section, for any licensee having a total wager not in excess of \$125,000 daily average on all races conducted by it, the