

SENATE BILL 446

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1999 Regular Session  
(9r1894)

**ENROLLED BILL**  
-- Finance/Ways and Means --

Introduced by **Senator Lawlah**

Read and Examined by Proofreaders:

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Sealed with the Great Seal and presented to the Governor, for his approval this  
\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock, \_\_\_\_ M.

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President.

CHAPTER \_\_\_\_\_

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Maryland Standardbred Race Fund Advisory Committee - Membership**

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

9 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,  
10 Article - Business Regulation  
11 Section 11-626(a)  
12 Annotated Code of Maryland  
13 (1998 Replacement Volume)

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

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**Article - Business Regulation**

2 11-626.

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

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

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

8 (ii) {1}2 shall be nominated by the chairman of the Commission  
9 ~~and EACH ONE shall represent a~~ SEPARATE TO REPRESENT EACH harness racing  
10 licensee;

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

14 (iv) 1 shall be nominated by a majority vote of the Cloverleaf  
15 Standardbred Owners Association, Inc.

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