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7895.0110 THOROUGHBRED BREEDERS' FUND.

Subpart 1. **Definitions.** For purposes of this part, the following terms have the meaning given them unless another intention clearly appears.

- A. "Minnesota-foaled" or "Minnesota-bred" means a horse foaled in Minnesota.
- B. "Minnesota-sire" means a stallion owned at least 50 percent by residents of Minnesota or leased entirely by Minnesota residents, and which has stood the entire breeding season, between January 31 and July 31, in Minnesota.
- Subp. 2. **Division of money.** The money available from the breeders' fund for the thoroughbred breed category shall be divided as follows:

[For text of subp 2, item A, see M.R.]

B. Sixty-two percent shall be paid to supplement purses. The purse supplements shall be apportioned in accordance with the quality of the race as determined by the commission.

[For text of subp 2, item C, see M.R.]

[For text of subps 3 to 8, see M.R.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.23; 240.24

History: 14 SR 332; 14 SR 2008

7895.0125 THOROUGHBRED REGISTRATION.

Subpart 1. **Broodmare registration.** To be eligible to receive any breeders' award payments, the following requirements must be met:

- A. Prior to foaling, a broodmare must be in Mmnesota and registered or the registration renewed with the racing commission or official registering agency on or before January 31 of the year in which the broodmare will foal. The broodmare's original jockey club certificate must be received by the racing commission or official registering agency.
- B. In the event an unregistered broodmare should foal in Minnesota before January 31, the owner must submit a sworn affidavit to the racing commission or the official registering agency attesting that the foal was born in Minnesota. The affidavit will be considered evidence that the foal is a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse and the owner of the broodmare or his or her agent must register the broodmare in accordance with item A. The attending veterinarian, licensed by the state of Minnesota, must certify on information and belief that the information provided from the owner or agent is true and correct.
 - C. Late fees for late broodmare registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for broodmare registrations received February 1 to March 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the foaling year.
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for broodmare registrations received March 2 to May 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the foaling year.

- D. Failure to submit broodmare registration forms on or before May 1 of the foaling year (excluding Saturday and Sunday) will disqualify any subsequent claims for breeders' award payments or for the foal to be registered as Minnesota-bred.
- E. The commission may, at its discretion, request written documentation from any persons seeking late registration that the broodmare was standing in Minnesota as of February 15 of the foaling year.
- Subp. 2. Stallion registration. To be eligible to receive any stallion award payments, the following requirements must be met:
- A. Stallions must be in Minnesota and registered or the registration renewed with the racing commission or official registering agency by January 31 of the current breeding year. The stallion's original jockey club certificate must be received by the racing commission or official registering agency. If the stallion is leased, a copy of the lease must accompany the registration application. The lease must include a statement that the lessee is authorized to sign the breeding certificate.
- B. Stallions must remain in Minnesota for the entire breeding season from January 31 to July 31.

A newly acquired stallion which has not been in Minnesota for breeding purposes before January 31 of the current breeding season may be eligible for stallion awards if the stallion has been properly registered with the commission prior to servicing any mare and the stallion has not serviced any mare after December 31 of the preceding year.

- C. Late fees for late stallion registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for stallion registrations received February 1 to March 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for stallion registrations received March 2 to May 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- D. Failure to submit stallion registration forms on or before May 1 of the breeding year (excluding Saturday and Sunday) will disqualify any subsequent claims for stallion award payments.
- E. The commission may, at its discretion, request written documentation from any persons seeking late registration that the stallion was standing in Minnesota as of February 15 of the breeding year.
- Subp. 3. Foal registration and certification. For a horse foaled in Minnesota to be registered and subsequently certified as a Minnesota-bred, the following requirements must be met:
- A. Within 30 days of the date a horse is foaled in Minnesota, the foal must be registered with the racing commission or official registering agency. The registration form must contain the following information: the date, the name of the owner of the foaling dam, the date that the foal was born, an owner's statement that the foal was born in Minnesota, and the signature and veterinary license number of the veterinarian submitting the report. Failure to submit the veterinarian's report will disqualify any subsequent claim to register the foal as Minnesota-bred.
 - B. Late fees for late foal registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for foal registrations received up to 30 days late (excluding Saturday and Sunday).
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for foal registrations received 31 to 90 days late (excluding Saturday and Sunday).
- C. Failure to submit foal registration forms on or before 120 days of the date of foaling will disqualify any subsequent claims to enter the horse in a restricted race or to earn any breeders' fund payments.

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- D. The original foal certificate must be embossed by the racing commission or official registering agency prior to entry into any restricted race.
- E. Failure to have foal certificate embossed shall disqualify any claim to enter the horse in a restricted race or to earn any breeders' fund payments.

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.23

History: 14 SR 2008

7895.0250 STANDARDBRED BREEDERS' FUND.

Subpart 1. **Definitions.** For purposes of this part, the following terms have the meaning given them unless another intention clearly appears.

[For text of items A to C, see M.R.]

D. "Minnesota sire" means a stallion owned at least 50 percent by residents of Minnesota or leased entirely by Minnesota residents, and which has stood the entire breeding season, from January 31 to July 31 in Minnesota.

[For text of subps 2 to 8, see M.R.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.23

History: 14 SR 2008

7895.0275 STANDARDBRED REGISTRATION.

Subpart 1. Stallion registration. To be eligible to participate in the standard-bred breeders' fund program, the following requirements must be met:

- A. Stallions must be in Minnesota and registered or the registration renewed with the racing commission or official registering agency by January 31 of the current breeding year. The stallion's original United States Trotting Association (USTA) certificate must be received by the racing commission or official registering agency. If the stallion is leased, a copy of the lease must accompany the registration application or renewal. The lease agreement must contain a statement that the lessee is authorized to sign the breeding certificate.
- B. Stallions must remain in Minnesota for the entire breeding season from January 31 to July 31.

A newly acquired stallion which has not been in Minnesota for breeding purposes before January 31 of the current breeding season may be eligible for stallion awards if the stallion has been properly registered with the commission prior to servicing any mare and the stallion has not serviced any mare after December 31 of the preceding year.

- C. Late fees for late stallion registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for stallion registrations received February 1 to March 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for stallion registrations received March 2 to May 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- D. Failure to submit stallion registration forms on or before May 1 of the breeding year (excluding Saturday and Sunday) will disqualify any subsequent claims for stallion award payments.
- E. The commission may, at its discretion, request written documentation from any persons seeking late registration that the stallion was standing in Minnesota as of February 15 of the breeding year.

[For text of subp 2, see M.R.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.23

History: 14 SR 2008

7895.0300 OUARTER HORSE BREEDERS' FUND.

Subpart 1. **Definitions.** For purposes of this part, the following terms have the meaning given them unless another intention clearly appears:

[For text of items A to C, see M.R.]

D. "Minnesota-sire" means a stallion owned at least 50 percent by residents of Minnesota or leased entirely by Minnesota residents, and which has stood the entire breeding season, from January 31 through July 31, in Minnesota.

[For text of subps 2 to 6, see M.R.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.23

History: 14 SR 2008

7895.0350 OUARTER HORSE REGISTRATION.

Subpart 1. Broodmare registration. To be eligible to receive any breeders' award payments, the following requirements must be met:

- A. Prior to foaling, a broodmare must be in Minnesota and registered or the registration renewed with the racing commission or official registering agency on or before January 31 of the year in which the broodmare will foal. The broodmare's original American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA) certificate must be received by the racing commission or official registering agency. The broodmare must be in foal to a Minnesota registered stallion which means a stallion owned at least 50 percent by residents of Minnesota or leased entirely by Minnesota residents, and which has stood the entire breeding season from January 31 to July 31 in Minnesota.
- B. In the event an unregistered broodmare should foal in Minnesota before January 31, the owner or lessee must submit a sworn affidavit to the racing commission or the official registering agency attesting that the foal was born in Minnesota. The affidavit will be considered evidence that the foal is a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse and the owner of the broodmare or his or her agent must register the broodmare in accordance with item A. The attending veterinarian, licensed by the state of Minnesota, must certify on information and belief that the information provided by the owner, lessee, or agent is true and correct.
 - C. Late fees for late broodmare registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for broodmare registrations received February 1 to March 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the foaling year.
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for broodmare registrations received March 2 to May 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the foaling year.
- D. Failure to submit broodmare registration forms on or before May 1 of the foaling year (excluding Saturday and Sunday) will disqualify any subsequent claims for breeders' award payments or for the foal to be registered as a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse.
- E. The commission may, at its discretion, request written documentation from any persons seeking late registration that the broodmare was standing in Minnesota as of January 31 of the foaling year.
- Subp. 2. Stallion registration. To be eligible to receive any stallion award payments, the following requirements must be met:
- A. Stallions must be in Minnesota and registered or the initial registration renewed with the racing commission or official registering agency by January 31 of the current breeding year. The stallion's original American Quarter Horse Association (AQHA) certificate must be received by the racing commission or official registering agency. If the stallion is leased, a copy of the lease must accom-

pany the registration application. The lease must include a statement that the lessee is authorized to sign the breeding certificate.

B. Stallions must remain in Minnesota for the entire breeding season from January 31 through July 31.

A newly acquired stallion which has not been in Minnesota for breeding purposes before January 31 of the current breeding season may be eligible for stallion awards if the stallion has been properly registered with the commission prior to servicing any mare and the stallion has not serviced any mare after December 31 of the preceding year.

- C. Late fees for late stallion registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for stallion registrations received February 1 to March 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for stallion registrations received March 2 to May 1 (excluding Saturday and Sunday) of the breeding year.
- D. Failure to submit stallion registration forms on or before May 1 of the breeding year (excluding Saturday and Sunday) will disqualify any subsequent claims for stallion award payments.
- E. The commission may, at its discretion, request written documentation from any persons seeking late registration that the stallion was standing in Minnesota as of January 31 of the breeding year.
- Subp. 3. Foal registration and certification. For a horse foaled in Minnesota to be registered and subsequently certified as a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse, the following requirements must be met:
- A. Within 30 days of the date a horse is foaled in Minnesota, the foal must be registered with the racing commission or official registering agency. The registration must include the following information: the date, the name of the owner or lessee of the dam at time of conception, the date that the foal was born, an owner's or lessee's statement that the foal was born in Minnesota, and the signature and veterinary license number of the attending veterinarian. Failure to submit the veterinarian's report will disqualify any subsequent claim to register the foal as a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse.
 - B. Late fees for late foal registration will be imposed as follows:
- (1) A late fee of \$50 will be imposed for foal registrations received up to 30 days late (excluding Saturday and Sunday).
- (2) A late fee of \$100 will be imposed for foal registrations received 31 to 90 days late (excluding Saturday and Sunday).
- C. Failure to submit foal registration forms on or before 120 days of the date of foaling will disqualify any subsequent claims to enter the horse in a restricted race or to earn any breeders' fund payments.
- D. The original foal certificate must be embossed by the racing commission or official registering agency prior to entry into any restricted race.
- E. Failure to have foal certificate embossed shall disqualify any claim to enter the horse in a restricted race or to earn breeders' fund payments.

Statutory Authority: *MS s 240.23; 240.24*

History: 14 SR 332; 14 SR 2008.