CHAPTER 7895

MINNESOTA RACING COMMISSION HORSES; BREEDERS' FUND

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[For text of subps 1 and 2, see M.R.]

Subp 3. **Distribution of money.** The money available from the standardbred breeders' fund shall be distributed as breeders' awards and paid to the breeder, as reflected on the USTA foal certificate, of a Minnesota-bred or Minnesota-foaled horse that fmishes fifth or better m any pari-mutuel or sanctioned USTA non-pari-mutuel race in Minnesota.

[For text of subps 4 to 9, see MR.]

Statutory Authority: MS s 240.18; 240.23

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7895.0275 STANDARDBRED REGISTRATION.

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

[For text of item A, see MR]

- B. Stallions must remain in Minnesota for the entire breeding season from January 31 to July 31 unless:
 - (1) the commission is notified in writing by certified mail; and
- (2) the stallion is leaving Mmnesota for racing purposes, medical purposes, show purposes, or is sold through public auction or sold privately.

A stallion may not breed any mares while outside Minnesota.

A newly acquired stallion which has not been m Mmnesota 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.

[For text of items C to E, see MR]

[For text of subp 2, see MR.]

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[For text of subps 1 to 3, see MR]

Subp 4 Methods of payment. The amount of money distributed by the commission for awards or purse supplements pursuant to subpart 3 shall be paid out for stakes or handicap races in the same percentage as the purse money in the race and shall be paid out in open overnight races and restricted overnight races to Minnesota-bred horses that finish fifth or better. However, the commission may, prior to the beginning of each race meet, establish the maximum amount of earnings per race for a single horse that may be used m calculation of the breeders' fund awards (For example: if the maximum amount of earnings per race per horse is set at \$10,000, then in the event a horse earns any amount over \$10,000 in one race, the breeders' fund awards will be

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calculated based on \$10,000 earnings for that race) The amount of money to be distributed shall be m accordance with subpart 5 Purse supplements earned shall not be included in determining breeders' or stallion awards

[For text of subps 5 and 6, see MR]

Statutory Authority: *MS s 240 18; 240.23*

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