

# **WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE**

## **2018 REGULAR SESSION**

**Introduced**

### **House Bill 4101**

BY DELEGATES SOBONYA AND FRICH

[Introduced January 15, 2018; Referred  
to the Committee on Finance then the Judiciary.]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact §64-7-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
 2 to authorizing the Racing Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to  
 3 thoroughbred racing.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

**ARTICLE 7. AUTHORIZATION FOR DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE TO PROMULGATE  
 LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

**§64-7-1. Racing Commission.**

1 The legislative rule filed in the State Register on July 27, 2017, authorized under the  
 2 authority of §19-23-6 and §19-23-8 of this code, relating to the Racing Commission (thoroughbred  
 3 racing, [178 CSR 1](#)), is authorized with the amendments set forth below:

4 On page 39, subdivision 24.1.f., to read as follows:

5 24.1.f. The fees that shall be paid to the Racing Commission for occupational permits  
 6 issued effective for calendar year 2012 and thereafter are set forth in table 178-1A at the end of  
 7 this rule.

8 And,

9 That Table 178-1A read as follows:

10 **TABLE 178-1 A**  
 11 **OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT FEES**

12 **(Effective for calendar year 2012 and thereafter)**

<b>Stable Name</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>
<b>Corporation</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>
<b>Vendor</b>	<b>\$40.00</b>
<b>Owner (with registration of colors)</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Owner-Trainer (same person)</b>	<b>\$60.00</b>

<b>Trainer</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Assistant Trainer</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Jockey</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Apprentice Jockey</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Jockey Agent</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Practicing Veterinarian</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Veterinarian's Assistant</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Blacksmith</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Authorized Agent (must apply for permit and pay permit fee for each person represented)</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Mutuel Employee</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Photographers, totalisator, film patrol</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Stable Foreman</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Starter</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Assistant Starter</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Association Racing Secretary</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Association Assistant Racing Secretary</b>	<b>\$30.00</b>
<b>Paddock Judge</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>

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**TABLE 178-1 A**  
**continued**  
**OCCUPATIONAL PERMIT FEES**  
**(Effective for calendar year 2012 and thereafter)**

<b>Horsemen's Bookkeeper</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Clerk of Scales</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Clocker</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Timer</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Horse Identifier</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Jockey Room Custodian</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Placing Judge</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Outrider</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Stable Hand</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Concession</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Maintenance</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Groom</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Admission</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Pony Riders</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Parking</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Security</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Exercise Rider</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Video Lottery employees</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>
<b>Others not specified</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>

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NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to authorize the Racing Commission to promulgate a legislative rule relating to thoroughbred racing.

This section is new; therefore, strike-throughs and underscoring have been omitted.