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Notice of Receipt of Petition for Rulemaking

Claiming

N.J.A.C. 13:70-12

Petitioner: Michael Campbell, Executive Director, Thoroughbred Breeders' Association of New Jersey

Take notice that on July 7, 2014 the New Jersey Racing Commission received a petition for rulemaking from Michael Campbell, Executive Director of the Thoroughbred Breeders' Association of New Jersey seeking an amendment to N.J.A.C. 13:70-12 entitled Claiming. The amendment would add 10 percent to the claiming price of each New Jersey-bred horse that starts in a race at a New Jersey racetrack. If a New Jersey-bred horse is claimed, the additional 10 percent would be given to the Thoroughbred Breeders' Association for use in the payment of the New Jersey-bred incentive awards program. As part of the amendment, the Thoroughbred Breeders' Association is proposing that if a New Jersey-bred horse is previously claimed during the racing season, the 10 percent will be reduced to that portion of the claiming price which exceeds the highest prior claiming price. The Thoroughbred Breeders' Association states in its petition that it is requesting this rule amendment due to the increased competition the New Jersey breeding industry is facing from other states in the Mid-Atlantic region that have year-round racing and alternative sources of revenue that have increased their incentive awards program.

In accordance with the provisions of N.J.A.C. 1:30-4.2, the Executive Director will subsequently mail to the petitioner and file with the Office of Administrative Law a notice of action on the petition.

