

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

### Horse Racing

# Horse Race Track Operator Licence

Licensees must comply with all terms and conditions.

## 1.0 Definitions

**“Act”** means The Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Control Act and includes regulations made under the Act.

**“betting theatre”** means a facility that is not located at a horse race track and in which pari-mutuel betting on horse racing may take place.

**“executive director”** means the executive director of the LGCA.

**“horse race track”** means the grounds on which any form of horse racing occurs, and includes any associated buildings and facilities located on or near those grounds.

**“horse racing”** means a prescribed type of race involving horses.

**“LGCA”** means the Liquor, Gaming and Cannabis Authority of Manitoba.

**“licensee”** means a person, business entity or association of persons holding a licence issued by the LGCA. In these terms and conditions, it means the holder of a horse race track operator licence.

**“person”** includes an organization, association, group or partnership, corporation or any other business model.

**“race administration official”** means a judge, steward, veterinarian or person employed or retained by the LGCA to perform these duties in relation to the organization and conduct of horse racing.

**“race official”** means a person identified in the rules of racing that is employed by a horse race track operator.

**“rules of racing”** means the rules of horse racing approved by the executive director.

## 2.0 General

### 2.1

A horse race track operator licence authorizes the licensee to operate a horse race track.

### 2.2

The licensee must comply with all applicable rules of racing.

### 2.3

The licensee must ensure that their employees and those the licensee retains to provide services in relation to their licensed role or activity comply with all applicable rules of racing.

### 2.4

A transfer or assignment of a licence is not valid without the written approval of the executive director.

### 2.5

The licensee must ensure they comply with all federal or provincial enactments, and municipal bylaws.



## 3.0 Operations

### 3.1

The licensee must give the LGCA written notice of all proposed live racing dates for the upcoming season by December 31 each year, unless otherwise approved by the executive director.

### 3.2

The licensee must not change a live racing date, unless approved by the executive director.

### 3.3

Thirty days prior to the commencement of live racing, the licensee must submit a list to the LGCA of all race officials they employ.

## Track/Facilities

### 3.4

The licensee must have adequate facilities and equipment for LGCA staff and race administration officials to perform their duties, including but not limited to:

- a) a judges'/stewards' stand with an unobstructed view of the entire horse race track and finish line;
- b) a communication system;
- c) video replay equipment;
- d) lighting of the entire horse race track; and
- e) office space for administrative functions.

### 3.5

The licensee must ensure the horse race track, including any associated buildings and facilities, are kept in good condition and properly maintained. This includes but is not limited to horse race track conditions that:

- a) are safe for racing; and
- b) allow racing participants, race officials, LGCA staff and race administration officials to properly perform their duties.

### 3.6

Licensees may be required to make changes to the horse race track, including any associated buildings and facilities, which may include but not be limited to construction, renovation, alteration, and equipping.

## Safety/Security

### 3.7

The licensee must maintain security measures at the horse race track, including any associated buildings and facilities, that:

- a) prevent unauthorized persons from gaining entrance to restricted areas; and
- b) prevent persons from interfering with the organization and conduct of horse racing.

### 3.8

The licensee must ensure that an ambulance, qualified emergency medical responders and a vehicle equipped to transport an injured horse are present at the horse race track at all times when racing or training takes place.

## Race Officials/Employees

### 3.9

The licensee must ensure that all race officials required under the rules of racing are present at the horse race track whenever racing or training takes place.

### 3.10

The licensee must ensure that race officials or employees of the licensee and those the licensee retains to provide services involved in the conduct of horse racing do not own a horse registered to race or in training in Manitoba, or engage in any activity related to horse racing, unless otherwise approved by the executive director.

### 3.11

The licensee must ensure that race officials or employees of the licensee and those the licensee retains to provide services involved in the conduct of horse racing do not wager on the outcome of a live horse race in Manitoba.

### 3.12

The licensee must ensure that race officials or employees of the licensee and those the licensee retains to provide services involved in the conduct of horse racing do not give any information or advice to anyone for the purpose of influencing any person to make a wager on any horse in any race.



### 3.13

3.12 does not apply to the naming of selections for advertising purposes.

## Pari-Mutuel Levy

### 3.14

The licensee must collect levies from each bettor at the time a bet is placed in accordance with The Pari-Mutuel Levy Act and Regulations.

### 3.15

On a weekly basis, the licensee must remit the levies noted in 3.14 to the LGCA. A financial report, in a form approved by the LGCA, must be submitted at the time the levies are remitted.

### 3.16

The licensee is not required to remit the levies noted in 3.15 if exempt by regulation.

## 4.0 Recordkeeping/Reporting

### 4.1

The licensee must maintain complete records of all races they hold for at least one year after the expiration of the licence.

### 4.2

The licensee must submit the following to the LGCA by April 1 of each year, unless otherwise approved by the executive director:

- a) the licensee's annual report; and
- b) audited financial statement.

### 4.3

The licensee must notify the LGCA of any matter which the licensee can reasonably assume to be of consequence to the LGCA.

### 4.4

The licensee must provide such further information as required by the LGCA.

## 5.0 Betting Theatre

### 5.1

A betting theatre licence authorizes the licensee to operate a betting theatre at one or more locations that are approved by the executive director.

### 5.2

The licensee must ensure that each betting theatre location complies with all federal or provincial enactments, and municipal bylaws.

### 5.3

The licensee must maintain a valid betting theatre licence issued by the Canadian Pari-Mutuel Agency.

Available in alternate formats, upon request.

