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NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULEMAKING
INCLUDING STATEMENT OF NEED & FISCAL IMPACT

CHAPTER 462
OREGON RACING COMMISSION

FILED

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FILING CAPTION: Establishes rules for necropsy program

LAST DAY AND TIME TO OFFER COMMENT TO AGENCY: 05/28/2024 5:00 PM

The Agency requests public comment on whether other options should be considered for achieving the rule's substantive goals while reducing negative economic impact of the rule on business.

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HEARING(S)

Auxiliary aids for persons with disabilities are available upon advance request. Notify the contact listed above.

DATE: 05/16/2024

TIME: 11:00 AM - 11:00 AM

OFFICER: Quinn Berry

REMOTE HEARING DETAILS

MEETING URL: [Click here to join the meeting](#)

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SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

Passcode: 5HynaU

NEED FOR THE RULE(S)

Establishes rules for necropsy program

DOCUMENTS RELIED UPON, AND WHERE THEY ARE AVAILABLE

Medication and safety meeting discussion. Documents stored electronically with the Oregon Racing Commission.

STATEMENT IDENTIFYING HOW ADOPTION OF RULE(S) WILL AFFECT RACIAL EQUITY IN THIS STATE

No affect

FISCAL AND ECONOMIC IMPACT:

none

COST OF COMPLIANCE:

(1) Identify any state agencies, units of local government, and members of the public likely to be economically affected by the rule(s). (2) Effect on Small Businesses: (a) Estimate the number and type of small businesses subject to the rule(s); (b) Describe the expected reporting, recordkeeping and administrative activities and cost required to comply with the rule(s); (c) Estimate the cost of professional services, equipment supplies, labor and increased administration required to comply with the rule(s).

no additional costs to comply

DESCRIBE HOW SMALL BUSINESSES WERE INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THESE RULE(S):

not needed

WAS AN ADMINISTRATIVE RULE ADVISORY COMMITTEE CONSULTED? YES

ADOPT: 462-160-0145

RULE SUMMARY: Adopts rules for necropsy program.

CHANGES TO RULE:

462-160-0145

Post Mortem Examination/Necropsies

(1) All racehorses that die or are euthanized on racetracks or the grounds where racing is conducted under the jurisdiction of the Oregon Racing Commission's (ORC) shall have a post-mortem examination (necropsy) performed by a board-certified veterinarian pathologist at an appropriate facility.¶

(2) After consultation with the State Veterinarian, if it is determined to not be reasonably feasible to transport the racehorse to a board-certified pathologist, the Executive Director may authorize a post-mortem examination/necropsy which will be conducted by the ORC Veterinarian on site.¶

(3) The Oregon Racing Commission will reimburse the racetrack for reasonable costs of transportation and will pay for costs of the necropsy.¶

(4) Relationships and contact information shall be included in the necropsy standard operating procedure.¶

(5) Any Veterinarian performing a necropsy shall not be an Attending Veterinarian of the affected Horse.

Statutory/Other Authority: ORS 462.270, ORS 462.270 (3)

Statutes/Other Implemented: ORS 462.270, ORS 462.270 (3)