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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 1314, L.D. 1865, Bill, "An Act to Implement the Recommendation of the Harness Racing Task Force Requiring an Executive Director of the State Harness Racing Commission"

Amend the bill by inserting after section 3 the following:

'Sec. 4. Appropriation. The following funds are appropriated from the General Fund to carry out the purposes of this Act.

Table with 2 columns: 1997-98, 1998-99. Row 1: AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND RURAL RESOURCES, DEPARTMENT OF

State Harness Racing Commission

Table with 2 columns: 1997-98, 1998-99. Row 1: Personal Services \$27,466 \$26,475

Appropriates funds for the net costs of replacing the full-time chair of the commission with an executive director position.'

Further amend the bill by inserting at the end before the summary the following:

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

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**FISCAL NOTE**

**1997-98                      1998-99**

**APPROPRIATIONS/ALLOCATIONS**

General Fund    \$27,466                      \$26,475

The State Harness Racing Commission within the Department of Agriculture, Food and Rural Resources will require additional General Fund appropriations of \$27,466 and \$26,475 in fiscal years 1997-98 and 1998-99, respectively, for the net costs of replacing the full-time Chair of the commission with an executive director position.'

**SUMMARY**

This amendment adds an appropriation section and a fiscal note to the bill.