

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION establishing oversight for a Thoroughbred
2 registration system consistent with the policy of the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

3 WHEREAS, Thoroughbred breeding and racing is a signature industry of the
4 Commonwealth; and

5 WHEREAS, Thoroughbred breeding and racing has a substantial impact on
6 Kentucky's agriculture, economy, and employment opportunities; and

7 WHEREAS, any interference with Thoroughbred breeding and racing that creates a
8 restraint on trade must involve a prior notice and comment period wherein the input of all
9 industry participants, as well as the General Assembly, may be presented; and

10 WHEREAS, any unilateral limitations on the registration of Thoroughbred horses
11 are contrary to the policy of this Commonwealth;

12 NOW, THEREFORE,

13 ***Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the***
14 ***Commonwealth of Kentucky, the Senate concurring therein:***

15 ➔Section 1. The Jockey Club shall testify annually or upon request of the chair
16 before the:

17 (1) Interim Joint Committee on Licensing, Occupations, and Administrative
18 Regulations; or

19 (2) House Standing Committee on Licensing, Occupations, and Administrative
20 Regulations and the Senate Standing Committee on Licensing and Occupations.

21 ➔Section 2. The Jockey Club shall update the committees outlined in Section 1 of
22 this Act on the activities of the Jockey Club, and upon request of the committee chair or
23 chairs, communicate, including testifying, on a potential rule change or fee that has the
24 potential to materially affect Thoroughbred breeding or racing in the Commonwealth
25 such that the committee process for notice and comment on the proposed rule change or
26 fee may proceed. The committee or committees may request nonproprietary,
27 nonprivileged information or data that is relevant to the proposed rule change or fee,

- 1 which does not require the Jockey Club to breach a preexisting contractual obligation of
- 2 confidentiality.