

99D.2 Definitions.

As used in [this chapter](#) unless the context otherwise requires:

1. “*Applicant*” means an individual applying for an occupational license or the officers and members of the board of directors of a nonprofit corporation applying for a license to conduct a race where pari-mutuel wagering would be permitted under [this chapter](#).

2. “*Breakage*” means the odd cents by which the amount payable on each dollar wagered in a pari-mutuel pool exceeds a multiple of ten cents.

3. “*Claimant agency*” means a public agency as defined in [section 8A.504, subsection 1](#), or the state court administrator as defined in [section 602.1101](#).

4. “*Commission*” means the state racing and gaming commission created under [section 99D.5](#).

5. “*Holder of occupational license*” means a person licensed by the commission to perform an occupation which the commission has identified as requiring a license to engage in within the racing industry in Iowa.

6. “*Licensee*” means a nonprofit corporation licensed under [section 99D.9](#).

7. “*Pari-mutuel wagering*” means the system of wagering described in [section 99D.11](#).

8. “*Race*”, “*racing*”, “*race meeting*”, “*track*”, and “*racetrack*” refer to dog racing and horse racing, including but not limited to quarterhorse, thoroughbred, and harness racing, as approved by the commission.

9. “*Racetrack enclosure*” means all real property utilized for the conduct of a race meeting, including the racetrack, grandstand, concession stands, offices, barns, kennels and barn areas, employee housing facilities, parking lots, and any additional areas designated by the commission. “*Racetrack enclosure*” also means all real property utilized by a licensee under [this chapter](#) who is not required to conduct live racing pursuant to the requirements of [section 99D.9A](#), on which pari-mutuel wagering on simultaneously telecast horse or dog races may be conducted and lawful gambling is authorized and licensed as provided in [this chapter](#) and [chapter 99F](#).

10. “*Wagering area*” means that portion of a racetrack in which a licensee may receive wagers of money from a person present in a licensed racetrack enclosure on a horse or dog in a race selected by the person making the wager as designated by the commission.

[83 Acts, ch 187, §2; 84 Acts, ch 1265, §1; 84 Acts, ch 1266, §3; 89 Acts, ch 67, §23; 97 Acts, ch 9, §1; 2004 Acts, ch 1136, §2, 3; 2005 Acts, ch 3, §24; 2008 Acts, ch 1172, §1; 2014 Acts, ch 1036, §15; 2014 Acts, ch 1126, §1](#)

Referred to in [§99F.4, 99F.9](#)