

Department of Consumer Affairs  
California State Athletic Commission

## COMMISSION MEETING

*October 2, 2018*

*Los Angeles, CA*



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Vice Chair Mary Lehman  
Commissioner John Frierson  
Commissioner Martha Shen-Urquidez  
Commissioner Van Gordon Sauter  
Commissioner Vernon Williams  
Commissioner Luis Ayala  
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## **COMMISSION MEETING AGENDA**

**Tuesday, October 2, 2018**

**10:00 a.m. - Conclusion of Business**

Location:

*Millennium Biltmore Hotel  
Bernard's Meeting Room  
506 South Grand Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90071*

*ORDER OF ITEMS SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

### **OPEN SESSION**

1. Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance/Roll Call/Establishment of a Quorum
2. Welcome - Chairman's Opening Remarks
  - Tribute to Commissioner Frierson
3. Approval of the July 24, 2018, Commission Meeting Minutes
4. Review and Possible Action of Petition to Change the Decision for Rommel Caballero vs. Erick Rodriguez bout on April 12, 2018, in Indio, CA.
5. Review and approval of the All Event Officials' Pay Scale
6. Discussion and Review of Association of Ringside Physicians' Concussion Protocol and the California State Athletic Commission's minimum medical suspension requirements.
7. Subcommittees Updates:
  - a. Pension Fund Subcommittee (Commissioners Lehman and Ayala)
8. Executive Officer's Report
  - a. Budget Update for the Support Fund, the Neurological Fund, and Pension Program

- b. Report on Pending and Proposed Regulations
    - Examination of Boxer Applicants (Amendment to Title 4, California Code of Regulations section 280.)
  - c. Status Update of Delegated Entities
    - California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts Organizations (CAMO)
    - USA Boxing (USA Boxing)
    - United States Fight League (USFL)
    - International Kickboxing Federation (IKF)
  - d. Update on C3 Logix Sports Concussion Management Program
  - e. BoxRec database system update
  - f. Fiscal year end summary
  - g. Upcoming Event Schedule and discussion regarding event activity
  - h. Staffing update
9. Business and Professions Code section 18640.5 requires the Commission to invite stakeholder testimony at Commission meetings in order to identify actions that may lead to greater opportunities for licensees to participate in major professional boxing contests.
10. Public Comment on Items Not on The Agenda.  
*(The Commission may not discuss or take action on any matter raised during this public comment section, except to decide whether to place the matter on the agenda of a future meeting pursuant to Government Code sections 11125 and 11125.7(a))*
11. Next Meeting Scheduled for December 11, 2018, in Sacramento, CA.

### **CLOSED SESSION**

12. The Board will meet in closed session as authorized by Government Code § 11126(e) (2)(B)(i) to confer with legal counsel regarding possible litigation.

### **OPEN SESSION**

13. California State Athletic Commission Strategic Planning Session
14. ADJOURNMENT

**NOTICE:** The meeting is accessible to the physically disabled. A person who needs disability-related accommodation or modification in order to participate in the meeting may make a request by contacting Heather Jackson at (916) 263-2195 or email [heather.jackson@dca.ca.gov](mailto:heather.jackson@dca.ca.gov) or sending a written request to the California State Athletic Commission, 2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 2010, Sacramento, CA 95815. Providing your request at least five (5) days before the meeting will help ensure availability of the requested accommodation. Requests for further information should be directed to Heather Jackson at the same address and telephone number. Meetings of the California State Athletic Commission are open to the public except when specifically noticed otherwise in accordance with the Open Meetings Act. The audience will be given appropriate opportunities to comment on any issue presented. This meeting will be available for viewing via live webcast. To view the webcast, click the following link and click on the Athletic Commission's link on the Calendar. <https://thedcapage.wordpress.com/webcasts>  
Please note - While the Athletic Commission intends to webcast this meeting, it may not be possible to webcast the entire open meeting due to limitations on resources.

# **AGENDA ITEM**

## **#3**

*Approval of the July 24, 2018,  
Commission Meeting Minutes*



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agenda except public comment.  
Action may be taken on any item listed on

# CALIFORNIA STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION

## MEETING MINUTES

Tuesday, July 24, 2018

10:00 a.m. - Conclusion of Business

Location:

*The Westgate Hotel*  
1055 Second Avenue, Riviera Room  
San Diego, CA 92101

Teleconference Location:

102 Deer Run Road  
Ketchum, Idaho 83340

Commissioners Present

Chair John Carvelli  
Vice Chair Mary Lehman  
Commissioner Martha Shen-Urquidez  
Commissioner Vernon Williams, MD

Staff Present

Andy Foster, Executive Officer  
Sophia Cornejo, Assistant Executive Officer  
Spencer Walker, Legal Counsel  
Heather Jackson, Staff

Commissioners Present via

Teleconference

Commissioner Van Gordon Sauter

Commissioners Absent

Commissioner John Frierson  
Commissioner Luis Ayala

### OPEN SESSION

#### Agenda Item 1 – Call the meeting to Order / Roll Call / Pledge of Allegiance/ Establishment of Quorum

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m., Executive Officer (EO) Andy Foster called Roll and a quorum was established.

#### Agenda Item 2 – Welcome –Chairman’s opening remarks

Chairman John Carvelli welcomed everyone to the meeting and recounted a recent stakeholder meeting where all major boxing sanctioning bodies were present and cooperative with the Commissions efforts to address severe weight cutting and dehydration in boxing.

**Agenda Item 3 – Approval of the February 27, 2018, Commission Meeting Minutes**

EO Foster presented the February 27, 2018, Commission Meeting minutes for approval.

*Commissioner Shen-Urquidez motioned to approve the minutes.*

*Vice Chair Lehman seconded the motion.*

No commissioner or public comment.

*The motion passed 5-0 by roll call vote.*

**Agenda Item 4 – Approval of the May 8, 2018, Commission Meeting Minutes**

EO Foster presented the May 8, 2018, Commission Meeting minutes for approval.

*Vice Chair Lehman motioned to approve the minutes.*

*Commissioner Shen-Urquidez seconded the motion.*

No commissioner or public comment.

*The motion passed 5-0 by roll call vote.*

**Agenda Item 5 – Discussion and possible action regarding the upcoming Association of Boxing Commissions meeting and topics that directly affect California including Report on the June 7, 2018, Stakeholder Summit regarding the 10-point plan expansion to address severe weight cutting in boxing, potential update to sanctioning body ratings criteria, and boxing registry update**

EO Foster reported on the stakeholder meeting (Summit) held on June 7, 2018. He stated the sanctioning bodies offered their support and willingness to adhere to any changes made by the Association of Boxing Commissions (ABC). Mr. Foster explained the ABC's authority to adopt new ratings criteria affecting championship boxing bouts. This will ensure any procedures affect everyone in the country equally.

Mr. Foster requested the Commissioners consider implementing CSAC's Mixed Martial Arts 10-Point Plan (Plan) to Boxing. Mr. Foster explained the positive impact the 10-Point Plan has already had in mixed martial arts in California. He stressed this will have a similar positive impact in boxing as well.

According to EO Foster, a 10% body weight cut is very difficult. Yet, there are many athletes still cutting 20% of their body weight immediately to a fight. Mr. Foster explained drastic weight cutting is extremely unhealthy and potentially dangerous.

The intent of CSAC's 10-Point Plan is to get athletes below 10% weight cut. EO Foster concluded his explanation by asking the Commissioners to consider leading the country in stopping the dangerous practice by adopting the plan.

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez provided background on the rationale for the Commission's initial efforts in combating weight cutting in mixed martial arts. Initially, there appeared to

be a bigger issue in mixed martial arts because of the lack of weight classes, and because many of the athletes come from wrestling where weight cutting is part of the culture. Also, the increase in events, and event sizes may have had some influence in the increase in extreme weight cutting in MMA.

In the recent past, according to Commissioner Shen-Urquidez, CSAC began seeing more extreme weight-cutting and dehydration in boxing. It's not that it didn't occur at all in boxing before. Currently, it appears to be on the rise.

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez stated television networks were invited to the Summit because one of the consequences of the ratings plan being introduced at the ABC convention is the potential of creating unpredictability in viewership. She acknowledged the plan may affect all aspects of the sport and emphasized the necessity to do outreach to prevent anyone from being blindsided by its effects.

Commissioner Williams asked EO Foster to clarify the rationale behind including only the championship bouts. EO Foster explained the Muhammad Ali act authorizes the ABC to establish ratings criteria for sanctioning bodies to use for championship bouts only. He explained to affect positive change in non-championship bouts, either a regulatory change would have to be made at the state level in each individual state, or the Muhammad Ali act would have to be expanded with a new provision.

Vice Chair Lehman provided the public with an overview of the 10- Point Plan, detailing each item and its effect. She commented, as a former fighter, she knows the best fighters always train as if they are going to for the championship. Therefore, she agrees imposing these requirements on championship bouts will initiate a trickle-down effect to the undercards.

Chairman Carvelli recognized the Summit as a significant day in the sport of boxing to have all five sanctioning bodies appear at the request of the Commission. They were not required to attend. He congratulated EO Foster for organizing the Summit. Chairman Carvelli emphasized their attendance was important because to make real changes, CSAC cannot act unilaterally. CSAC needs to coordinate efforts between many organizations.

EO Foster explained the proposed ratings criteria which will be presented at the ABC convention and which was presented at the summit. He further detailed explained the issue of severe weight cutting has been discussed by the ABC's Medical Committee. They are concerned with the 10% number.

Chairman Carvelli asked EO Foster if he believes the athletes receiving large purses have an advantage over those with less resources. EO Foster stated he does believe money has a large influence on an athlete's ability and motivation to be the bigger competitor. He further explained they are more likely to accept an overweight fine to ensure an advantage over their opponent.

CSAC conducted a weight-cut study consisting of 754 boxers. EO Foster presented the from this weight study. He reported of the 754 boxers studied, the average weight change between weigh-in and fight day was 9.8 pounds, which was 7% of the boxer's body weight. He further reported of the 754 studied, 164 boxers gained more than 10% of their body weight on fight day, and more than 20 boxers gained more than 14% on fight day. He concluded by stating the 10% is an attainable goal for now, but should eventually be reduced.

Commissioner Sauter suggested the Commission consider publishing the weight disparity of the athletes. EO Foster and Commissioner Shen-Urquidez agreed and further suggested increasing media and social media interaction on this topic.

*Commissioner Shen-Urquidez motioned to approve implementation of the applicable sections of the 10-Point Plan for Mixed Martial Arts into Boxing; and approve the ratings criteria update, which will be voted on at the Association of Boxing Commissions Annual Conference in Orlando.*

*Commissioner Williams seconded the motion.*

#### Public Comment

Mr. Roy Englebrecht, CSAC Licensed Promoter, expressed his agreement with this issue being addressed, stating he doesn't believe the plan is going far enough. He suggested a program where athletes weigh-in at the beginning of the calendar year and are monitored on a bi-monthly basis.

Mr. Patrick Russell, CSAC Licensed Official, applauds the Commission's efforts on the weight cutting issue in combat sports. He suggested the primary focus should be on education and potential certification.

Mr. Lorenz Larkin, CSAC Licensed Athlete, echoed the idea of athletes who are making more money are less concerned with the financial consequences of missing weight. He suggested the consequences be more severe. Chairman Carvelli asked Mr. Larkin to describe his experiences with opponents missing weight. Mr. Larkin explained especially in the larger televised bouts, the overweight competitor recognizes their opponent is very unlikely to decline the fight and this behavior will continue if something doesn't change.

*The motion passed 5-0 by roll call vote.*

Vice Chair Lehman provided suggestions on the Boxer's Application and Physical forms.

#### **Agenda Item 6 – Report on Gender Equity Task Force (Shen-Urquidez/Lehman)**

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez reported the task force is currently in the information gathering stage. She presented a report which indicates the difference in the average purse amount between male and female competitors in both boxing and mixed martial arts. She explained the data is arranged by scheduled rounds, identifying female championship boxing is not 12 rounds and therefore included in the 10-round category. She confirmed a future report will separate championship boxing into its own category so the comparisons are equal.

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez reported the task force has been working closely with the Contact Sports Foundation which has a subcommittee of its own on gender equity, and is currently commissioning a study from the Global Sports Institute.

Chairman Carvelli asked if the task force has considered addressing safety issues for women in combat sports. Commissioner Shen-Urquidez confirmed several controversial issues have been considered, but the primary focus of the task force is currently on pay disparity.

Vice Chair Lehman and Commissioner Williams reviewed other topics the task force hopes to address in the future, including investigating the difference the effects of dehydration have on female competitors, the relative increased risk in traumatic brain injury for females versus males when they are participating in sports with similar rules. Vice Chair Lehman announced the task force plans to hold a stakeholder meeting inviting the public to express issues and complaints, and gather information and resources.

EO Foster suggested the task force attempt to identify the various revenue streams in both boxing and mixed martial arts. He believes the information will provide a clearer view of the actual pay to be considered in the studies.

#### **Agenda Item 7 – Subcommittee Update: Pension Fund (Lehman/Ayala)**

Vice Chair Lehman provided background on the pension fund, explaining the fund amount and the obstacles in paying vested boxers. She reviewed the vesting requirements for the pension fund and clarified the Commission's ability to pay boxers their retirement early, in special circumstances.

She urged the public to reach out to the Commission main office to get more information about the fund. She concluded her report by requesting EO Foster to add a chart to the report which reflects the number of boxers who are vested and eligible for payments that have not yet been distributed. Commissioner Shen-Urquidez clarified boxers do not have to be a California resident to receive their pension benefits from boxing in California.

#### **Public Comment**

Mr. Lorenz Larkin, CSAC Licensed Athlete, asked the Commission if they have considered implementing a pension fund, like boxing has, for mixed martial arts (MMA). Commissioner Shen-Urquidez and Chairman Carvelli confirmed there have been discussions on expanding the pension fund to include mixed martial arts, explaining the administrative and regulatory effort it takes to achieve such expansion is extensive.

#### **Agenda Item 9 – Business and Professions Code section 18640.5 requires the Commission to invite stakeholder testimony at Commission meetings to identify actions that may lead to greater opportunities for licensees to participate in major professional boxing contests.**

No stakeholder comments received.

**Agenda Item 10 – Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda**

Mr. Roy Englebrecht, CSAC Licensed Promoter, requested information regarding transgender athletes and the process for applying. Vice Chair Lehman confirmed the Commission worked strenuously to implement a licensing and application process for transgender athletes. She suggested if the process isn't clear or there are issues, to let the Commission know so they can make the necessary changes.

**Agenda Item 8 – Executive Officer's Report**

**a. Budget Update for the Support Fund, the Neurological Fund, and Pension Program**

EO Foster reported for Fiscal Year (FY) 2017-18, the Commission deposited approximately \$1,983,000.00 into the Support Fund, \$11,089.00 to the Neurological Examination Account and \$304,886.00 to the Boxer's Pension Fund. He stated as far back as the Department's financial history goes, FY 2017-18 was a record high for the Commission, with respect to revenue. He explained the Commission's revenue structure and how it coincides with its expenditures stating the Commission generates approximately 85% of its revenue from event fees. He further explained to have events, the Commission must staff those events, incurring expenditures which can fluctuate dramatically.

**b. Report on Pending and Proposed Regulations**

• **Examination of Boxer Applicants (Amendment to Title 4, California Code of Regulations section 280.)**

Assistant Executive Officer, Sophia Cornejo reported the rulemaking package was still over at the Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) for review, and the last update she received from DCA was the package had been routed to the Budget Office.

Vice Chair Lehman stated it's her understanding the package has been under review for a year, although the delay is on the front end and her concern is not running out of time at the Office of Administrative Law, she asked if there was a way to expedite the review process at the Department level. DCA Legal Counsel, Spencer Walker stated the Department had to search for the package which and it was found in Mr. Gary Duke's office, at which time Mr. Walker could review it. He further explained the reasoning of the package not being approved by legal until April 2018, adding the package is now on track and back on schedule.

**c. Status Update of Delegated Entities**

• **California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts Organizations (CAMO)**

Mr. JT Steele, President, reported since the last Commission meeting there have been no major injuries for review and provided a written report of all suspensions issued since that meeting. He also provided the Commissioners with CAMO's most

recent tax returns, including an internal financial report and stated the CAMO reserves are within operating ranges.

Mr. Steele reported CAMO is in the process of designing a new comprehensive drug testing program that includes anabolic steroids. He explained they intend to use the laboratory services of Request-A-Test, and will allow for collections by CAMO inspectors or Request-A-Test representatives. He mentioned the cost of implementing a drug testing program does present some financial obstacles and requested some guidance from the Commission and EO Foster to help alleviate some of those concerns.

- USA Boxing (USA Boxing)

Mr. Mike McAtee, Executive Director, reported USA Boxing has concluded their 2017 independent audit. He stated he will be posting the results of the audit on their website and including it in his report for the next Commission meeting.

He reported USA Boxing is subject to the U.S. Center for SafeSport (USOC) requirements for member education, regulations, and reporting requirements. As such, USA Boxing requires all non-athlete members, coaches, officials, and administrators and staff, to take USOC's SafeSport Training prior to being approved for membership and/or employment.

In addition to the SafeSport education requirements, he reported USA Boxing has also implemented education courses and certifications for coaches. The first of which being the HeadsUp training offered through the Center for Disease Control's website at no cost. He explained USA Boxing is currently developing a new Coach's Education Plan which includes creating educational videos to address weight management and nutrition practices.

Mr. McAtee further reported USA Boxing has passed their strategic plan and highlighted their efforts toward female growth in the sport. He explained the focus does not end with the female competitors, they are striving to increase female participation in boxing coaches, officials, and administrators. He stated the goal is to increase female participation by 15% by the year 2020, 22.5% by 2022, and 30% by 2024.

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez requested Mr. McAtee provide a status of USA Boxing's enhanced background check procedures and policies. Mr. McAtee explained USA Boxing's understanding of their industry, stating Boxing has historically been a second path for a lot of individuals with uneasy pasts. He continued, to provide support for those individuals USA Boxing overhauled their background requirements and implemented criteria for denials, and appeal procedures.

Commissioner Shen-Urquidez inquired about USA Boxing's status of adding weight classes for the Olympics. Mr. McAtee responded the International Olympic Committee (IOC) has requested eight male weight classes and five female weight

classes. He added the International Boxing Association (AIBA) recently concluded a meeting and his impression is AIBA is still working with the IOC to finalize weight classes which promote gender neutrality.

- United States Fight League (USFL)

Mr. Jon Frank, President, mentioned the materials omitted the number of bouts on the June 16, 2018, event, which was 16 bouts. He reported USFL held a total of 91 bouts within 7 events since the last Commission meeting. He further reported two suspensions issued since the last meeting, the first was a 17-year-old who fractured their hand during the bout, and the second, a 14-year-old who suffered a fractured arm resulting from a takedown.

Additionally, Mr. Frank reported of the 1294 athletic exposures since their delegation in September 2014, USFL has experienced a total of 20 injuries which required medical suspensions from competition or training. He announced Dr. Adam Brooks is tentatively scheduled to make a presentation before the Association of Ringside Physicians' annual conference in October.

Chairman Carvelli asked Mr. Frank's impression of how the delegation is going. Mr. Frank acknowledged the sport is growing and discussed the various challenges of providing appropriate oversight on a sport so new.

Chairman Carvelli suggested USFL consider increasing their outreach to spotlight participants who have graduated to coaches, community leaders, and advanced athletes. Mr. David Bramlette, USFL Promoter, suggested the lack of participation and positive exposure of the sport may be, in part, a result of the delegation. He clarified the tournaments are currently not feasible because of the cost of registering with USFL. Mr. Lorenz Larkin, USFL Promoter, echoed Mr. Bramlette's concerns regarding the tournament costs and expressed his interest in bringing the youth tournaments back to California, adding the youth tournaments allow the participants to compete multiple times a day in a safe way.

- International Kickboxing Federation (IKF)

Mr. Steve Fossum, President, was unable to attend the meeting. EO Foster presented the Commission with his written report submitted in the meeting materials.

**d. Update on C3 Logix Sports Concussion Management Program**

EO Foster reported he and Mr. Frank Carruba from C3 Logix have been working in consultation with Dr. Williams to expand the C3 Logix testing sites which will allow athletes more access to take the test.

He explained the Ultimate Fighting Championship is now implementing C3 Logix into their protocol. He added, with the authorization of each tested athlete, he hopes to be able to share the results of the Commission's C3 Logix testing with UFC's doctors to prevent duplicative testing.

He further reported the Commission has testing close to 900 athletes tested and feel confident the testing goals will be met. Commissioner Shen-Urquidez asked EO Foster if any athlete has been baseline tested for a second time. EO Foster responded there have been repeat athletes and the data is available, however neither he nor his staff can decipher the information. Commissioner Williams asked EO Foster to clarify whether the second tests are baselines or follow-up tests after an event. EO Foster responded the tests were secondary baselines.

**e. Upcoming Event Schedule and discussion regarding event activity**

EO Foster presented the Commission with the updated event schedule and directed their attention to the September 9, 2018, K2 Promotions event in Inglewood, California, at the Forum. Additionally, he directed the Commissioner's to the August 11, 2018, Golden Boy event which will be the first ever live streamed world title fight. He discussed the significance streaming services have on the industry and how consumers are receiving content, adding it is constantly changing.

**f. Staffing update**

EO Foster reported he has requested the creation of two retired annuitant positions to assist inspectors in the field. He further reported he was told by Ms. Nicole Le, Deputy Director over Human Resources at the Department of Consumer Affairs, the resurrection of the Chief Athletic Inspector classification did not make it on the State Personnel Board's agenda for the August meeting.

Chairman Carvelli expressed disappointment with the process taking as long as it has.

**Agenda Item 10 – Public Comment on Items Not on the Agenda**

Chairman Carvelli wished Commissioner Williams a happy birthday.

Mr. James Beers, CSAC Referee Applicant, introduced himself to the Commission and gave his background and credentials in the sport.

**Agenda Item 11 – Next Meeting Scheduled for October 2, 2018, in Los Angeles, CA**

The next meeting is scheduled for October 2, 2018, in Los Angeles, CA.

**Agenda Item 12 – ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting Adjourned.

# **AGENDA ITEM**

## **#4**

*Review and Possible Action of Petition to  
Change Decision for Rommel Caballero  
vs. Erick Rodriguez bout on  
April 12, 2018, in Indio, CA*



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## MEMORANDUM

<b>DATE</b>	October 2, 2018
<b>TO</b>	Commissioners California State Athletic Commission
<b>FROM</b>	Andy Foster, Executive Officer California State Athletic Commission
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Agenda Item #4</b> – Review and Possible Action of Petition to Change the Decision for Rommel Caballero vs. Erick Rodriguez bout on April 12, 2018, in Indio, CA

### BACKGROUND

On April 13, 2018, the Commission received a formal petition to change a decision from Robert Diaz on behalf of Golden Boy Promotions and Rommel Caballero. The bout occurred at Fantasy Sprints Casino on April 12, 2018, and ended in a draw due to an accidental head butt which resulted in an injury Erik Rodriguez's eye.

### APPEAL DETAIL SUMMARY

Mr. Diaz on behalf of Mr. Caballero, claims that during the bout, there was an accidental head butt which resulted in a cut on Mr. Rodriguez. He claims the doctor examined Mr. Rodriguez and determined that the cut and injury were minor and allowed the bout to continue. He further claims Mr. Rodriguez refused to continue, and the bout should have resulted in a TKO for Mr. Caballero.

Mr. Diaz provided video footage of the bout and the Commission also received written statements from Wayne Hedgpeth, the referee, and Roger Chapa, the CSAC Inspector assigned to Mr. Rodriguez's corner. These statements are attached for your review. Commission staff will also play the video footage provided by Mr. Diaz.



## PETITION FOR CHANGE OF DECISION UNDER 4 CCR § 368

This request is to be forwarded to the Commission office at 2005 Evergreen Street, Suite 2010, Sacramento, California 95815 or via email at [csac@dca.ca.gov](mailto:csac@dca.ca.gov) and must be received by the office within five (5) days of the decision per 4 CCR § 368<sup>1</sup>. This form is recommended but optional. The only requirements are that the petition be in writing and timely delivered to the Commission.

Petitioner Name: Roberto Diaz on behalf of Golden Boy Promotions and Boxer Rommel Caballero

Petitioner Address: 626 Wilshire Blvd, Ste 350, Los Angeles, CA 90017

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Decision/ Bout: April 12, 2018 Bout Results: Draw

Manager Name: Marcos Caballeros

Under which subsection(s) of 4 CCR § 368 are you requesting a change of decision (please check all that apply):

- (a) There was collusion affecting the result of the contest;
- (b) The compilation of the scorecard of the judges, and the referee when used as a judge, shows an error which would mean that the decision was given to the wrong boxer;
- (c) There was a violation of the laws or rules and regulations governing boxing which affected the result of the contest.

If requesting a change of decision under subsections (a) or (b), please explain in detail the facts showing you qualify for a change of decision under that section (attach additional sheets if necessary). Please also attach to this form any further factual support in support of your position.

**BOUT WAS RULED A DRAW, DUE TO AN ACCIDENTAL HEAD BUTT WHICH RESULTED IN A CUT ON THE OPPONENT. DOCTOR EXAMINED OPPONENT / ERIC RODRIGUEZ. DOCTOR DETERMINE THAT THE CUT AND INJURY WERE MINOR AND ALLOWED THE BOUT TO CONTINUE. ERIC RODRIGUEZ**

<sup>1</sup> Note that 4 CCR 368, subd. (e), allows the Commission, on a vote of at least a majority of the commissioners present, to hold a hearing to change a decision at any time.

**REFUSED TO CONTINUE. IT IS FOR THESE FACTS AND REASON THAT GBP ON BEHALF OF ROMMEL CABALLERO**

**RESPECTFULLY REQUEST THAT THE DECISION BE OVER TURNED AND RULED A TKO IN FAVOR OF ROMMEI CABALLERO**

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If requesting a change of decision under subsection (c), please answer the following questions and also attach to this form any further factual information in support of your position:

**What Laws, Rules or Regulations governing boxing were violated in your bout? NO VIOLATIONS OF ANY SPECIFIC RULES. CHANGE OF DECISION BASED OF THE FACTS THAT DOCTOR ALLOWED BOXER ERIC RODRIGUEZ TO CONTINUE AND ERIC RODRIGUEZ REFUSED TO CONTINUE**

**How did the violation of those Laws, Rules or Regulations affect the result of your bout?**  
**THE CIRCUMSTANCE AND FACTS WHERE DOCTOR ALLOWED BOXER TO CONTINUE AND BOXER ERIC RODRIGUEZ REFUSED TO CONTINUE SHOULD OF RESULTED IN A TKO FOR ROMMEL CABALLERO AND IN FACT WAS ERRONEOSLY RULED A DRAW. BECAUSE OF THESE FACTS, GBP RESPECTFULLY REQUEST THAT THE RESULT OF THIS BOUT BE CHANGED TO A TKO IN FAVOR ROMMEL CABALLERO**

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Will you require the services of an interpreter at a hearing if one is scheduled?  Yes\*  No

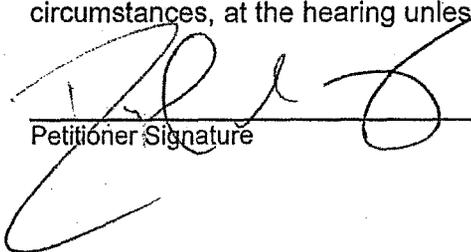
\*If yes, please state what language: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you relying on any videos, photos or other multi-media in support of your position?

Yes\*  No

\*If yes, please attach and/or otherwise send videos/photos or other multi-media to the Commission along with this form.

No new videos/photos or multi-media [or other evidence] will be allowed, absent extraordinary circumstances, at the hearing unless it is submitted beforehand to the Commission.

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Petitioner Signature

July 6, 2018

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



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MASTER SCORE SHEET

DATE: 04/12/18 | NAME OF EVENT: Golden Boy Promotions | LOCATION: Fantasy Springs Casino-84-245 Indio Springs Pkwy. Indio, CA 92201

BOUT #6

Judge (White) Pat Russell						
Name Rommel Caballero			Name Eric Rodriguez			
Net Points	Points Deducted	Round Points	Round	Round Points	Points Deducted	Net Points
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Judge (Blue) Rudy Barragan						
Name Rommel Caballero			Name Eric Rodriguez			
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Judge (Red) Tony Grebs						
Name Rommel Caballero			Name Eric Rodriguez			
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Results: TECH DRAW

Remarks: REFEREE STOPPED CONTEST AFTER ACCIDENTAL HEADBUT CAUSING INJURY TO RODRIGUEZ EYE & VISION

Wayne Hedgepeth  
 Referee Name Wayne Hedgepeth

Signature of Commission Representative  
 [Signature]

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August 20, 2018

California State Athletic Commission  
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**Re: Statement regarding the contest *Rommel Caballero vs Eric Rodríguez***  
**Date of Fight: April 12, 2018**

Honorable Commissioners:

On August 20, 2018, I was contacted by Ms. Sophia Cornejo regarding the events of the stoppage for the fight of *Rommel Caballero vs Eric Rodríguez*. I was the assigned inspector for that fight. I do have a good recollection of the events of the night. I recall the bout was the swing bout and last fight of the night. Also, with what transpired with the stoppage, this contest was discussed by the officials at the end of the night. Ms. Cornejo requested that I prepare a statement to submit to the Commission.

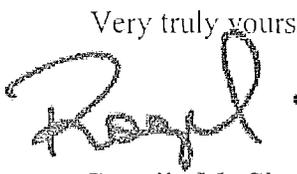
What I recall was that it was a competitive spirited fight. Half way through the first round Mr. Rodríguez sustained a cut to his eye brow on his left eye. It is my custom before every fight that I am assigned to instruct each and every cut man that if their fighter is cut and they wish to apply medication to stop the bleeding (I do recall being shown Adrenaline by the cut man in the back room), they are to notify me in the corner so I can see the application of the medication to the gauze. In this instance, the cut man did notify me and I observed him apply the Adrenaline to the gauze. I do recall there being a large amount of blood in the left eye area of Mr. Rodríguez. With any cuts my first concern is to check on the size of the laceration. I do this so I can inform the referee of the severity of the cut when he comes to check on the fighter after they collect the scoring cards at the end of the round. Once the cut was cleaned and pressure was applied I could see that the cut did not appear to be of substantial size. I informed the referee of the size of the cut and that the bleeding seemed to be under control. I then heard Mr. Rodríguez say to his corner in Spanish "no puedo ver" (I can't see). Concerned that he may have an injury to the eye I proceeded to inform the referee of the fighter's condition and inability to see. The referee examined the fighter. His corner pled with the referee that it was a little cut and not to stop the fight. After the examination of the fighter, the referee turned around and proceed to walk to the commission table on the other side of the ring. The fighter continued to tell his corner that he could not see. It was at this time the cut man said that he wanted to stop the fight. I heard this and in Spanish I made a verbal statement to Mr. Rodríguez directly to see

if he wanted to stop the fight. He agreed with his corner and again said he cannot see. I confirmed his response again and then went to grab the referee who stopped off the contest.

Once the referee stopped the fight, Mr. Rodríguez nor his corner never contest the stoppage of the fight. They did protest that a headbutt caused the cut. Their only concern was if the fight would end in a draw or TKO. They were asking me if I knew what the outcome would be. I told them that was the referee's decision. It was ultimately declared a draw.

Should you have any other questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly. My cell phone number is

Very truly yours,



Rogelio M. Chapa, Esq.  
CSAC Athletic Inspector



September 10, 2018

Ms. Sophia Cornejo,  
Assistant Executive Officer  
California State Athletic Commission

Re: Notice of Hearing –Rommel Caballero vs. Eric Rodriguez

Dear Ms. Cornejo:

I am writing in response to the recent letter I received from your office dated August 28, 2018 regarding the above referenced notice of hearing. The boxing match between Rommel Caballero vs. Eric Rodriguez was held on April 12, 2018 at Fantasy Springs Casino in Indio, California.

I recall that the bout was ruled a “technical draw” due to the occurrence of an accidental head butt which as memory serves me occurred in the second round of a scheduled four round bout. The fight was held in association with ABC rules of boxing adopted by California Code of Regulations-Chapter 1, professional boxing rules. The specific boxing rule governing this bout is reference number 339-Unintentional Fouling:

- (a) When a bout is interrupted due to an injury caused by an unintentional foul, the referee in consultation with the ringside physician shall determine whether the boxer who has been fouled can continue or not. If the referee sees, or if after consultation with the judges, determines that a boxer is unintentionally fouled and if the boxer’s chance of winning has not been seriously jeopardized as a result of a foul, the referee may order the bout continued after a reasonable interval.

It is my recollection that boxer Eric Rodriguez sustained a severe cut to his left eye due to an accidental clash of heads with boxer Rommel Caballero. I observed the head butt that resulted in cut to the eye and announced that it was due to an accidental head butt, blood from the injury appeared to stream into the eye of Mr. Rodriguez appearing to obstruct his vision. Rodriguez in response to the blood flow into his eye attempted to wipe the blood away using his boxing glove. As the round ended, I summoned the doctor to come into the ring to examine the cut and the flow of blood into the boxer’s eye. As the doctor and I approached the corner of Rodriguez we observed the boxers cut man applying pressure on the cut to suppress the bleeding, which seemed to be under control. The ringside doctor examined the cut and spoke with the boxers corner men and subsequently indicated that the fighter could continue.

After that moment, the doctor and I walked across the ring towards the exit, the doctor left the ring and suddenly the inspector from CSAC called my name to get my attention and inform me that boxer Rodriguez complained that he had difficulty seeing out of his eye. Subsequently, I returned back to the corner of Mr. Rodriguez and his corner men reiterated that Rodriguez was unable to see out of his eye where the cut occurred. Subsequently, I asked boxer Rodriguez if he was able to continue boxing and he replied no, at that point I made the decision to stop the fight by waving my arms above my head and proceeded to inform Mr. Mark Relyea as to the

reason I stopped the fight. I informed Mark the fight result should be ruled a **“technical draw”** due to the accidental head butt, and resulting injury also the fact the fight had not reached the beginning of the fourth round.

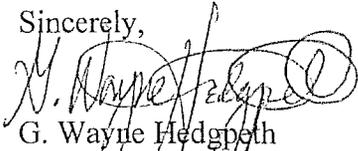
**Part (b) of CA boxing rule #339** states the following: if the referee and/or ringside physician determine that the bout may not continue because of an injury suffered as the result of an unintentional foul or because of an injury inflicted by an unintentional foul which later becomes aggravated by fair blows, the bout must be **declared a draw** if the bout is stopped before the bell rings to begin the fourth round. After the bell rings to begin the fourth round, the outcome shall be determined by scoring the completed rounds and the round during which the referee or ringside physician stopped the bout.

**CA Boxing rule # 345:** States the referee shall have the power to stop a contest at any stage if he or she considers it too one-sided, or if either contestant is in such condition that to continue might subject him or her to serious injury, and in either case to render a decision in the manner prescribed by Rule 339. Further, regardless of any examination by the ringside physician, if a boxer unequivocally manifests the intent to stop fighting, the referee shall immediately stop the contest.

As a referee in boxing part of my primary responsibilities is to ensure the safety of each boxer and make certain he or she has not taken unnecessary and/or excessive damage during the course of a fight that could lead to serious physical body and brain damage. Again my concern, during the above referenced fight was the serious cut and my observation of the subsequent blood flow into the eye of Mr. Rodriguez. It is not my call to challenge whether or not the injured boxer could or couldn't see out of his eye. At the time of the ringside physician's brief examination the boxer didn't complain of not being able to see out of his eye, perhaps he was preoccupied with his cut man stopping the flow of blood. The immediate focus of the doctor at the time was the severity of the cut, and stoppage of bleeding.

I wish to inform the commission that I do not plan to attend the hearing scheduled for October 2, 2018. In regards to the petition for change of decision under 4 CCR -368 to I defer that decision to CSAC upon review of and consideration of the aforementioned report herein submitted.

Sincerely,



G. Wayne Hedgpeth  
Licensed Professional Boxing Referee

C. Mr. John Carvelli, Chairmen  
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August 28, 2018

Rogelio Chapa

**RE: NOTICE OF HEARING – ROMMEL CABALLERO VS. ERIC RODRIGUEZ**

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Wayne Hedgpeth

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Rommel Caballero

**RE: NOTICE OF HEARING – ROMMEL CABALLERO VS. ERIC RODRIGUEZ**

Dear Mr. Caballero:

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Jeff Roberts

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Mark Relyea

**RE: NOTICE OF HEARING – ROMMEL CABALLERO VS. ERIC RODRIGUEZ**

Dear Mr. Relyea:

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Burton Eddie Alejandre

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Andre Guerrero

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Roberto Diaz  
Golden Boy Promotions

**RE: NOTICE OF HEARING – ROMMEL CABALLERO VS. ERIC RODRIGUEZ**

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506 S Grand Avenue  
Los Angeles, CA 90071
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# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#5**

*Review and Approval of the All Event  
Officials Pay Scale*



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## MEMORANDUM

<b>DATE</b>	October 2, 2018
<b>TO</b>	Commissioners California State Athletic Commission
<b>FROM</b>	Andy Foster, Executive Officer California State Athletic Commission
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Agenda Item #5</b> – Review and Approval of the All Event Officials' Pay Scale

### BACKGROUND

In recent years, California has experienced an increase in the number of title fights scheduled during an event. The All Event Officials' Pay Scale, as it stands today, does not allow officials assigned to title bouts to also work any other bout other than the title bout they were assigned. To ensure events in California are staffed appropriately, the Commission needs some level of discretion to allow title fight officials to be used in undercard bouts when necessary.

### RECOMMENDATION

I propose the following amendment to the note under "Minimum Pay for Professional Referees and Judges for most Recognized World Championship Bouts."

'NOTE: Referees and Judges who are assigned to work these bouts may work up to two undercard bouts at the discretion of the Executive Officer or his/her designee.'

# California State Athletic Commission - All Event Officials' Pay Scale

## Minimum Pay for Professional Referees and Judges For Most Recognized World Championship Bouts\*

\*Include Interim and Vacant Championship

\*Depending on the Magnitude of the Event and or the Boxer's Purse

WBA - World Boxing Association

WBC - World Boxing Council

IBF - International Boxing Federation

WBO - World Boxing Organization

IBO - International Boxing Organization

Referee = \$1,900.00

Judge = \$1,600.00

Timekeeper = \$400.00

**NOTE:** Referees and Judges who are assigned to work these bouts may be assigned to work up to two undercard bouts at the discretion of the Executive Officer or his/her designee.

## Minimum Pay for Professional Referees and Judges For Regional Championship Bouts\*

\*Include Interim and Vacant Championships

\*Depending on the Magnitude of the Event and the Boxer's Purse

WBA - World Boxing Association

WBC - World Boxing Council

IBF - International Boxing Federation

WBO - World Boxing Organization

IBO - International Boxing Organization

Any Other - Promotional Titles

Referee = \$600.00

Judge = \$500.00

Timekeeper = \$300.00

**NOTE:** Referees and Judges who are assigned to work these bouts may be assigned to work undercard bouts.

**Standard Officials' Pay Scale**  
**Professional Boxing, MMA, Muay Thai and Kickboxing**

Net Gate	Referee	Judge	Timekeeper
0 - \$50,000	\$350.00	\$300.00	\$200.00
\$50,000 - \$100,000	\$450.00	\$350.00	\$250.00
\$100,000 AND ABOVE	\$650.00	\$550.00	\$300.00

Net Gate	Physicians*
0 - \$10,000	\$300.00
\$10,001 - \$20,000	\$350.00
\$20,001 - \$30,000	\$400.00
\$30,001 - \$75,000	\$500.00
\$75,001 - \$85,000	\$600.00
\$85,001 - \$99,999	\$700.00
\$100,000 AND ABOVE	\$750.00

Physicians who work weigh-ins will be paid an additional \$250.00 plus mileage, if applicable, plus an additional \$40 per extra athlete over twelve (12) athlete pre-bout examinations.

**NOTES:**

- Net Gate represents the total gross receipts plus television of any kind and video income, minus State, Pension and Neurological Fund taxes.
- The number of officials assigned is dependent on the number of rounds, bouts and or championship bouts.
- A minimum of two (2) Ringside Physicians will be assigned to each event.
- Officials shall be paid a mileage allowance of .56 cents per mile for actual round-trip travel from Official's residence to the venue.
- Officials that are assigned to events that are 100 miles (one way) or more from their residence shall be provided a hotel room and \$40.00 per day as a meal allowance. For safety reasons a five (5) mile allowance to this policy will exist for such cases where officials may have to travel late night.
- Officials will be entitled to compensation of \$100 if any event is cancelled by the promotion company. This fee will be approved by the California State Athletic Commission Management Team.

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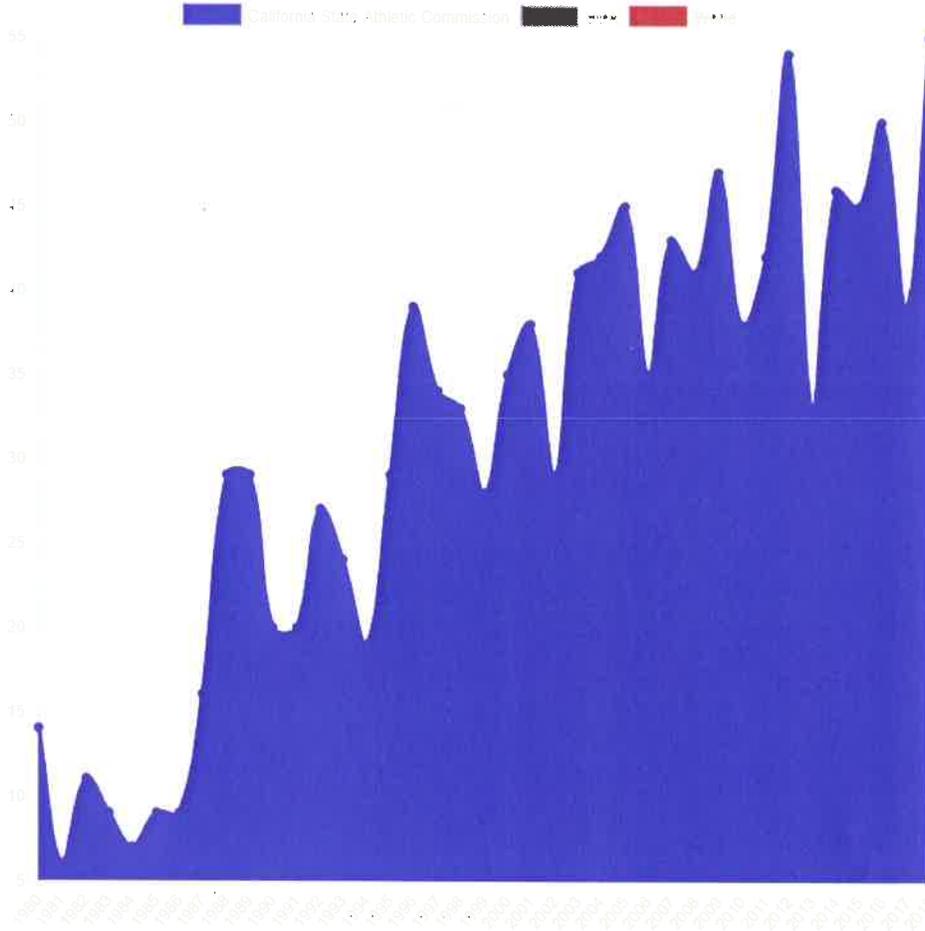
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California State Athletic Commission Historical Title Bouts

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# **AGENDA ITEM**

## **#6**

*Discussion And Review Of The  
Association Of Ringside Physicians'  
Concussion Protocol and The California  
State Athletic Commission's Minimum  
Medical Suspension Requirements*



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## MEMORANDUM

<b>DATE</b>	October 2, 2018
<b>TO</b>	Commissioners California State Athletic Commission
<b>FROM</b>	Andy Foster, Executive Officer California State Athletic Commission
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Agenda Item #6</b> - Discussion and Review of Association of Ringside Physicians' Concussion Protocol and the California State Athletic Commission's minimum medical suspension requirements.

### BACKGROUND

The Association of Ringside Physicians has recently released a new consensus statement titled "Concussion management in Combat Sports." This is the first written consensus statement that specifically addresses concussions in combat sports and return to competition after a concussion. This consensus statement sets guidelines for ringside physicians, fighters, officials, trainers, and promoters to use.

### RECOMMENDATION

I recommend this Commission ask the Advisory Committee on Medical and Safety Standards to review the statement at their next scheduled meeting and report back to the Commission on ways to increase awareness, safety, return to competition guidelines and uniformity to addressing concussions in combat sports.



OPEN ACCESS

# Concussion management in combat sports: consensus statement from the Association of Ringside Physicians

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## ABSTRACT

Various organisations and experts have published numerous statements and recommendations regarding different aspects of sports-related concussion including definition, presentation, treatment, management and return to play guidelines.<sup>1-7</sup>

To date, there have been no written consensus statements specific for combat sports regarding management of combatants who have suffered a concussion or for return to competition after a concussion. In combat sports, head contact is an objective of the sport itself. Accordingly, management and treatment of concussion in combat sports should, and must, be more stringent than for non-combat sports counterparts.

The Association of Ringside Physicians (an international, non-profit organisation dedicated to the health and safety of the combat sports athlete) sets forth this consensus statement to establish management guidelines that ringside physicians, fighters, referees, trainers, promoters, sanctioning bodies and other healthcare professionals can use in the ringside setting. We also provide guidelines for the return of a combat sports athlete to competition after sustaining a concussion. This consensus statement does not address the management of moderate to severe forms of traumatic brain injury, such as intracranial bleeds, nor does it address the return to competition for combat sports athletes who have suffered such an injury. These more severe forms of brain injuries are beyond the scope of this statement. This consensus statement does not address neuroimaging guidelines in combat sports.

information in combat sports regarding concussion are lacking. Hence, the majority of this statement is an amalgamation of current recommendations on concussion in non-combat sports with the current best practices in combat sports and the collective expertise and experience of its authors having provided ringside medical coverage over many years. Initially, the later mentioned guidelines were created and broadly agreed on by the entire ARP board. A small group of the authors (JN and NS), who subspecialise in sports-related concussion, was then delegated the task to compose the first draft of the accompanying statement. Once the first draft was completed, the remaining authors (RT, RM, DM, PR, RC, BJ, MG and JS), who sub-specialise in neurology, neuroanaesthesiology and neurosurgery, first edited the document. All remaining authors (BS, LL, EA, RW, JE, JG, RB, DC, AG, SG, PG, NR, PW, AF, CI) including those who do not specialise in neurosciences, then performed final edits. The final draft of the manuscript was reviewed and approved by all authors. Since the original final draft of April 2017, the statement has been revised to this current document. The revised document is based on consensus statements, guidelines and other related articles subsequently published. The revision has followed the same editing process as the original 2017 document.

## DEFINITIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

### Concussion

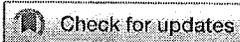
The fifth international consensus statement on concussion in sport defines concussion as '[a subset of mild] traumatic brain injury induced by biomechanical forces'<sup>5</sup> Several common features that may be used in clinically defining the nature of a concussive head injury can be found in box 1.

### Knock out (KO)

The definition of a KO differs depending on the combat sport. In boxing/kickboxing, it is defined as the failure of a combatant to get up after being knocked down by his or her opponent before the referee counts to 10. Furthermore, in boxing/kickboxing, the referee can waive off a count of 10 and stop the bout via KO if it is clear the combatant will not be able to get up (eg, loss of consciousness (LOC)). KO can happen due to head blows or body blows. In the latter, a KO is most likely

## PREAMBLE: DEVELOPMENT OF THIS STATEMENT

This consensus statement expresses a collaborative effort among the Association of Ringside Physicians (ARP) board, emeritus board and some ARP subject matter expert members. The statement was originally made available for public view on the ARP website (<http://www.ringsidearp.org/>) in April of 2017. An extensive literature search including but not restricted to MEDLINE (<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pubmed/>), Cochrane Reviews (<http://www.cochrane.org/reviews/>) and non-indexed peer-reviewed articles published in online medical journals was performed regarding combat sports and concussion. Unfortunately, significant studies/articles/



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**Box 1** Definition of concussion from the consensus statement on concussion in sport: the 5th International Conference on Concussion in Sport held in Berlin, October 2016<sup>5</sup>

1. Concussion may be caused either by a direct blow to the head, face, neck or elsewhere on the body with an impulsive force transmitted to the head.
2. Concussion typically results in the rapid onset of short-lived impairment of neurological function that resolves spontaneously. However, in some cases, symptoms and signs may evolve over a number of minutes to hours.
3. Concussion may result in neuropathological changes, but the acute clinical symptoms largely reflect a functional disturbance rather than a structural injury and, as such, no abnormality is seen on standard structural neuroimaging studies.
4. Concussion results in a range of clinical signs and symptoms that may or may not involve loss of consciousness. Resolution of the clinical and cognitive symptoms typically follows a sequential course. However, in some cases symptoms may be prolonged.

The clinical signs and symptoms cannot be explained by drug, alcohol, or medication use, other injuries or other comorbidities.

not associated with concussion. However, when a KO happens due to a head blow(s), a concussion is likely on account of some degree of neurological impairment impeding the combatant to get up before the count of 10 is up. Although LOC can occur, other impairments such as disorientation and balance difficulty could prevent a combatant to get up before the 10 count and are consistent with a concussion. However, it is also important to recognise that these impairments could be due to injuries other than concussion (eg, moderate/severe traumatic brain injury and inner ear injury). In mixed martial arts (MMA), KO is defined as stoppage of the bout by the referee because a combatant has LOC due to a head blow. In this case, it is clear that a concussion has been sustained.

#### Technical KO (TKO)

The definition of TKO in combat sports is much more complex as it encompasses a wide variety of reasons why the fight was stopped. In boxing/kickboxing and MMA, a TKO can be given if a doctor stops the fight due concern about an injury (eg, laceration, concussion and orthopaedic injury). In all combat sports, a TKO is also awarded if the combatant or the combatant's corner requests that the bout not continue ('throwing in the towel'). In both boxing/kickboxing and MMA, if the referee determines that a combatant is no longer adequately defending himself or herself, not fighting back or taking a significant amount of 'punishment' (head or body shots), he or she can subjectively call an end to the bout via a TKO. In some formats of boxing/kickboxing, a TKO can be awarded if the 3 knockdown rule is in place. This rule means that the fight will be stopped if a combatant is knocked down three times within the same round. In all of these instances, there are no mention of signs or symptoms of concussion. Concussion can certainly accompany a TKO, but a TKO does not always have to be associated with a concussion. Lastly, concussion can still occur even if there is no KO or TKO.

**Box 2** Signs and symptoms of concussion<sup>5</sup>

- ▶ Somatic symptoms (eg, headache, nausea/vomiting, light/noise sensitivity and vision problems).
- ▶ Cognitive symptoms (eg, foggy feeling, memory problems and difficulty concentrating).
- ▶ Emotional symptoms (eg, labile mood).
- ▶ Physical signs (eg, loss of consciousness, confusion, difficulty making eye contact, slurred/slow speech and sluggish/change in fighting style).
- ▶ Balance impairment (eg, dizziness, difficulty walking and stumbling).
- ▶ Behavioural changes (eg, irritability).
- ▶ Cognitive impairment (eg, slow to react, slow to answer questions and not oriented to person, location or date/round).
- ▶ Sleep/wake disturbance (eg, somnolence and drowsiness).

#### SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF CONCUSSION

Box 2 lists the signs and symptoms of concussion that could be seen in combat sports. If a combat sports athlete displays one or more of these signs/symptoms, concern for concussion should be raised.

#### CURRENT PUBLICATIONS REGARDING CONCUSSION IN COMBAT SPORTS

The current publications on combat sports provide limited data specific to concussion. Numerous publications from the ongoing Professional Fighters Brain Health Study and previous studies have demonstrated an association of increased changes of the brain on imaging and increased cognitive impairment with higher levels of fight exposure (frequency of competing and duration of career) in combat sports athletes.<sup>8-15</sup> Increase exposure to sparring has also been associated with increased cognitive and balance dysfunction.<sup>16</sup> However, in these publications, the role of concussion was not clearly defined.

Other publications in combat sports focus on outcomes and injuries sustained in competition. Many of these studies are retrospective assessments of fight records and/or videos.<sup>17-23</sup> While these studies provide useful information, we recognise the pitfalls of extrapolating the data to concussion. A recent publication highlighted the large discrepancy in fight databases based on differences in documentation practices between sanctioning bodies, experience of the covering ringside physician and proportion of incomplete records.<sup>24</sup> With regards to video analysis studies, it can only be speculated about whether a concussion had been sustained with no clear signs or detailed postfight physical exam. For these reasons, there are very few high-quality studies available about incidence of concussion in combat sports. A study that examined injuries sustained in professional kickboxing over a 16-year period showed an injury rate of 19.2 concussions per 1000 fight participations.<sup>25</sup> Another well-designed study that followed elite amateur boxers over a 5-year period showed an incidence of 0.53 concussions for every 1000 hours of competing/training.<sup>26</sup>

#### CURRENT PRACTICES IN NON-COMBAT SPORTS

In non-combat sports, it is universally agreed that, if an athlete is suspected to have suffered a concussion, he or she must be immediately removed from play and evaluated. If a concussion is diagnosed, he or she must not be allowed to return to sport (RTS) on the day of injury.<sup>4-7</sup> The most recent consensus statement also recommends that athletes with a suspected concussion

have a thorough evaluation, performed in a distraction free environment (eg, locker room and training room) rather than on the sideline.<sup>3</sup> Most professional non-combat sports organisations have developed specific protocols for evaluating head injuries during a game.<sup>27</sup> The overwhelming majority of non-combat sports organisations also require athletes who have sustained a concussion to go through an RTS protocol that consists of a gradual, stepwise increase in physical demands, sports-specific activities and the risk for contact. Many non-combat sports organisations also require medical clearance by a licenced healthcare provider trained in the evaluation and management of concussion prior to full RTS without any restriction. In some cases of professional athletics, an 'unaffiliated physician' who practices independently of the team decides final clearance to RTS.<sup>27</sup>

All consensus statements agree that when an athlete sustains a concussion, an initial cognitive and physical rest period is needed prior to beginning an RTS protocol. However, what is not currently agreed on is the amount or duration of rest needed. Some statements recommend not beginning an RTS progression until the athlete no longer reports any concussion-related symptoms.<sup>67</sup> Other publications recognise that (1) the current published evidence evaluating the effect of rest following a sports-related concussion is sparse and (2) light exercise may promote recovery after an initial period of rest.<sup>4,5</sup> A 2016 publication that summarised a meeting of 37 concussion experts stated that, 'strict rest is contraindicated (after concussion) and may exacerbate the effects of (the) injury'.<sup>28</sup> This same publication also summarised that concussion symptoms and impairments are treatable and that concussions in which symptoms last a prolonged period of time be managed by a multidisciplinary team with active rehabilitation depending on the individual's clinical profile.<sup>28</sup> The most recent consensus statement recommends that there should be 'a brief period of rest during the acute phase (24–48 hours) after injury, patients can then be encouraged to become gradually and progressively more active while staying below their cognitive and physical symptom-exacerbation thresholds (eg, activity level should not bring on or worsen their symptoms)'.<sup>5</sup>

Neuropsychological (NP) testing is one tool that informs sports-related concussion evaluation and management.<sup>4–7</sup> Various computerised NP testing programmes have been developed. Computerised NP testing, while not as comprehensive as formal 'pencil and paper' NP testing, provides a 'snapshot' of a person's cognitive status. Many non-combat sports organisations use computerised NP testing in RTS protocols. These protocols require athletes to return to his or her preinjury baseline computerised NP testing scores to return to competition. NP testing, however, should not be used as the sole determining factor in management decisions; it may serve as one part of the clinical decision-making process.

### CURRENT RTS PRACTICES IN COMBAT SPORTS

Some combat sports organisations have developed specific written policies regarding intrabout evaluation/management of concussion and RTS after TKO/KO. Specifically, USA Boxing guidelines state that a match should be stopped if a boxer is showing signs and symptoms of concussion.<sup>29</sup> USA Boxing guidelines also include minimum periods of suspension for TKO/KO.<sup>30</sup>

Suspensions in USA Boxing are based on whether there has been an LOC attendant to a TKO/KO, and the duration of an LOC following a TKO/KO as well as number of times a fighter has suffered a TKO/KO with or without LOC (table 1).

**Table 1** USA Boxing: minimal suspension period after TKO/KO

USA Boxing: minimal suspension period after TKO/KO	
Single occurrence of TKO/KO	
TKO or KO without LOC	30-day suspension
KO with LOC less than 1 min	90-day suspension
KO with LOC greater than 1 min	180-day suspension
Second occurrence of TKO/KO in a 90-day period after single occurrence suspension	
TKO or KO without LOC	90-day suspension
Second KO with LOC less than 1 min	180-day suspension
Second KO with LOC greater than 1 min	360-day suspension
Third occurrence of TKO/KO in a 365-day period	
TKO or KO without LOC	12-month suspension
Third KO with LOC regardless of time	18-month suspension

KO, knock out; LOC, loss of consciousness; TKO, technical knockout.

Regarding professional combat sports, intrabout evaluation of concussion and RTS after concussion vary from state-to-state/commission-to-commission. Some states/commissions have specific written guidelines regarding concussion, but other states/commissions do not, and procedures are followed based on previous precedent and at the discretion of the supervising ringside physician. Furthermore, while in some states/commissions, ringside physicians are authorised to stop a fight, while in other states/commissions, only the referee is the sole arbitrator of the fight but instructed to stop the fight on medical grounds at the ringside physician's request. Minimum suspensions typically given in professional combat sports are 30 days for a TKO, 60 days for KO without LOC and 90 days for KO with LOC. However, as noted above, these timeframes vary depending on the state/commission. Some states/commissions require a lesser period of suspension if a fight went for a certain number of rounds, win or lose, for example, six or more rounds.

Ultimately, states/commissions often leave medical suspensions to the discretion of the covering ringside physician. Ringside physicians vary greatly in their level of ringside experience and subspecialty medical background leading to variations in postbout recommendations and suspensions. All periods of suspension imposed by states/commissions are enforceable as to competition only and have no effect on what a combatant may do in training/practice/sparring.

Currently, there are no general requirements for combat sports athletes to be evaluated by a licenced healthcare provider specifically trained in the evaluation and management of concussion as a part of medical clearance to RTS following a concussion or TKO/KO. Although a covering ringside physician may require a neurology clearance evaluation in addition to the period of suspension, such a requirement may not be stringently imposed. Unfortunately, current practices in most jurisdictions rarely require medical clearance to RTS following concussion or TKO/KO and generally use the 30/60/90/day suspensions as outlined above. This risks a combat sports athlete RTS in the absence of a robust medical evaluation.

Currently, no known combat sports organisation requires baseline formal NP or computerised NP testing.

### ASSOCIATION OF RINGSIDE PHYSICIANS CONCUSSION MANAGEMENT AND RETURN TO PLAY GUIDELINES FOR COMBAT SPORTS ATHLETES

Taking into consideration, the above-referenced differences between non-combat sports and combat sports, as well as the absence of uniformity among the jurisdictions that currently

regulate combat sports, the ARP proposes the following guidelines for concussion management and RTS of a combat sports athlete;

### Suspensions and concussion management

- ▶ If a fighter is exhibiting signs of a concussion during a bout, the fight should be stopped. These signs include but are not limited to headache, confusion, blurred/double vision, nausea/vomiting and balance/gait issues (box 2).
- ▶ If a combat sports athlete sustains a TKO secondary to blows to the head, it is recommended that he or she be suspended from competition for a minimum of 30 days. It is also recommended that the fighter refrain from sparring for 30 days as well.
- ▶ If a combat sports athlete sustains a KO without LOC secondary to blows to the head, it is recommended that he or she be suspended from competition for a minimum of 60 days. It is also recommended that the fighter refrain from sparring for 60 days as well.
- ▶ If a combat sports athlete sustains a KO with LOC secondary to blows to the head, it is recommended that he or she be suspended from competition for a minimum of 90 days. It is also recommended that the fighter refrain from sparring for 90 days as well.
- ▶ All combat sports athletes, including the winners, should be evaluated for signs and symptoms of concussion postbout. Evaluation should be performed immediately postbout ringside but also later repeated in a quieter, controlled environment (eg, dressing room).
- ▶ Combat sports athletes may participate in non-contact training and conditioning 1 week after sustaining a concussion or loss via TKO/KO secondary to head strikes, provided his or her symptoms are improving and do not increase in severity with activity. A gradual activity progression of increased intensity is recommended, starting with light aerobic activity progressing to more rigorous/combat sports-specific activity and finally sparring when symptoms have completely resolved (box 3).
- ▶ Under no circumstances should a combat sports athlete compete or engage in sparring activity or competition if he or she is experiencing signs and symptoms of concussion.

### Specialist evaluation

- ▶ In addition to the above-mentioned periods of suspension, we recommended that a combat sports athlete's suspension continue until a specialist physician trained in concussion management clears the fighter. Specialist physicians trained in concussion management include neurologists, neurosurgeons and primary care sports medicine physicians.

#### Box 3 'Red flag' signs and symptoms of serious brain injury

- ▶ Glasgow Coma Scale <15.
- ▶ Suspected open, depressed or basal skull fracture.
- ▶ Cerebrospinal fluid coming out of nose or ears.
- ▶ Post-traumatic seizure.
- ▶ Focal neurological deficit.
- ▶ >1 episode of vomiting since the head injury.
- ▶ Pupillary abnormality.
- ▶ Progressive increase of concussion somatic symptoms.
- ▶ Deterioration of mental status/overall condition.

### Other baseline testing

- ▶ We recommended that all combat sports athletes undertake a validated NP evaluation with the initial test serving as a baseline. If possible, vestibular/ocular and balance baseline testing is also recommended. Repeat baseline testing should occur annually. If there is any decline, it is recommended that a physician trained in brain injuries and concussion management evaluate the athlete.

### Education

- ▶ We recommended that all combat sports athletes and their coaches/trainers be educated and trained to recognise the signs and symptoms of concussion. If a combat sports athlete is experiencing any signs or symptoms of a concussion during training or competition, he or she should remove themselves from contact activities and seek immediate evaluation by a healthcare professional.

### DISCUSSION OF GUIDELINES

The ARP recognises the rapid advancements in concussion management over the recent years and its adaptation into non-combat sports. This has created a safer environment and may lead to a decrease in morbidity associated with sports-related head trauma. Current non-combat sports RTS protocols do not allow an athlete to return to competition/contact if he or she is exhibiting any concussion symptoms. If a non-combat sports athlete suffers an injury and is showing signs or symptoms of concussion, he or she is removed from competition immediately, with no same-day RTS. The ARP agrees that this practice should also be employed in combat sports. If a combat sports athlete is exhibiting signs or symptoms of concussion during a bout (box 2), he or she should be evaluated by the covering ringside physician, and if a concussion is suspected, the bout should be immediately stopped on medical grounds (TKO).

Often, emphasis in suspensions and medical treatment is focused on the loser of the bout, or the one who suffers a KO or TKO. The ARP recommends that all combat sports athletes, including the winner, be evaluated for signs and symptoms of concussion and should be managed and treated accordingly. Evaluation should be performed immediately postbout ringside. A repeat evaluation should be performed postbout in a quieter, controlled setting such as the dressing room. Repeat evaluation is necessary to ensure that combatants do not display delayed onset signs and symptoms of concussion. It is not unreasonable for the covering ringside physician to consider a minimum suspension of 30 days for all fighters, win/lose/draw, if the fighter has been through a particularly long, gruelling, difficult bout.

The covering ringside physician (and other covering healthcare providers) should also be aware and evaluate fighters, postbout, for 'red flag' signs (box 3). Presence of these 'red flag' signs and symptoms should raise concern that a more serious brain injury has been sustained and the fighter should be emergently transported to a high-level emergency facility for screening and management of a potentially life-threatening condition.

Non-combat sports allow athletes to return to competition/contact when concussion symptoms resolve, and the athlete has tolerated a stepwise progression of activity without return of symptoms. The ARP is also in agreement with this premise. However, due to the nature and objective of combat sports, it is recommended that combat sports athletes should also wait a minimum specified amount of time (30/60/90 days) until return to contact. Return to fight protocols should be specific to the athlete's combat sport.

**Table 2** Return to fighting protocol

Phase 1: return to general fitness		
Step 1	Light aerobic activity	Stationary biking and elliptical, incline walking; gradually escalating heart rate and monitoring through perceived exertion and/or HRM.
Step 2	Moderate aerobic activity	Jogging, swimming; escalating heart rate to moderate and high-demand activity through HRM or perceived exertion; assess high-level vestibular functioning.
Step 3	Sport-specific activity	Sprinting, mitts, bag/footwork, walk-through grappling and so on; increasing duration; no partner work. Begin resistance training.
Phase 2: return to non-contact fighting activities		
Step 1	Bag/mitt work with movement	Tests fighter ability to punch and/or kick in multiple planes while testing vestibular and visual systems.
Step 2	Shadow boxing/drills	Reintroduces fighter to sport environment and re-establishes footwork in ring parameter and surface.
Step 3	One-sided sparring and grappling	Fighter begins to spar without the concern of contact. Reacts to opponent's movements and begins to get timing back for punches, kicks and body position.
Phase 3: return to contact/sparring fighting activities		
<b>May only advance to this phase when concussion symptoms have completely resolved</b>		
Step 1	Sparring: short duration	First step of live sparring. Rounds of short duration with long breaks. Number of rounds is small to begin with and then can increase as tolerated.
Step 2	Sparring: longer duration	Rounds at this step begin to lengthen in duration while breaks between rounds shortens. Number of rounds can also increase as fatigue allows.
Step 3	Sparring: normal parameters	Full return to normal training. Return to normal rounds and time limits based on sport and next potential bout. Fighter should be able to tolerate normal parameters of training/sparring and is training as normal without a return of symptoms.

An initial period of 1 week should occur prior to beginning phase 1.

\*Adapted from Nalepa *et al.*<sup>32</sup>

Nalepa *et al.*<sup>32</sup> have proposed recommendations with regard to return to fight protocols (table 2). This protocol is broken down into three phases: phase 1: return to general fitness; phase 2: return to non-contact fighting activities; and phase 3: return to contact fighting activities/sparring. It is recommended that a combat sports athlete should not begin phase 1 for at least 1 week after sustaining a concussion and/or loss via TKO/KO secondary to head strikes. This initial rest phase is the cornerstone of concussion management and allows for acute symptoms to resolve.<sup>4</sup> Combat sports athletes may progress from phase 1 to phase 2 provided symptoms do not increase in severity. The combat sports athlete should perform one step per day, waiting a minimum of an additional 24 hours before moving on to the next step. If symptoms do not increase over that 24-hour period, he or she may move on to the next step. The athlete should not advance if concussion symptoms increase in that 24-hour period. If symptoms increase, he or she should go back to the prior step where symptoms did not increase. Under no circumstance should a combat sports athlete progress to phase 3 if he or she continues to exhibit concussion symptoms. Athletes who remain symptomatic for greater

than 10 days should be seen by a physician trained in concussion management to monitor symptoms, initiate treatments and recommend activity progression.

For phases 1 and 2, there should be at least 24 hours (or longer) for each step of the progression. If any symptoms worsen during exercise, the athlete should go back to the previous step. Phase 3 should be started when concussion symptoms have resolved, and the athlete has completed phases 1 and 2. If symptoms are persistent (eg, more than 10 days), the athlete should be referred to a healthcare professional that is an expert in the management of concussion.

The majority of non-combat sports concussion protocols throughout the amateur and professional levels require evaluation and clearance by a healthcare provider trained in the management of concussion before return to contact/competition. The ARP also believes such a practice should be applied in combat sports. If a combat sports athlete is experiencing concussion signs and symptoms 30 min after his or her bout, or lost his or her bout by KO via strikes to the head, it is most likely the athlete has sustained a concussion. Accordingly, he or she should be evaluated and cleared by a healthcare provider skilled in concussion management before return to contact/competition. The specialist clearance should be in addition to the above-referenced recommended minimal day suspensions.

NP baseline testing is a helpful tool in making decisions regarding a return to fighting in combat sports athletes who have sustained a concussion. NP testing is also helpful for screening of neurological decline over the course of a combatant's career. Computerised NP baseline testing is now widely available and affordable. For these reasons, the ARP recommends that all combat sports athletes undergo a validated, supervised and reproducible NP baseline test. Baseline vestibular/ocular and balance testing is a recommended adjunct for the same reasons.

Finally, none of these guidelines can be enforced outside of competition. Only the combat sports athlete and his or her coaches/trainers know what happens inside the gym and during training. Hence, athletes and their coaches/trainers should possess a thorough knowledge base regarding concussion and its signs/symptoms (box 2). Unfortunately, when there has been a tragic outcome in the ring, it is often revealed that the combat sports athlete suffered a head injury in training that was not divulged to the physician. If a combat sports athlete sustains an injury and is experiencing any signs or symptoms of a concussion during training or competition, he or she should be encouraged to remove themselves from contact activities and seek evaluation by a healthcare professional.

#### QUALIFYING STATEMENT

These guidelines are recommendations designed to assist ring-side physicians, fighters, trainers, promoters, sanctioning bodies, governmental bodies and others in making decisions. These recommendations may be adopted, modified or rejected according to clinical needs and constraints and are not intended to replace local commission laws, regulations or policies. We hope that these guidelines will serve to augment locally agreed policies already in place. In addition, it should be understood that the guidelines developed by the ARP are not intended as standards or absolute requirements, and their use cannot guarantee any specific outcome. Guidelines are subject to revision as warranted by the evolution of medical knowledge, technology and practice. They provide basic recommendations that are supported by synthesis and analysis of the current literature, expert and practitioner opinion, commentary and clinical feasibility.

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Gennady Golovkin, left, connects with a left to Canelo Alvarez during their middleweight title fight in Las Vegas on Sept. 17, 2017. (John Locher / Associated Press)

When Gennady Golovkin and Canelo Alvarez step into the ring on Saturday night at T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas, observers will be expecting two fighters to provide the kind of head-rattling finish fans crave.

However, boxing's most dramatic moments can be the ones that involve the gravest physical damage. The absence of national regulation and monitoring of the unforgiving toll exacted on the human brain is a moral conundrum the sport continues to wrestle with.

"It's one of the reasons boxing is such a guilty pleasure," said Lou DiBella, a veteran New York fight promoter and former HBO executive. "Our greatest warriors are the guys you can most identify with having damage."

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DiBella said he's conflicted by showcasing the ongoing performances authored by brave fighters while knowing the regulation of their health and safety leaves much to be desired.

He's watched in sadness as his former middleweight champion Jermain Taylor has spiraled from knockout losses to multiple arrests.

After previously working with the late Sen. John McCain to craft the Muhammad Ali Boxing Reform Act and testifying to Congress about needed improvements years ago, the Harvard-educated DiBella said the sport requires help.

That could be provided, advocates say, by a national commission to institute consistent monitoring of fighters' neurological exams and cognitive skills starting before their pro debuts, or a federal law requiring states to institute consistent medical tests in order to stage combat fight shows.

"It's barbaric when you look at the state of health and safety regulation in boxing to think there are no standardized tests or regulations across all 50 states," DiBella said. "In a number of states, all you need to fight is an eye test and an HIV test, and there's guys fighting on club shows who've been knocked out 10, 15, 20 times who are getting approved.



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"There's no concussion protocols like the NFL has adopted," in pulling a player off the field. "To stop the action and look at a fighter - at first I thought it was ridiculous - you've got to do that. It might save lives. But there's no standard anything."

Dr. Bennet Omalu, who first established Chronic Traumatic Encephalopathy (CTE) in examinations of the brains of late NFL players, said he's come to believe "no one under 18 should box," to avoid punishment to the developing brain.

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California's commission has pressed for national standards to address dehydration. New York has toughened its health reviews following the severe brain damage suffered by heavyweight Magomed Abdusalamov in a 2013 bout at Madison Square Garden, a case that resulted in the vegetative fighter's family winning a \$22 million settlement from the state.

"These issues are deep-seated. Commissions don't talk to each other and share information [on fighters] as they should, and while we've tried to ramp up our medical protocols in New York, such as having ringside physicians assessing the fighters between all rounds, how others do it ranges from A to Z," said Dr. Nitin K. Sethi, the chief medical officer of the New York State Athletic Commission.

In a 2015 fight in Fairfax, Va., Puerto Rico's Prichard Colon sustained numerous punches to the back of the head, causing a brain bleed. He has been in a vegetative state since. Last year in Iowa, Rancho Cucamonga's Daniel Franco returned to the ring less than three months after a knockout loss, was knocked down once, then knocked out for good in the eighth round and required life-saving brain surgery to emerge from a coma.

"If a guy's knocked out, we need to consider if the length of suspension should be longer than 60 days ... New York stops a lot of fights now, and I've made a conscience decision not to argue with them anymore because I've seen too much happen," DiBella said. "We, as boxing fans, will say, 'Oh, that guy quit like a dog,' or, 'That guy gave up.' They're in the ring, we're not.

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"If you see a guy realizing he has a head injury, or feeling weak or abnormal and that makes the guy quit, then God bless him, because it's not about living to fight another day, it's about living another day, and how you live all your other days."

World Boxing Council President Mauricio Sulaiman is proud that his organization's original \$1 million donation to the UCLA neurological department in 1978 led to a \$50 million government grant that has prompted "a revolution" of safeguards including shortening title fights from 15 to 12 rounds, staging day-before weigh-ins, improving gloves and encouraging the use of electrolytes.

Sulaiman says experts are close to suggesting, among other recommendations, a frozen helmet that boxers can wear between rounds to reduce brain swelling.



On Sept. 30 in Ontario, a ring war is expected between Oxnard's former welterweight world champion Victor Ortiz and La Verne's John Molina Jr. (30-7), who has three knockout losses, including in his 2014 fight of the year versus Lucas Matthisse.

Molina sounds a familiar refrain when asked if he's paused to consider the risk of his work.

"The moment I think about that, it's time to hang it up," Molina said. "You can't. In this sport, the reality and brutality of the sport is that if you're not all in, you can get injured. I consider Victor a friend, but this is a business, the way I feed my family. Boxing changed my life and I have a beautiful lifestyle because of boxing. So I've accepted and digested the fact that me or Victor may not walk out of the ring on the 30<sup>th</sup>.

"I know my body. I'm still articulate. I can still carry a conversation. Yes, I feel the wear and tear of boxing, and this is going to sound idiotic, but I feel like this is my time now."

Ortiz, once knocked out by Floyd Mayweather Jr., says he can't deny the fighting spirit that has made him rich.

"I live for today. You can't afford to," consider brain damage, he said. "So many people tell you how to live. No. It's my life. I was given some awesome tools, so I'm going to do what I want to do."



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# AGENDA ITEM

#7

*Subcommittee Updates*

- *Pension Fund Subcommittee  
(Commissioners Lehman and Ayala)*



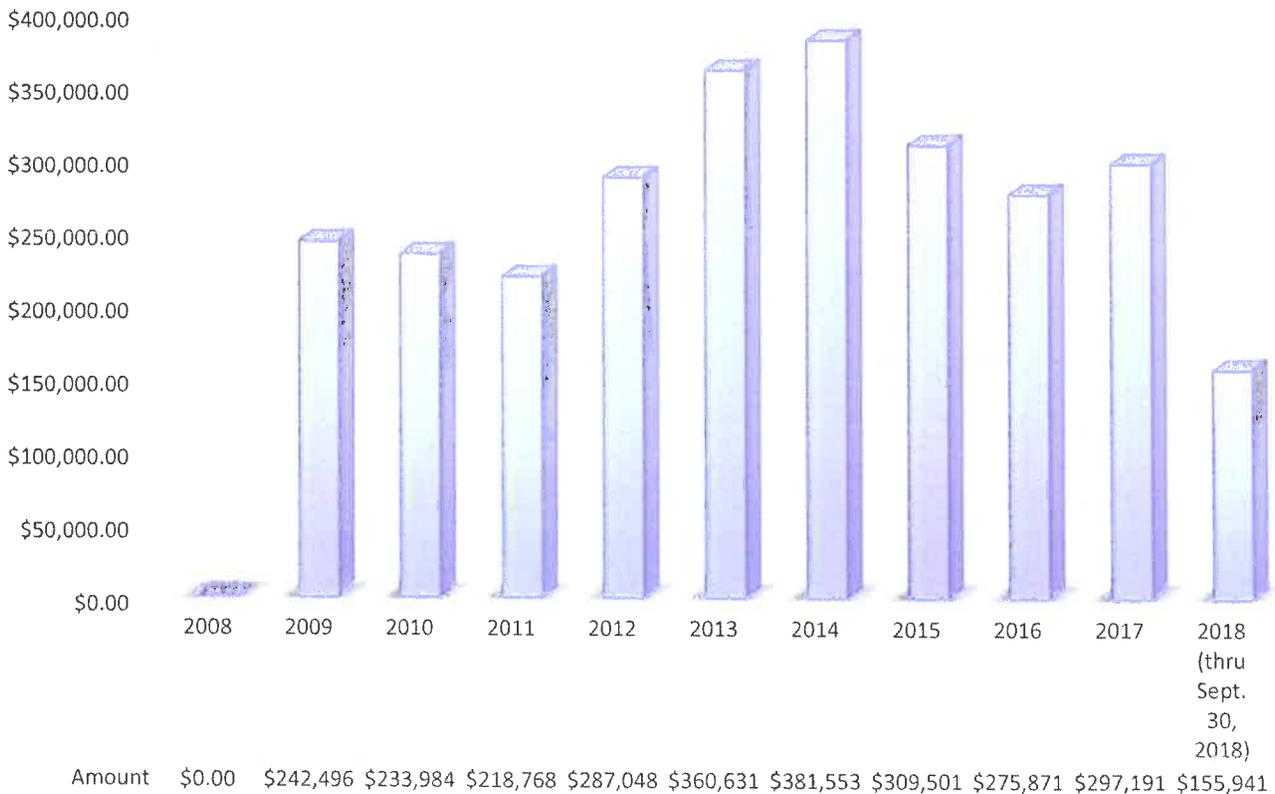
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# MEMORANDUM

<b>DATE</b>	October 2, 2018
<b>TO</b>	Commissioners California State Athletic Commission
<b>FROM</b>	Andy Foster, Executive Officer California State Athletic Commission
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Agenda Item #7 – Pension Fund Subcommittee</b>

The Commission has paid \$155,941.00 this year. There are currently 184 potential late claimants that are due distributions.

The following chart shows the pension distributions for the past 10 years.



The following chart indicates the number of boxers eligible and paid per year for the past 4 years.

CSAC Boxer Pension Distribution Summary



# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8**

*Executive Officer's Report*



## MEMORANDUM

<b>DATE</b>	October 2, 2018
<b>TO</b>	Commissioners California State Athletic Commission
<b>FROM</b>	Andy Foster, Executive Officer California State Athletic Commission
<b>SUBJECT</b>	<b>Agenda Item #8 - Executive Officer's Report</b>

### **A. Budget Update for the Support Fund, the Neurological Fund, and Pension program**

As of 9/14/2018 the Commission has deposited \$492,204.21 to the Support Fund, \$3,262.87 to the Neurological Examination Account, and \$26,293.92 to the Boxers Pension Fund.

### **B. Report on Pending and Proposed Regulations**

- **Examination of Boxer Applicants** (Amendment to Title 4, California Code of Regulations section 280.) Submitted to Legal for review and approval on 8/29/17. Legal has approved the package and it was submitted for review to the Department of Consumer Affairs on 4/6/18. The package is currently under review at the DCA Budget Office. Once the Department has approved the regulation, it will be published with Office of Administrative Law.

### **C. Status Update on Delegated Entities**

- CAMO Report – please see attached report.
- USA Boxing Report – please see attached report.
- USFL Report – please see attached report.
- IKF Report – please see attached report.

### **D. Update on C3 Logix Sports Concussion Management Program**

We continue to implement the C3 Logix concussion test at weigh ins and pre-licensing. As of 9/7/2018, the Commission staff have uploaded 891 tests.

### **E. Boxrec Database System Update**

The new Boxrec database system continues to advance and improve. We are now able to issue ABC ID numbers (Federal ID Cards) directly from the system using the unique number assigned by the Boxrec system.

According to the latest Boxrec report, of the top 15 most used judges in the Association of Boxing Commissions, 9 are from California. Of the top 15 most used referees, 7 are from California.

### **F. Fiscal Year End Summary**

The Commission's revenue to the support fund for FY 17/18 was approximately \$1,983,000 to the Support Fund, \$11,089 to the Neurological Examination Account, and \$304,886.00 to the Boxers Pension Fund. Once I receive an accurate report on expenditures, I will inform the Commission.

### **G. Upcoming Event Schedule**

The Commission is on track to set a record in regulated combat sports title fights (as far back as our records indicate).

Please find the Updated Event Schedule attached in your packets.

### **H. Staffing Update**

The Chair and I are working together to bring back the Chief Athletic Inspector position or with a working title similar to Chief Athletic Inspector while following all of the DCA and CalHR rules.

I posted an analyst position to fill the Commission's last vacancy. I will be conducting interviews in either late October or early November for this position.

# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8a**

*Budget Update for the Support Fund, the Neurological Fund, and Pension Program*



## MEMORANDUM

DATE	August 28, 2018
TO	ALL Board Executive Officers/Bureau Chiefs
FROM	Janice Shintaku-Enkoji, Chief Fiscal Officer Budget Office
SUBJECT	DCA FI\$Cal Implementation Status Update

FI\$Cal is the new statewide system for budgets, accounting and procurement that the State of California has implemented for all state departments. Participation in the system is mandated by the state legislature and the Governor.

DCA integrated into FI\$Cal in July 2017. While the transition has and continues to be challenging, the system is working and capturing all expenditure and revenue transactions for DCA programs. During system implementation, DCA – among other state entities -- have encountered interface and other technical system issues that have hampered our ability to conduct timely month end closing and produce reconciled monthly expenditure and revenue reports. In response to these issues, the DCA Executive Office has met with the FI\$Cal Director and its executive team to relay our system concerns and address the technical system issues. As a result, DCA and FI\$Cal technical staff have been in contact on a weekly basis to work through and address programming, reporting and other technical concerns.

DCA continues to operate in FI\$Cal and is working towards closing its first full fiscal year in the system, however processing and workload issues associated with the system have yet to be fully resolved. Significant hurdles must be overcome for DCA to close and reconcile expenditure and revenue figures for year-end. As a result, DCA will be unable to close the fiscal year and produce official financial year-end statements until later this fiscal year (currently estimated for March 2019). Please note that this is a situation that is not unique to DCA but rather a statewide issue impacting many of the Departments that are transitioning to the FI\$Cal system. See the State Auditor's recent [FI\\$Cal status letter](#) for additional context.

To provide programs with estimated year-end expenditure and revenue figures, DCA will be producing preliminary fiscal month 12 (June) financial statements from FI\$Cal that will be disseminated to programs in late August. These reports will be utilized for year-end estimates until the official financial statements can be prepared.

DCA understands your concerns and share many of the same frustrations in not being able to provide timely reports that detail all expenditures and revenues for programs in a consolidated and understandable format.

DCA is fully dedicated to a successful transition into the FI\$Cal system. We appreciate your patience and understanding as we continue to address these technical and workload challenges.

## California State Athletic Comm Account Summary

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### Investment Objectives

Primary: Growth with a medium risk tolerance and a time horizon exceeding 10 years.

Secondary: Growth with a high risk tolerance and a time horizon exceeding 10 years.

### Activity

	This Statement	Year to Date
Beginning Balance	\$ 5,162,327.48	\$ 5,117,697.02
Deposits	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Income	\$ 6,262.15	\$ 72,964.17
Withdrawals	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
Expenses	\$ 0.00	\$ (18,004.08)
Change in Value	\$ 50,075.34	\$ 46,007.86
Ending Balance	\$ 5,218,664.97	\$ 5,218,664.97
Purchases	\$ 0.00	\$ (1,279,639.40)
Sales/Redemptions	\$ 0.00	\$ 1,269,659.15

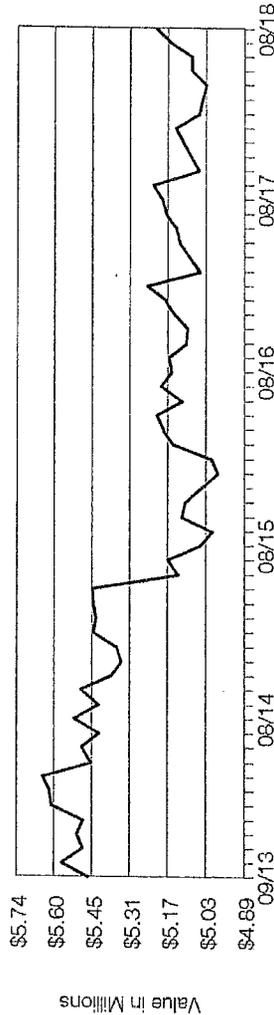
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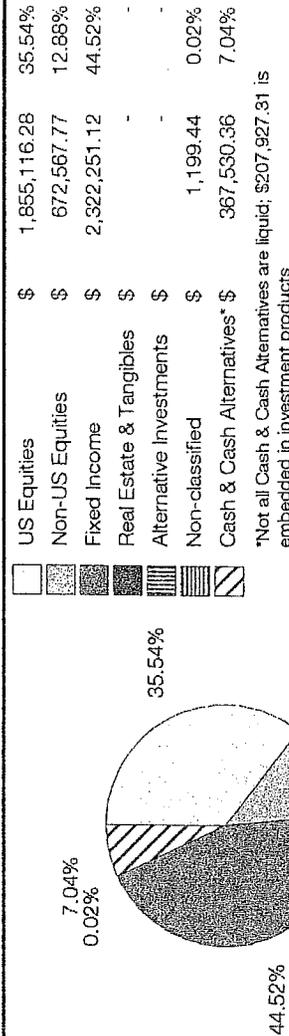
Performance Inception	YTD	2017	2016
10/24/07	1.97%	7.41%	6.01%

Excludes some limited partnerships, unpriced securities and annuity history prior to the annuity being linked to the account.

### Value Over Time



### Asset Allocation Analysis



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Your bank priority state: CA

Participating banks recently added: Fulton Bank, N. A. 06/22/2018

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Cash & Cash Alternatives Total

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\$399.00

Exchange-Traded Products (ETPs) \*

Exchange-Traded Funds

Description	(Symbol)	Quantity	Date Acquired	Unit Cost	Total Cost Basis	Price	Value	Estimated Income Yield	Estimated Annual Income	Gain or (Loss) Pct.	Gain or (Loss)
ISHARES TR CORE US AGGBD ET (AGG)		17,249,000		\$108.121	\$1,864,983.11	\$106.410	\$1,835,466.09	2.48%	\$45,571.86	(1.58)%	\$(29,517.02)
LOT 1		1,684,000	10/25/2007	\$101.130	\$170,302.92	\$106.410	\$179,194.44	2.48%	\$4,449.13	5.22%	\$8,891.52
LOT 2		3,062,000	10/29/2009	\$104.530	\$320,070.86	\$106.410	\$325,827.42	2.48%	\$8,069.80	1.80%	\$5,756.56
LOT 3		361,000	11/01/2010	\$108.380	\$39,125.18	\$106.410	\$38,414.01	2.48%	\$953.76	(1.82)%	\$(711.17)
LOT 4		699,000	10/31/2011	\$109.992	\$76,884.06	\$106.410	\$74,380.59	2.48%	\$1,846.76	(3.26)%	\$(2,503.47)
LOT 5		240,000	03/06/2012	\$110.590	\$26,541.60	\$106.410	\$25,538.40	2.48%	\$634.08	(3.78)%	\$(1,003.20)
LOT 6		169,000	09/10/2012	\$111.797	\$18,893.66	\$106.410	\$17,983.29	2.48%	\$446.50	(4.82)%	\$(910.37)
LOT 7		818,000	04/01/2013	\$110.540	\$90,421.56	\$106.410	\$87,043.38	2.48%	\$2,161.16	(3.74)%	\$(3,378.16)
LOT 8		105,000	09/17/2013	\$105.980	\$11,127.89	\$106.410	\$11,173.05	2.48%	\$277.41	0.41%	\$45.16
LOT 9		3,090,000	02/17/2015	\$110.490	\$334,784.09	\$106.410	\$322,422.30	2.48%	\$8,005.28	(3.69)%	\$(12,361.79)
LOT 10		1,878,000	08/17/2015	\$109.310	\$205,283.99	\$106.410	\$199,837.96	2.48%	\$4,961.68	(2.65)%	\$(5,446.01)



### Exchange-Traded Products (ETPs) (continued) \*

#### Exchange-Traded Funds (continued)

Description (Symbol)	Quantity	Date Acquired	Unit Cost	Total Cost Basis	Price	Value	Estimated Income Yield	Estimated Annual Income	Gain or (Loss) Pct.	Gain or (Loss)
LOT 11	1,338,000	06/16/2016	\$112.460	\$150,471.21	\$106.410	\$142,376.56	2.48%	\$3,535.00	(5.36)%	\$(8,094.63)
LOT 12	1,038,000	01/11/2017	\$106.500	\$112,622.69	\$106.410	\$110,453.56	2.48%	\$2,742.40	(1.93)%	\$(2,169.11)
LOT 13	2,827,000	11/14/2017	\$109.110	\$308,453.40	\$106.410	\$300,821.07	2.48%	\$7,466.93	(2.47)%	\$(7,632.33)
ISHARES TR CORE S&P MCP ETF (IJJH)	1,061,000	02/07/2018	\$166.760	\$201,667.45	\$204.350	\$220,902.35	1.31%	\$2,691.66	9.42%	\$19,014.90
ISHARES TR CORE S&P SCP ETF (IJSR)	2,006,000		\$69.070	\$140,159.77	\$90.310	\$181,161.86	1.08%	\$1,961.67	29.25%	\$41,002.09
LOT 1	1,696,000	01/11/2017	\$68.860	\$116,924.28	\$90.310	\$153,346.36	1.08%	\$1,660.64	31.15%	\$36,422.10
LOT 2	306,000	02/07/2018	\$75.440	\$23,235.49	\$90.310	\$27,815.48	1.08%	\$301.22	19.71%	\$4,579.99
ISHARES TR CORE MSCI EAFE (IEFA)	10,601,000		\$62.944	\$667,267.55	\$63.710	\$675,389.71	2.95%	\$19,951.06	1.22%	\$6,122.16
LOT 1	2,926,000	01/11/2017	\$54.659	\$159,933.40	\$63.710	\$186,415.46	2.95%	\$5,506.44	16.56%	\$26,462.06
LOT 2	1,953,000	11/14/2017	\$64.469	\$125,908.35	\$63.710	\$124,425.63	2.95%	\$3,675.35	(1.16)%	\$(1,482.72)
LOT 3	4,258,000	02/07/2018	\$66.429	\$282,554.68	\$63.710	\$271,271.18	2.95%	\$8,013.13	(4.09)%	\$(11,577.50)
LOT 4	1,464,000	05/15/2016	\$67.330	\$98,571.12	\$63.710	\$93,271.44	2.95%	\$2,755.10	(5.56)%	\$(5,299.68)
ISHARES TR CORE 1 5 YR USD (ISTB)	3,123,000	05/15/2018	\$48.950	\$152,670.85	\$49.130	\$153,432.99	2.29%	\$3,507.13	0.37%	\$562.14
SPDR PORTFOLIO INTERMEDIATE TERM CORPORATE BOND ETF (SPIB)	6,000,000	01/11/2017	\$33.990	\$203,940.00	\$33.410	\$200,460.00	2.69%	\$5,802.00	(1.71)%	\$(3,460.00)
SPDR BARCLAYS CAPITAL HIGH YIELD BOND (JNK)	3,557,000		\$38.760	\$137,670.95	\$36.000	\$128,052.00	5.42%	\$6,936.15	(7.12)%	\$(9,618.95)
LOT 1	76,000	09/10/2012	\$40.217	\$3,056.52	\$36.000	\$2,736.00	5.42%	\$145.20	(10.49)%	\$(20.52)
LOT 2	330,000	09/17/2013	\$39.860	\$13,160.27	\$36.000	\$11,660.00	5.42%	\$643.50	(9.73)%	\$(1,260.27)
LOT 3	2,296,000	02/17/2015	\$39.457	\$90,593.04	\$36.000	\$82,656.00	5.42%	\$4,477.20	(6.76)%	\$(7,937.04)
LOT 4	655,000	02/07/2016	\$36.529	\$31,061.12	\$36.000	\$30,780.00	5.42%	\$1,667.25	(0.91)%	\$(261.12)

**Exchange-Traded Products (ETPs) (continued) <sup>x</sup>**

**Exchange-Traded Funds (continued)**

Description (Symbol)	Quantity	Date Acquired	Unit Cost	Total Cost Basis	Price	Value	Estimated Income Yield	Estimated Annual Income	Gain or (Loss) Pct.	Gain or (Loss)
SPDR SERIES TRUST S&P DIVID ETF (SDY)	4,103,000		\$71.343	\$292,722.03	\$98.270	\$403,201.81	2.37%	\$9,551.78	37.74%	\$110,479.78
LOT 1	1,958,000	06/07/2011	\$53.458	\$104,670.38	\$98.270	\$192,412.66	2.37%	\$4,558.03	83.83%	\$87,742.28
LOT 2	759,000	02/17/2015	\$79.352	\$60,227.94	\$98.270	\$74,586.93	2.37%	\$1,766.88	23.54%	\$14,358.99
LOT 3	1,386,000	02/07/2018	\$92.225	\$127,823.71	\$98.270	\$136,202.22	2.37%	\$3,226.47	6.55%	\$8,376.51
SPDR SERIES TRUST BARCLAYS CAP INVESTMENT GRADE FLOATING RATE ETF (FLRN)	6,625,000		\$30.720	\$203,520.65	\$30.790	\$203,983.75	2.02%	\$4,127.38	0.23%	\$463.10
LOT 1	2,565,000	08/26/2013	\$30.780	\$78,950.70	\$30.790	\$78,976.35	2.02%	\$1,598.00	0.03%	\$25.65
LOT 2	2,224,000	09/17/2013	\$30.820	\$68,543.68	\$30.790	\$68,476.96	2.02%	\$1,386.55	(0.10)%	\$(66.72)
LOT 3	1,836,000	02/17/2015	\$30.515	\$56,026.27	\$30.790	\$56,530.44	2.02%	\$1,143.83	0.90%	\$504.17
VANGUARD INDEX FUNDS S&P 500 ETF SHS NEW (VOO)	3,963,000		\$223.139	\$884,300.07	\$266.720	\$1,057,011.36	1.73%	\$18,233.76	19.53%	\$172,711.29
LOT 1	2,511,000	01/11/2017	\$208.190	\$522,765.09	\$266.720	\$669,733.92	1.73%	\$11,552.86	28.11%	\$146,968.83
LOT 2	1,452,000	02/07/2018	\$248.991	\$361,534.98	\$266.720	\$387,277.44	1.73%	\$8,680.51	7.12%	\$25,742.46
<b>Exchange-Traded Funds Total</b>				<b>\$4,749,522.43</b>		<b>\$5,059,061.92</b>	<b>2.34%</b>	<b>\$118,534.69</b>	<b>6.52%</b>	<b>\$309,539.49</b>
<b>Exchange-Traded Products Total</b>				<b>\$4,749,522.43</b>		<b>\$5,059,061.92</b>	<b>2.34%</b>	<b>\$118,534.69</b>	<b>6.52%</b>	<b>\$309,539.49</b>

<sup>x</sup> Please see the Exchange-Traded Products on the Understanding Your Statement page.

**Portfolio Total \$5,218,664.97**



### Activity Summary

Income		Expenses		Purchases	
Type	This Statement	Year to Date	Type	This Statement	Year to Date
Dividends	\$6,226.53	\$72,801.70	Fees	\$0.00	\$(18,004.06)
Interest at RJ Bank Deposit Program	\$33.62	\$162.47	Total Expenses	\$0.00	\$(18,004.08)
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>\$6,260.15</b>	<b>\$72,964.17</b>			
Sales / Redemptions					
Type	This Statement	Year to Date	Type	This Statement	Year to Date
Sales	\$0.00	\$0.00	Sales	\$0.00	\$1,269,859.15
<b>Total Sales/Redemptions</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>Total Sales/Redemptions</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$1,269,859.15</b>

### Activity Detail

Date	Activity Category	Activity Type	Description (Symbol or CUSIP)	Quantity	Price	Amount	Cash Balance	Additional Detail
			Beginning Balance				\$153,340.90	
06/07/2018	Income	Dividend	ISHARES TR CORE 1 5 YR USD (ISTB)			\$343.50	\$153,684.40	\$.10999 per share x 3,123,000 shares
06/07/2018	Income	Dividend	SPDR PORTFOLIO INTERMEDIATE TERM CORPORATE BOND ETF (SPIB)			\$521.26	\$154,205.66	\$.08666 per share x 6,000,000 shares
08/07/2018	Income	Dividend	SPDR BARCLAYS CAPITAL HIGH YIELD BOND (JNK)			\$573.82	\$154,779.50	\$.16132 per share x 3,557,000 shares
08/07/2018	Income	Dividend	SPDR SERIES TRUST BARCLAYS CAP INVESTMENT GRADE FLOATING RATE ETF (FLRN)			\$455.60	\$155,235.10	\$.06877 per share x 6,625,000 shares
08/07/2018	Income	Dividend	ISHARES TR CORE US AGGBD ET (AGG)			\$4,334.33	\$159,569.43	\$.25126 per share x 17,249,000 shares
08/31/2018	Income	Interest at RJ Bank Deposit Program	Raymond James Bank Deposit Program			\$33.62	\$159,603.05	

July 31 to August 31, 2018

**RAYMOND JAMES®**

**Your Activity (continued)**

California State Athletic Comm Account No. 56658065

**Cash Sweep Activity Recap**

**Raymond James Bank Deposit Program**

Date	Activity Type	Amount	Balance	Date	Activity Type	Amount	Balance
07/31/2018	Beginning Balance		\$153,340.90				
08/07/2018	Transfer To	\$6,228.53	\$159,569.43	08/31/2018	Interest at RJ Bank Deposit Program	\$33.62	\$159,603.05



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# **AGENDA ITEM**

## **#8b**

### *Report on Pending and Proposed Regulations*

- *Examination of Boxer Applicants (Amendment to Title 4, California Code of Regulations section 280.)*

October 2, 2018

**Examination of Boxer Applicants and Neurological Assessment**

OAL File Number: \_\_\_\_\_



8/15/17

8/29/17

Effective Date

**STATUS:** Legal Counsel approved the regulation package on 3/26/18; DCA (Budgets, Leg/Reg and the Executive Office) is now reviewing for approval.

# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8c**

*Status Updated of Delegated Entities  
California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts  
Organization (CAMO)*



September 20, 2018

To: California State Athletic Commission

From: California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts Organization, Inc. ("CAMO")

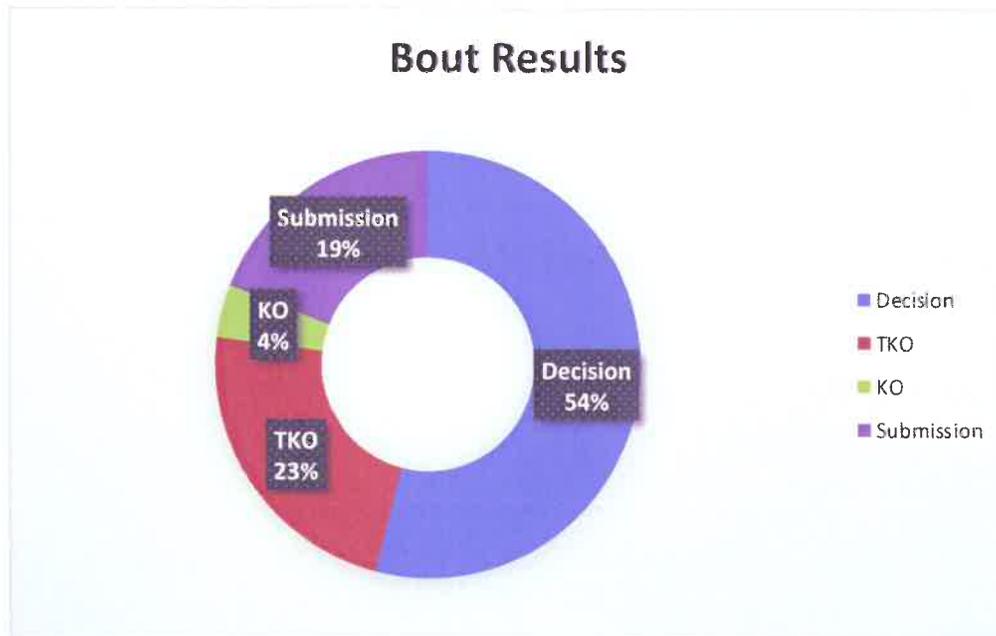
Re: CAMO UPDATE / DOCUMENT REQUEST

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Below and attached please find a CAMO update and report in anticipation of the regularly scheduled CSAC meeting scheduled for October 2, 2018 in Los Angeles, CA:

**1. CAMO SAFETY AND SUSPENSION REPORT: UPDATE**

There have been no major injuries of a heightened concern for the commission to review since the last CSAC meeting and report on July 24, 2018 in San Diego, CA. All suspensions since the July 24, 2018 CSAC meeting have been attached hereto as Exhibit A. Bout results during this time period have been exceedingly competitive resulting in more decision victories than past averages.



**2. FINANCIAL REPORT:**

CAMO provided Executive Officer Andy Foster with CAMO's most recent tax returns including an internal financial report in advance of the July 24, 2018 meeting. CAMO reserves are within required operating ranges.



### **3. PED & DRUGS OF ABUSE TESTING:**

CAMO is in the process of designing a new comprehensive drug testing program that includes testing for anabolic steroids. CAMO intends to use the laboratory services of Request-A-Test, a long-time supporter of combative sports. CAMO also has interest from program supporters to help shoulder some of the costs of drug testing athletes which we hope to announce soon.

### **4. CAMO UPCOMING EVENTS:**

As requested by the Commission, attached please find our upcoming event calendar (Exhibit B) that is also maintained on our website: [www.camomma.org](http://www.camomma.org). It is always our pleasure to have a member of the Commission visit our events.

In closing, 2018 has been a strong year for CAMO with our busiest month in October. We look forward to finishing the year safely and continuing to look for new ways to advance the sport. Thank you for your continued support.

Sincerely,

JT Steele | President, California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts Organization, Inc.



**EXHIBIT A**

Date Issued	Days	Expires	Injury Type	Status	Notes
9/11/18	365	9/11/19	Discipline	suspended	promoter suspend for improper payment to amateur athletes
9/11/18	365	9/11/19	Discipline	suspended	promoter suspended for improper payment to amateur athletes
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	Hard Bout	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	100000000		Eye Injury	suspended	Indef suspension for abrasion of R eye OR cleared by Dr
9/8/18	180	3/7/19	Hyperextension	suspended	180 days for injury to L knee or cleared by DR
9/8/18	60	11/7/18	Discipline	suspended	60 days for no-show. Left after weigh-in and did not return.
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	30	10/8/18	Hard Bout	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	180	3/7/19	Eye Injury	suspended	180/180: possible abrasion to R eye or cleared by DR
9/8/18	180	3/7/19	Hyperextension	suspended	180/180: injury to L elbow or cleared by DR
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	45	10/23/18	TKO	suspended	
9/8/18	180	3/7/19	Hyperextension	suspended	180/180: injury to L shoulder or cleared by DR
8/31/18	45	10/15/18	TKO	suspended	
8/31/18	45	10/15/18	TKO	suspended	
8/31/18	60	10/30/18	TKO	suspended	
8/31/18	45	10/15/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	60	10/24/18	Cut	suspended	60/60: laceration of scalp or cleared by dr
8/25/18	60	10/24/18	Cut	suspended	60/60: cut under L eye or cleared by DR
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	KO	suspended	
8/25/18	45	10/9/18	TKO	suspended	
8/25/18	180	2/21/19	Hand Injury	suspended	180/180: possible FX of R hand or cleared by DR

8/25/18	180	2/21/19	Possible Fracture	suspended	180/180: possible fx of R foot or cleared by DR
8/25/18	60	10/24/18	Cut	suspended	60/60: cut over L eye or cleared by DR
8/25/18	60	10/24/18	KO	suspended	
8/25/18	1000000000		KO	suspended	indef for L eye injury. Or until cleared by DR
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	180	2/20/19	Hand Injury	suspended	180/180: possible FX of R hand OR cleared by DR
8/24/18	180	2/20/19	Hand Injury	suspended	180/180: possible fx of 2nd metacarpal or cleared by DR
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	45	10/8/18	TKO	suspended	
8/24/18	180	2/20/19	Eye Injury	suspended	180/180: R eye swollen or cleared by DR
8/24/18	60	10/23/18	Cut	suspended	60/60: cut under L eye or cleared by DR
8/18/18	45	10/2/18	TKO	suspended	
8/18/18	45	10/2/18	TKO	suspended	
8/18/18	60	10/17/18	Cut	suspended	60/60 laceration L eyebrow OR cleared by dr
8/18/18	180	2/14/19	Possible Fracture	suspended	180/180 possible R thumb FX OR cleared by ortho
8/18/18	45	10/2/18	TKO	suspended	
8/18/18	180	2/14/19	Possible Fracture	suspended	180/180 possible R hand FX OR cleared by dr. Need X-Ray and r/o metacarpal.
8/5/18	45	9/19/18	KO	expired	
8/5/18	45	9/19/18	TKO	expired	
8/5/18	45	9/19/18	KO	expired	
8/4/18	45	9/18/18	TKO	expired	
8/4/18	45	9/18/18	TKO	expired	
8/4/18	180	1/31/19	Hand Injury	suspended	180/180: possible FX or R thumb or cleared by DR
8/4/18	1000000000		Infectios Disease	suspended	needs confirmatory test
7/28/18	45	9/11/18	TKO	expired	
7/28/18	45	9/11/18	TKO	expired	
7/28/18	45	9/11/18	TKO	expired	



**EXHIBIT B**



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<a href="#">Eddie Bravo Invitational</a>	09/29/2018		<a href="#">Muscle Pharm HQ</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
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<a href="#">JR Entertainment</a>	11/17/2018		<a href="#">Modesto Centre Plaza</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">559 Fights 69</a>	11/30/2018		<a href="#">Visalia Convention Center</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">51Fifty Fight Night Z</a>	11/30/2018		<a href="#">Jackson Sports Academy</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">test event</a>	12/01/2018		<a href="#">test</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">Panda Cup Promotions</a>	12/08/2018		<a href="#">McClellan Conference Center</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">559 Fights 70</a>	12/22/2018		<a href="#">Rainbow Ballroom</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">SparStarMMA</a>	01/05/2019		<a href="#">The Commerce Casino</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
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<a href="#">559 Fights 74</a>	05/18/2019		<a href="#">Rainbow Ballroom</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>
<a href="#">559 Fights 75</a>	06/29/2019		<a href="#">Visalia Convention Center</a>	<a href="#">view fights</a> <a href="#">edit</a> <a href="#">officials</a> <a href="#">needs</a> <a href="#">delete</a>

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# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8c**

*Status Updated of Delegated Entities*  
*USA Boxing*

# memo



DATE: September 21, 2018  
TO: California State Athletic Commission  
Andy Foster, Executive Director  
FROM: Mike McAtee, Executive Director  
RE: USA Boxing Delegation

Please accept this MEMO part of USA Boxing's reporting requirements for the Third Quarter of 2018.

## Highlight of California Boxers competing in the 2018 Youth World Championships in Budapest, Hungary

**Iyana Verduzco** (Los Angeles, Calif.) won her first World Championship title over Kazakhstan's Aizada Yeslyamgali by a 4-1 decision.

**Heaven Garcia** (El Monte, Calif.) picked up her second World Championship title to add to her 2015 Junior World Championship title with her 4-1 split decision victory over India's Anamika.

## USA Boxing and California LBC 2018 annual fee schedule for club shows

Category	USA Boxing Fee <sup>1</sup>	Northern LBC Fees	Total
Boxers	55.00	10.00	65.00
Coach, Official	75.00	15.00	90.00
Club or Gym	180.00	95.00	275.00
Club show Sanction	305.00	145.00	450.00

Category	USA Boxing Fee	Central LBC Fees	Total
Boxers	55.00	45.00	100.00
Coach, Official	75.00	25.00	100.00
Club or Gym	180.00	45.00	225.00
Club show Sanction	305.00	188.00	493.00

Category	USA Boxing Fee	Southern LBC Fees	Total
Boxers	55.00	15.00	70.00
Coach, Official	75.00	10.00	85.00
Club or Gym	180.00	25.00	205.00
Club show Sanction	305.00	25.00	330.00

<sup>1</sup> USA Boxing fees are the same for all 53 Local Boxing Committees.

Category	USA Boxing Fee	Border LBC Fees	Total
Boxers	55.00	12.00	67.00
Coach, Official	75.00	20.00	95.00
Club or Gym	180.00	30.00	210.00
Club show Sanction	305.00	105.00	410.00

**Match Tracker Update:**

Third Quarter Match Tracker total entries:

LBC	Number of Bouts	Total
Northern	53	
Central	69	
Southern	340	
Border	13	
		475

**2018 USA Boxing fees collected from Californians from July 1, 2018 through August 30, 2018:**

Category	Number	USA Boxing Fees	LBC Fees <sup>2</sup>	Total
Boxers	430	\$ 7,115	\$23,650	\$30,765
Non-Athletes	81	\$6,075	\$1,120	\$7,195
Club or Gym	6	\$330	\$1,080	\$1,410
Club show Sanction	27	\$ 1,819	\$7,930	\$9,749
Totals		\$ 15,339	\$33,780	\$49,119

**2018 USA Boxing's California financial, competition and injury reports are included. Please refer to page 4.**

<sup>2</sup> Totals of the four LBC returned to the state.

**2018 USA Boxing National Events from July 1, 2018 through August 30, 2018:**

Event	Number of Boxers	Number of California Boxers	Number of Non-Athletes	Number of Non-Athletes Californians	Percent Participation from Californians	Event Expense	Total Event Expense for Californians
Junior Olympics (June 24-30, 2018)	683	84	548	70	12.5%	\$143,846	\$17,980.75
<b>Total</b>							\$17,980.75

**High Performance Expenses for Californians:**

Part of USA Boxing's mission is to invest in world class athletes and coaches. The following is a breakdown of, \$57,395.40 of USA Boxing funds used to support California athletes and coaches in International Competition and National Training Camps in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

July-August 2018 California Women's Costs						
Age Division	Flights	OTC Room/Board	International Room/Board	Stipend	Other Costs (Med Ex, Per diem)	Total
Elite	\$434.00	\$900.00	\$0.00	\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$3,334.00
Youth	\$11,598.40	\$4,680.00	\$9,185.80	\$0.00	\$799.00	\$26,263.20
Junior	\$1,902.25	\$2,970.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$150.00	\$5,022.25
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$13,934.65</b>	<b>\$8,550.00</b>	<b>\$9,185.80</b>	<b>\$2,000.00</b>	<b>\$949.00</b>	<b>\$34,619.45</b>
July-August 2018 California Men's Costs						
Age Division	Flights	OTC Room/Board	International Room/Board	Stipend	Other Costs (Med Ex, Per diem)	Total
Elite	\$760.40	\$5,400.00	\$0.00	\$6,650.00	\$0.00	\$12,810.40
Youth	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Junior	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$760.40</b>	<b>\$5,400.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$6,650.00</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>	<b>\$12,810.40</b>
July-August 2018 California Coaches Costs						
Age Division	Flights	OTC Room/Board	International Room/Board	Stipend	Other Costs (Med Ex, Per diem)	Total
Coaches	\$3,175.80	\$1,800.00	\$2,240.00	\$2,500.00	\$249.75	\$9,965.55
<b>Totals</b>	<b>\$3,175.80</b>	<b>\$1,800.00</b>	<b>\$2,240.00</b>	<b>\$2,500.00</b>	<b>\$249.75</b>	<b>\$9,965.55</b>



## USAB Injury Statistics for California



LBC	Number of Bouts	Number of Rounds	Total Number of Injuries	Number of injuries per round
Northern California	53	159	0	0.00
Central California	69	207	0	0.00
Southern California	340	980	1	0.00102041
California Border	13	39	0	0.00
<b>Total Combined:</b>	475	1,385	1	0.00102041

## USAB Financial Report Summary for California

LBC	Revenue	Expenses	Net Proceeds for Sanction Holders
Northern California	\$30,995	\$27,018	\$3,977
Central California	Pending	Pending	Pending
Southern California	\$46,075	\$74,367	-\$28,292
California Border	Pending	Pending	Pending
<b>Total Combined:</b>	Pending	Pending	Pending



### Northern California - 2018 Sanction List



Date	Event	Club	Number of Bouts	Total Number of Rounds Boxed	Total Number of Injuries	Concussion Injuries*
7/8/2018	Bartender's Boxing	3RD Street Boxing Gym	8	24		
7/14/2018	DSAL Boxing Academy Showcase	DSAL Boxing Academy	15	45		
7/21/2018	Caballero Promotes Boxing	Caballero Boxing Club	Not Recorded			
7/27/2018	Sutter Club Rooftop Rumble	Community Youth Center	10	30		
8/18/2018	14th Annual Hot August Fights	Shotgun Boxing Crew	20	60		
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>53</b>	<b>159</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

Data Sources: CSAC - LBC Quarterly Report Form  
Webpoint  
Restriction Affidavits

\*Concussion Injuries data is presumed from Restriction Affidavits, not confirmed from follow-up exam



### Northern California - 2018 Financial Report



Date	Event	Club	Revenue	Expenses	Net Proceeds for Sanction Holder
7/8/2018	Bartender's Boxing	3RD Street Boxing Gym	\$4,400.00	\$4,200.00	\$200.00
7/14/2018	DSAL Boxing Academy Showcase	DSAL Boxing Academy	\$11,000.00	\$9,000.00	\$2,000.00
7/21/2018	Caballero Promotes Boxing	Caballero Boxing Club	\$0.00	\$2,515.25	\$2,515.25
7/27/2018	Sutter Club Rooftop Rumble	Community Youth Center	\$9,000.00	\$6,580.00	\$2,420.00
8/18/2018	14th Annual Hot August Fights	Shotgun Boxing Crew	\$6,595.00	\$4,723.00	\$1,872.00
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>\$30,995</b>	<b>\$27,018</b>	<b>\$3,976.75</b>

Data Sources Financial Statement for Competition\*

\*A Financial Statement for Competition is required for all USAB sanctioned events.



### Central California - 2018 Sanction List



Date	Event	Club	Number of Bouts	Total Number of Rounds Boxed	Total Number of Injuries	Concussion Injuries*
7/28/2018	Scaian/Davila Boxing Invitational	Central California	9	27		
8/11/2018	First Annual August Fury	Rock Boxing Gym	30	90	0	0
8/25/2018	August Knock Out	Shafter Boxing Club	30	90	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>69</b>	<b>207</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Data Sources CSAC - LBC Quarterly Report Form  
Webpoint  
Restriction Affidavits

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### Southern California - 2018 Sanction List



Date	Event	Club	Number of Bouts	Total Number of Rounds Boxed	Total Number of Injuries	Concussion Injuries*
7/4/2018	Fourth of July in South El Mote	Southern California	14	42	0	0
7/6/2018	Boxing at CHUMASH	Central Coast Boxing	5	15	0	0
7/7/2018	Villegas Park Bxing Club	Villegas Park Boxing Club	20	60	0	0
7/15/2018	All World Boxing Show	All World Boxing	23	69	0	0
7/21/2018	Westside n Fabela Chavez Presents Boxing in the Park	West Side Boxing Club	23	29	0	0
7/29/2018	Broadway Boxing Show	Southern California	17	51	0	0
8/4/2018	Summer Showdown	The Rock	22	66	0	0
8/5/2018	Jurupa Valley Boxing Club Summer Mayhem	Jurupa Valley BC	13	39	0	0
8/11/2018	Raincross Rumble	Riverside's Raincross Boxing Academy	19	57	0	0
8/12/2018	Hollenbeck Boxing Show	Hollenbeck Youth Center	13	39	0	0
8/12/2018	Boxing Show	Fist Of Gold Youth Center	9	27	0	0
8/17/2018	Boxing Show	KO Boxing	4	12	0	0
8/18/2018	KO High Boxing in the Lodge	KO Boxing	4	12	0	0
8/19/2018	Getting Down in P-Town #3	Gangs 2 Grace Youth Foundation Boxing Club	15	45	0	0
8/24/2018	Centennial Square Boxing Show	Pasadena Boxing Club	13	39	0	0
8/25/2018	Duarte Boxing Club Show	Southern California	18	54	0	0
8/25/2018	Boxing at Aguas Caliente	Southern California	4	12	0	0
8/26/2018	Hawaiian Gardens Boxing Show	City of Hawaiian Gardens Boxing	17	51	0	0
8/30/2018	Blue n Gold Tournament	Sportscene World Class Boxing	91	273	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>340</b>	<b>980</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

Data Sources CSAC - LBC Quarterly Report Form

Webpoint

Restriction Affidavits

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### Southern California - 2018 Financial Report



Date	Event	Club	Revenue	Expenses	Net Proceeds for Sanction Holder
7/4/2018	Fourth of July in South El Mote	Southern California	\$0	\$930	-\$930
7/6/2018	Boxing at CHUMASH	Central Coast Boxing	\$0	\$1,700	-\$1,700
7/7/2018	Villegas Park Bxing Club	Villegas Park Boxing Club	\$2,087	\$2,114	-\$27
7/15/2018	All World Boxing Show	All World Boxing	\$1,500	\$3,140	-\$1,640
7/21/2018	Westside n Fabela Chavez Presents Boxing in the Park	West Side Boxing Club			
7/29/2018	Broadway Boxing Show	Southern California	\$2,262	\$2,020	\$242
8/4/2018	Summer Showdown	The Rock	\$1,429	\$1,950	-\$521
8/4/2018	Summer Showdown	The Rock	\$1,429	\$1,950	-\$521
8/5/2018	Jurupa Valley Boxing Club Summer Mayhem	Jurupa Valley BC	\$2,667	\$1,679	\$988
8/11/2018	Raincross Rumble	Riverside's Raincross Boxing Academy	\$3,517	\$5,006	-\$1,489
8/12/2018	Hollenbeck Boxing Show	Hollenbeck Youth Center	\$1,075	\$5,049	-\$3,974
8/12/2018	Boxing Show	Fist Of Gold Youth Center	\$5,080	\$4,650	\$430
8/17/2018	Boxing Show	Fist Of Gold Youth Center	\$5,080	\$4,650	\$430
8/18/2018	KO High Boxing in the Lodge	KO Boxing	\$15,000	\$20,175	-\$5,175
8/19/2018	Getting Down in P-Town #3	Gangs 2 Grace Youth Foundation Boxing Club	\$3,955	\$9,804	-\$5,849
8/24/2018	Centennial Square Boxing Show	Pasadena Boxing Club	\$0	\$3,588	-\$3,588
8/24/2018	Centennial Square Boxing Show	Pasadena Boxing Club	\$0	\$3,588	-\$3,588
8/25/2018	Duarte Boxing Club Show	Southern California	\$960	\$1,155	-\$195
8/25/2018	Boxing at Aguas Caliente	Southern California	\$0	\$1,505	-\$1,505
8/26/2018	Hawaiian Gardens Boxing Show	City of Hawaiian Gardens Boxing	\$1,293	\$5,139	-\$3,846
8/26/2018	Hawaiian Gardens Boxing Show	City of Hawaiian Gardens Boxing	\$1,293	\$5,139	-\$3,846
8/30/2018	Blue n Gold Tournament	Sportscene World Class Boxing	\$5,250	\$4,763	\$487
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>\$46,075</b>	<b>\$74,367</b>	<b>-\$28,292</b>

Data Sources Financial Statement for Competition\*

\*A Financial Statement for Competition is required for all USAB sanctioned events.



### California Border - 2018 Sanction List



Date	Event	Club	Number of Bouts	Total Number of Rounds Boxed	Total Number of Injuries	Concussion Injuries*
7/27/2018	Friday Night Fights	Bound Boxing Academy	13	39	0	0
8/24/2018	Friday Night Fights	Bound Boxing Academy	Not on File	Not on File	0	0
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>13</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

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 Webpoint  
 Restriction Affidavits

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### California Border - 2018 Financial Report



Date	Event	Club	Revenue	Expenses	Net Proceeds for Sanction Holder
7/27/2018	Friday Night Fights	Bound Boxing Academy	Pending	Pending	
8/24/2018	Friday Night Fights	Bound Boxing Academy	Pending	Pending	
<b>Totals:</b>			<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0.00</b>

Data Sources: Financial Statement for Competition\*

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# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8c**

*Status Updated of Delegated Entities  
United State Fight League (USFL)*



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Sept. 20, 2018

**To: Andy Foster, California State Athletic Commission**  
**Subj: USFL Update**

**I. Youth events since last commission meeting:**

- **Aug 4 – Arnold, MO.**  
9 bouts / 0 injuries
- **Aug 19- Tracy, CA.**  
15 bouts / 3 minor injuries 0 medical suspensions (1 eye poke, 2 bloody noses /grappling related. All bouts were able to continue)
- **Aug 25-Sacramento, CA.**  
13 bouts / 0 injuries

**II. Upcoming California Events**

- Sept 12 – Tracy, CA
- Sept 29 – Temecula, CA
- Oct 14 – Tracy, CA
- Oct 20 – Sacramento, CA
- Nov 17 – Orange County, CA
- Nov 18 – Tracy, CA
- Dec 8 – Sacramento, CA
- Dec 8 – Ontario, CA

**III. Medical suspensions since delegation Sept 2014:**

711 bouts/ 1422 athletic exposures (as of 8/25/18)

20 Injuries that required suspension from competition/ training.

Dr. Adam Brooks has indicated, the results of the 4 year injury study will be presented to the Association of Ringside Physicians at their annual convention this October in Las Vegas.

**INJURIES TO DATE:**

- Knee hyperextension (age 15)
- Strained Thumb (age 13)
- Rib contusion (age 11)
- (2) Broken Arm (age 16 & 14)
- (3) Hyper-extended Elbow (age 8, 12 & 16)
- (3) Blows to cheek/ Jaw (age 8, 13 & 16)
- Fractured hand (age 17)
- Fractured index Finger (age 12)
- Lower back strain (Age 13)
- Fractured Clavicle (Age 17)
- Trauma to thigh (Age 12)
- Swollen/ Sprain finger (Age 13)
- (2) Knee contusion (Age 14)
- Asthma Attack (Age 13)

#### **IV. UFC Coverage of Youth Pankration**

A youth Pankration bout was filmed at the August 25<sup>th</sup> Panda Cup event in Sacramento to be featured on the UFC's 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary docuseries. The specific episode will focus on Women's MMA and should be airing either October or November.

#### **V. Planned implementation of Abuse Prevention Systems.**

ABS is compliant under the Federal SafeSport Act of 2018 for training of coaches and volunteers in the prevention of child abuse.

R/S

**Jon Frank**  
**United States Fight League**

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# **AGENDA ITEM**

**#8c**

*Status Updated of Delegated Entities  
International Kickboxing Federation (IKF)*



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**IKF CALIFORNIA "SHORT REPORT" FOR THE CSAC**

July 13th, 2018 - September 20th, 2018

Since the IKF's last CSAC report of July 12th, 2018, the IKF has regulated \*\*5 Amateur Muay Thai / Kickboxing Events in the State of California. Here are the event details of these "5" IKF Sanctioned Events:

(\*\*) Due to the IKF Amateur World Tournament on August 3rd, 4th and 5th in Orlando, Florida the IKF did not have events in CA between July 21st until August 12th, 2018. <http://www.ikfkickboxing.com/WC18Results.htm>

<u>MONTH OF EVENTS</u>	<u>BOUTS</u>	<u>DECISIONS</u>	<u>ENDED IN KO/TKO</u>	<u>MEDICAL SUSPENSIONS</u>	<u>NOR CAL EVENTS</u>	<u>SO CAL EVENTS</u>
JULY	23	19	4	4	1	1
AUGUST	27	20	8	8	0	2
SEPTEMBER	9	8	1	2	0	1
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>

**ALL OF THE ABOVE BOUT DETAILS CAN BE FOUND AT THIS WEB PAGE:**

<http://www.ikfkickboxing.com/IKFCAPASTEVENTS.htm>

- ◆ Of these 5 Events, 3 of them were combined Pro & Amateur Events with the CSAC.  
All 5 Events were Actual Full Contact Muay Thai/Kickboxing Events with 59 Competition bouts fought.
- ◆ Of the 59 REAL Full Contact Competition Bouts, the IKF Physicians issued 15 Medical Suspensions.
  - 1 was a 30 day Medical Suspensions.
  - 9 were 45 day Medical Suspensions.
  - 3 were 60 day Medical Suspensions.
  - 2 were 180 day Medical Suspensions.

**DETAILS OF THE 2, 180 DAY MEDICAL SUSPENSIONS**

- 1: 8-18-18: Debut fighter lost by TKO at :19 seconds of round 3 and was given a 180 Day Medical suspension due to TKO and possible fracture of left knee. Must have medical clearance through Orthopedic to compete again.
- 2: 8-18-18: Seasoned fighter (25 bouts) lost by unanimous decision and given a 180 day Medical Suspension by Dr. Mitchell Jelen due to possible fracture and of left handle/knuckle. Must have medical clearance through Orthopedic.

**DETAILS OF THE 3, 60 DAY MEDICAL SUSPENSIONS**

- 1: 7-20-18: Beginning fighter (3 bouts) fought to a Unanimous Draw and was issued a 60 day Medical Suspension due to injury, cut to the side of eye that requires sutures by Dr. Diego Allande.
- 2: 8-18-18: Beginning fighter (3 bouts) lost by TKO at :01 second of Round 3. Bout was Stopped by Dr. Mitch Jelen due to internal mouth bleed hazard to fighter and choking hazard - Ill-fitted mouth piece suspected cause. Fighter was issued a 60 day Medical Suspension by Dr. Mitchell Jelen due to deep laceration inside mouth
- 3: 8-18-18: Seasoned fighter (16 bouts) lost by unanimous decision and was given a 60 day Medical Suspension due to a cut requiring sutures above the right eye by Dr. Diego Allande.

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**DETAILS OF THE 9, 45 DAY MEDICAL SUSPENSIONS**

- 1: 7-15-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by KO at 1:37 of round 2.
- 2: 7-15-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by KO at 1:27 of round 2.
- 3: 7-20-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at :41 seconds of round 3.
- 4: 8-18-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by KO at :23 seconds of round 3.
- 5: 8-18-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at 1:31 of round 2.
- 6: 8-18-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at 1:59 of round 1.
- 7: 8-18-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at 1:53 of round 2.
- 8: 8-18-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at 1:26 of round 3.
- 9: 9-15-18: Suspension was given for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at :28 seconds of Round 2.

**DETAILS OF THE 1, 30 DAY MEDICAL SUSPENSION**

- 1: 7-15-18: Suspension was given to debut fighter for precautionary reasons due to a loss by TKO at 1:24 of round 2.
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**SANCTIONED EVENT TOTALS**

In all, since the IKF was delegated to oversee Amateur Kickboxing and Muay Thai in California on March 17th, 2014 by the California State Athletic Commission, the IKF has sanctioned/regulated a total of 209 events.

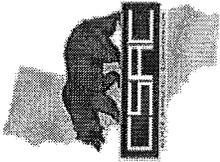
By the October 2nd, 2018 CSAC Commission meeting, the IKF will have sanctioned a total of 212 Amateur Kickboxing / Muay Thai Events.

**END OF 2018 & THIRD REPORT OF 2018**

# **AGENDA ITEM**

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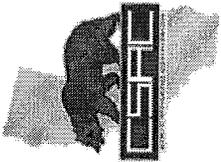
*Upcoming Event Schedule and Discussion  
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2942	9/21/2018 Time: 7:45PM	9/20/2018 Time: 12:00PM	DOUBLETREE HOTEL - ONTARIO 222 North Vineyard Avenue Ontario, CA 91764	Thompson Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Alma
3103	9/28/2018 Time: 6:00PM	9/27/2018 Time: TBD	WALTER PYRAMID 1250 N. Bellflower Blvd. Long Beach, CA 90840	TS-1 Promotions	MMA	Univision/ ESPN Latin America	Derek
3131	9/28/2018 Time: 5:30PM	9/27/2018 Time: 3:00PM	PECHANGA RESORT & CASINO 45000 Pechanga Parkway Temecula, CA 92592	Devin Haney Promotions	Boxing	Showtime	Claudia
3150	9/28/2018 Time: TBA	9/27/2018 Time: 2:00PM	SELLAND ARENA 700 M Street Fresno, CA 93721	Legacy Fighting Alliance	MMA	AXS TV	Alma
3155	9/28/2018 Time: 4:00PM	9/17/2018 Time: 2:00PM	ORACLE ARENA 7000 Coliseum Way Oakland, CA 94621	Top Rank	BOXING	ESPN	Claudia
3154	9/29/2018 Time: TBD	9/28/2018 Time: 11:00AM	FANTASY SPRINGS CASINO 84-245 Indio Springs Pkwy. Indio, CA 92201	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING		Lee
3127	9/29/2018 Time: 4:00PM	9/28/2018 Time: 5:00PM	SAP CENTER 525 West Santa Clara Street San Jose, CA 95113	Bellator	MMA	DAZN	Derek
3146	9/29/2018 Time: 7:00PM	9/28/2018 Time: 2:00PM	QUIET CANNON 901 Via San Clemente Montebello, CA 90640	All Star	BOXING		Alma
3147	9/29/2018 Time: TBA	9/28/2018 Time: TBA	STRAMLER PARK 4003 Chester Avenue Bakersfield, CA 93301	RED Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Lee
3162	9/30/2018 Time: 3:00PM	9/29/2018 Time: TBA	CITIZEN'S BUSINESS BANK ARENA 4000 E Ontario Center Parkway Ontario, CA 91764	Ringstar Sports/ TGB Promotions	BOXING	Fox Sports 1	Lee
3138	10/4/2018 Time: 5:00PM	10/3/2018 Time: 11:00AM	THE HANGER - OC FAIRGROUNDS 88 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, CA 92626	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING	ESPN2/ Deportes	Lee



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3107	CANCELLED 10/6/2018 Time: TBD	CANCELLED 10/5/2018 Time: TBD	UNIVERSITY OF SAN FRANCISCO 2130 Fulton Street San Francisco, CA 94117	SquareVision	BOXING		Alma
3134	10/6/2018 Time: TBD	10/5/2018 Time: 3:00PM	CACHE CREEK RESORT & CASINO 14455 California 16 Brooks, CA 95606	Paco Presents & Don Chargin	BOXING		Alma
3164	10/6/2018 Time: 2:00PM	10/5/2018 Time: 6:00PM	MCCLELLAN CONFERENCE CENTER 5411 Luce Avenue McClellan Park, CA 95652	The Titans Cage	MMA		Claudia
2907	10/11/2018 Time: 7:00PM	10/10/2018 Time: 4:00PM	THE HANGER - OC FAIRGROUNDS 88 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, CA 92626	Roy Englebrecht Promotions	BOXING/ MMA		Claudia
2991	10/12/2018 Time: TBD	10/11/2018 Time: 11:00AM	BELASCO THEATER 1050 South Hill Street Los Angeles, CA 90015	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING	Estrella TV	Lee
3151	10/13/2018 Time: 4:00pm	10/12/2018 Time: TBA	LONG BEACH CONVENTION CENTER 300 E. Ocean Blvd. Long Beach, CA 90802	Professional Fighters League	MMA	NBC Sports	Derek
3174	10/13/2018 Time: 4:45pm	10/12/2018 Time: 12:00PM	SALINAS STORM HOUSE 185 Mayral Drive Salinas, CA 93906	Thompson Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Derek
3171	10/13/2018 Time: 12:00pm	10/12/2018 Time: TBD	ALAMEDA COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS 4501 Pleasanton Ave. Bldg B Pleasanton, CA 94566	Triumphant Combat Sports	MUJAY THAI/ KICKBOXING		Alma
2931	10/18/2018 Time: TBD	10/17/2018 Time: 11:00AM	FANTASY SPRINGS CASINO 84-245 Indio Springs Pkwy. Indio, CA 92201	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING	ESPN	Lee
3178	10/18/2018 Time: TBD	10/17/2018 Time: TBD	EXCHANGE LA 618 S. Spring Street Los Angeles, CA 90014	PR Sports	BOXING	CBS Sports Internet	Alma



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2943	10/19/2018 Time: 7:45PM	10/18/2018 Time: 12:00PM	DOUBLETREE HOTEL - ONTARIO 222 North Vineyard Avenue Ontario, CA 91764	Thompson Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Derek
3121	CANCELLED 10/20/2018 Time: 3:00PM	10/19/2018 Time: TBD	STUB HUB CENTER 18400 Avalon Blvd. Carson, CA 90746	Matchroom Boxing USA	BOXING	DAZN	Claudia
3182	10/20/2018 Time: TBD	10/19/2018 Time: TBD	MARRIOTT BURBANK AIRPORT 2500 N. HOLLYWOOD WAY Burbank, CA 91505	Dennis Warner	MMA		Claudia
3110	10/27/2018 Time: TBD	10/26/2018 Time: 12:00PM	CITIZEN'S BUSINESS BANK ARENA 4000 E Ontario Center Parkway Ontario, CA 91764	King of the Cage	MMA		Alma
3165	10/30/2018 Time: TBD	10/29/2018 Time: TBD	AVALON HOLLYWOOD 1735 Vine Street Los Angeles, CA 90028	360 & K2 Promotions	BOXING	TBD	Claudia
3168	11/2/2018 Time: 7:00PM	11/1/2018 Time: 11:00AM	STOCKTON MEMORIAL CIVIC AUDITORIUM 525 N. Center Street Stockton, CA 95202	Toscana Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Claudia
3141	11/3/2018 Time: 8:00PM	11/2/2018 Time: 2:00PM	QUIET CANNON 901 Via San Clemente Montebello, CA 90640	All Star	BOXING		Alma
2932	11/8/2018 Time: TBD	11/7/2018 Time: 11:00AM	FANTASY SPRINGS CASINO 84-245 Indio Springs Pkwy. Indio, CA 92201	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING	ESPN	Lee
3179	11/9/2018 Time: 6:00PM	11/8/2018 Time: 10:00AM	TACHI PALACE HOTEL AND CASINO 17225 Jersey Avenue Lemoore, CA 93245	Richard Goodman	MMA		Alma
3144	11/10/2018 Time: 4:00PM	11/9/2018 Time: 11:00AM	KEZAR PAVILION 755 Stanyan Street San Francisco, CA 94117	Dragon House	MMA		Derek

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3170	11/16/2018 Time: TBA	11/15/2018 Time: 11:30AM	DOUBLE TREE BY HILTON 2001 Point W Way Sacramento, CA 95815	Uppercut Promotions	BOXING		Alma
3175	11/16/2018 Time: TBA	11/15/2018 Time: 12:00PM	THE HANGER - OC FAIRGROUNDS 88 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, CA 92626	Legacy Fighting Alliance	MMA		Derek
3140	11/24/2018 Time: 4:00PM	11/23/2018 Time: 11:00AM	THE FORUM 3900 West Manchester Blvd Inglewood, CA 90305	Golden Boy Promotions	BOXING	RingTV PPV	Lee
2908	12/6/2018 Time: 7:00PM	12/5/2018 Time: 4:00PM	THE HANGER - OC FAIRGROUNDS 88 Fair Drive Costa Mesa, CA 92626	Roy Englebrecht Promotions	BOXING/ MMA		Derek
3158	12/7/2018 Time: 6:00PM	12/6/2018 Time: 11:00AM	SAVEMART CENTER 2650 E Shaw Avenue Fresno, CA 93710	TS-1 Promotions	MMA	Univision/ ESPN Latin America	Lee
3159	12/8/2018 Time: 4:00PM	12/7/2018 Time: 1:00PM	INDUSTRY HILLS EXPO CENTER 16200 Temple Avenue La Puente, CA 91744	RED Boxing Promotions	BOXING		Lee