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MEEETING OF THE CALIFORNIA STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION

NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, March 3, 2025 10:00 a.m. - Conclusion of Business

NOTE: The California State Athletic Commission (Commission) will hold a public meeting, accessible both in-person and via a teleconference platform, in accordance with Government Code section 11123.2.

Note: The Commission will endeavor to provide reliable means for members of the public to participate remotely; however, in the unlikely event that such remote means fail, the meeting may continue in person. For this reason, members of the public are advised to consider attending the meeting in person in order to ensure their participation during the meeting.

IN-PERSON LOCATION:

Ronald Reagan State Building Auditorium 300 S Spring St. Los Angeles, CA 90013

FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION AND COMMENT FROM A REMOTE LOCATION, PLEASE LOG ON TO ZOOM:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87647947691?pwd=YDsfSi4FDDBzVgzpv4BgCzgA0rezlm.1

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FOR OBSERVATION ONLY:

View at https://thedcapage.blog/webcasts. Using the livestream link will allow only for observation with closed captioning. Livestream availability cannot be guaranteed due to technical difficulties or resource limitations. The meeting will not be cancelled if livestream becomes unavailable.

Items may be taken out of order to maintain a quorum, accommodate a speaker, or for convenience. Action may be taken on any item listed on this agenda, including information-only items.

Members of the public can address the Commission during the public comment session. Public comments will also be taken on agenda items at the time the item is heard and prior to the Commission taking action on these items. Public comments will be limited to two minutes unless, at the discretion of the Chair, circumstances require a shorter period; members of the public will not be permitted to "yield" their allotted time to other members of the public to make comments.

AGENDA

OPEN SESSION

- 1. Call to Order/ Pledge of Allegiance/ Roll Call/ Establishment of a Quorum.
- 2. Welcome Chairman's Opening Remarks.
- 3. Review and **Possible Action** to approve the December 9, 2024, Commission Meeting Minutes.
- 4. Election of Officers Pursuant to the Requirements of the Business and Professions Code section 18606.
- Discussion and Possible Action regarding Bare Knuckle Fighting Championship Request for a Promoter License in order to hold events using Bare Knuckle Fighting Rules pursuant to California Code of Regulations, title 4, section 533.
- 6. Discussion and **Possible Action** regarding waiving the requirement for an ambulance to be present at small USA Boxing events pursuant to Business and Professions Code, chapter 2, article 3, section 18646.
- 7. Discussion and **Possible Action** regarding opportunities for Referee Uniform Sponsorships.
- 8. Budget Update from the Budget Office of the Department of Consumer Affairs.
- 9. Executive Officer's Report
 - a. Budget Update for the Support Fund, the Neurological Fund, Pension Program and MMA Benefit Fund.
 - b. Update on Boxers Pension Distributions.

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- c. Update on the Specialty License Plate.
- d. Status Update of Delegated Entities
 - California Amateur Mixed Martial Arts Organizations (CAMO)- J.T Steele
 - USA Boxing (USA Boxing)- Mike McAtee
 - United States Fight League (USFL)-Joe Stevenson
 - International Kickboxing Federation (IKF)- Toni Fossum
 - World Association of Kickboxing Organizations (WAKO)- Thomas Henniger
 - International Sport Karate Association (ISKA)- Cory Schafer
- e. Staffing update.
- f. Upcoming Event Schedule.
- g. Update of the upcoming August 2025 ABC Conference in New Orleans, Louisiana.
- 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))

CLOSED SESSION

11. The Commission will meet in closed session as authorized by Government Code §11126, subdivision (c)(3) to deliberate on disciplinary matters and petitions; and subdivision (e)(1) to confer with and receive advice from its legal counsel regarding the following pending and threatened litigation: Sanchez v. City of Ontario, San Bernardino County Superior Court, Case No. CIVSB2423351; Walker v. Fox Theater Partners, et al., San Mateo County Superior Court, Case No. 24-CIV-03883; and Suarez v. Sweet Science Boxing, Los Angeles County Superior Court, Case No. 24TRCV03983.

OPEN SESSION

- 12. Next Commission Meeting will be Monday, June 2, 2025, with the location to be determined.
- 13. ADJOURNMENT

Important Notices to the Public:

The time and order of agenda items are approximate and subject to change without prior notice at the discretion of the Commission Chair. The meeting may be canceled without notice. For verification of the meeting, call (916) 263-2195. The meeting is open to the public except when specifically noticed otherwise, in accordance with the Open Meeting Act.

Public comments will be taken on agenda items at the time the item is heard. Total time allocated for public comment may be limited (see above).

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