

ARIZONA BOXING AND MMA COMMISSION

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NOTICE OF AND AGENDA FOR A PUBLIC MEETING

Pursuant to Arizona Revised Statutes (A.R.S.) § 38-431.02, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona Boxing and Mixed Martial Arts Commission and to the general public that the Commission will hold a meeting open to the public on **Monday, September 8, 2014**, beginning at 10:00 a.m. in Room 250, located at 1110 West Washington, Phoenix, Arizona.

One or more members of the Commission may participate in the meeting by telephonic communications. The agenda for this meeting follows. Any amendments or additions to the agenda will be made available at least 24 hours prior to the meeting. The public may obtain a detailed written description of the actions and all deliberations, consultations, and decisions by members of the public body that preceded and relate to these. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3), the Commission may vote to go into Executive Session for the purpose of obtaining legal advice from its attorney on any matter listed on the agenda. Any such Executive Session will not be open to the public.

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DATED AND POSTED this 5th day of September, 2014.

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AGENDA

- A. Call to Order:**
- a. Roll Call.
 - b. Approval of Minutes of the Regular Monthly Commission meeting held on August 11, 2014.
- B. License Applications:**
1. The Amateur MMA Contestant's License Application of Manuel Duarte per A.R.S. §§5-227, 5-228, and AAC R4-3-401 (36 years of age or older).
 2. The Amateur MMA Contestant's License Application of Daniel Ortiz per A.R.S. §§5-227, 5-228, and AAC R4-3-401 (36 years of age or older).
 3. Pursuant to A.R.S. §5-227, 5-228A., B., E., 5-229, the application submitted by Zuffa, LLC d/b/a UFC for a corporate Promoter's license.
- C. Event Requests:** Review, discussion and possible action on the following event requests (A.A.C. R4-3-405):
1. Request from Zuffa, LLC dba UFC for approval of the following 2014 MMA Event to be held at US Airways, Phoenix, AZ on Saturday December 13, 2014.
 2. Request from Adrian Romo for approval of the following 2014 MMA event to be held at Blue Water Casino, Parker, AZ on Saturday, October 25, 2014.
- D. Information Reports:** Review, discussion and possible action on:
1. Updated event schedule.
 2. 2014 Association of Boxing Commissions Convention summary by Matthew Valenzuela.
 3. Training program for MMA Officials provided by TNT MMA on July 19, 2014.
- E. New Business:** Review, discussion and possible action on:
1. Presentation by AZ Optometric Association regarding A.R.S. §5-228 F(1).
 2. Presentation Arizona Ophthalmological Society regarding A.R.S. §5-228 F(1).
 3. Presentation regarding Concussion screening by Dr. Ken Ota and Dr. Ara Feinstein.
 4. Procedures for opening investigation and taking disciplinary action for violation of statutes or rules.
 5. Update and discussion for 1 year review of uniform fee schedule regarding AAC R4-3-414.
- F. Old Business:** Review, discussion and possible action on:
1. Update and discussion for proposed MMA Events per Barry Jarrell.
 2. Update and discussion for proposed Amateur sanction body for World Muay Thai Alliance per Clement Vierra.
- G. Executive Session:**
- The Commission may vote to go into executive session on any of the foregoing agenda items for legal advice from its attorney pursuant to A.R.S. § 38-431.03(A)(3).

H. Summary of Current Events, A.R.S. §38-431.02(K):

This is the time for the Commission Chair, or any member of the Commission or the Executive Director to give a brief summary on current events that affect the Commission. It is informational only and no discussion may occur.

I. Call to the Public:

Those members of the public wishing to address the Commission must identify themselves and be recognized by the Chair. **Time permitting;** each presentation will be given approximately five minutes. Action taken as a result of public comment will be limited to directing staff to study the matter or re-schedule the matter for further consideration at a later date.

J. Announcements: The next regularly scheduled Commission meeting will be at 10:00 a.m. on Monday, October 13, 2014.

Adjournment

Materials

A copy of the agenda and background material provided to Commission Members, which is not exempt by law from public inspection, is available for public inspection at least twenty-four hours in advance of the meeting at the Department of Racing located at 1110 W. Washington Suite 260, Phoenix, AZ 85007.