**MARYLAND STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION**

**MINUTES - WEDNESDAY, February 19, 2025**

On Wednesday, February 19, 2025, the Maryland State Athletic Commission meeting was called to order by Chairman David Norman at 3:00 p.m. Present were the following: Chairman David Norman, Commissioner James “Binky” Jones, Commissioner Dr. Kristi Hall, Commissioner Brian Boles, Commissioner Carl Wilson, Eric London, Assistant Attorney General and Counsel, Matthew McKinney, Director of Strategic Initiatives, Olga Escobar, Administrative Officer, Jason Curtis, Administrative Assistant, and Executive Director Johnston Brown. This was a virtual meeting with Commission members, Commission staff, and the public using the Google Meets platform.

**APPROVAL OF COMMISSION MINUTES**

Minutes were discussed from the January 15, 2025 meeting. Commissioner Wilson made a motion to approve the minutes and seconded by Commissioner Jones. The minutes were unanimously approved.

**APPROVAL / CANCELLATION / RATIFICATION OF COMMISSION-**

**SANCTIONED EVENTS**

Executive Director Johnston Brown advised the Commission that a professional boxing event

for No Xcuse Promotions on April 12th, 2025, had been added to the schedule by the promoter. A motion to approve the event was made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Jones. The motion was unanimously approved by the Commission.

**CHAIRMAN’S REPORT**

Chairman Dave Norman had no report.

**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT**

Executive Director Johnston Brown had no report.

**REVIEW OF COMMISSION SANCTIONED EVENTS**

Executive Director Johnston Brown advised the Commission about the Wrestling events of the previous month. Those events included the following:

C3W Wrestling, January 18th, Hollywood

MCW Wrestling, January 25th, Hollywood

MCW Wrestling, February 15th, Ridgley

MCW Wrestling, February 16th, Joppa

FWA Wrestling, February 2nd, Havre de Grace

EWA Wrestling, February 8th, Bel Air

F1ght Club Wrestling, February 16th, Cheverly

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Executive Director Johnston Brown led the Commission in a discussion of upcoming events, which included the following:

Jeter Promotions Boxing, March 1st, Maryland Live! Casino

MCW Wrestling, March 1st, Galena

MCW Wrestling, March 8th, Frederick

MCW Wrestling, March 15th, Hampsted

Voltage Wrestling, March 1st, Boonsboro

FWA Wrestling, March 2nd, Havre de Grace

A motion to approve the upcoming Jeter Promotions Boxing event on March 1st was made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Hall. The motion was unanimously approved by the Commission.

A motion to approve the upcoming MCW Wrestling events on March 1st, March 8th and March 15th was made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Hall. The motion was unanimously approved by the Commission.

A motion to approve the upcoming Voltage Wrestling event on March 1st was made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Hall. The motion was unanimously approved by the Commission.

A motion to approve the upcoming FWA Wrestling event on March 2nd was made by Commissioner Wilson and seconded by Commissioner Boles. The motion was unanimously approved by the Commission.

**NEW BUSINESS**

Executive Director Johnston Brown led a discussion regarding the renewal of the Promoter’s license for Jeter Promotions and no action was taken.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

There were no public comments.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chairman Dave Norman called for a motion for adjournment at roughly 3:23pm that was made by Commissioner Hall and seconded by Commissioner Wilson, the Commission unanimously approved the motion.

/s/ Dave Norman

Chairman