

**STATE OF MICHIGAN  
DEPARTMENT OF LICENSING AND REGULATORY AFFAIRS  
CORPORATIONS, SECURITIES & COMMERCIAL LICENSING BUREAU**

**MICHIGAN UNARMED COMBAT COMMISSION**

**APPROVED MEETING MINUTES**

**JUNE 14, 2018**

In accordance with the Open Meetings Act, Public Act No. 267 of 1976, as amended, the Michigan Unarmed Combat Commission met on June 14, 2018 at the Department of Licensing and Regulatory Affairs, Corporations, Securities & Commercial Licensing Bureau, 2501 Woodlake Circle, First Floor, Directors Conference Room, Okemos, Michigan. The Commission meeting was called to order by Vice Chairperson Josh Bocks at 10:09 a.m.

**ROLL CALL**

Present:

Josh Bocks	Professional Member
Bronco B. McKart	Professional Member
Chris DeRose	Professional Member
Donald Weatherspoon	Professional Member
Teresa Graham	Public Member
Bruce Hundley	Public Member
Jason T. Hanselman	Public Member

Absent:

Jeff Styers	Professional Member
Edmund Pigeon	Professional Member
Vince Viviano	Professional Member

Staff:

Julia Dale	Bureau Director
Mike Beamish	Division Director
Stefanie Barr	Recording Secretary
Dustin Kamerman	Administrative Law Specialist
Kim Breitmeyer	Regulatory Compliance Division Director
E. St. Onge	Assistant Attorney General Representative

**ADDITIONS TO OR DELETIONS FROM AGENDA**

NONE

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM MARCH 15, 2018**

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. Hanselman and supported by Mr. Weatherspoon to approve the minutes as written from the meeting held March 15, 2018. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

## **HEARING REPORTS**

### **MICHEAL JOHNSON, LICENSE NO. 15-14-000510, SUMMARY SUSPENSION 12-16-2017, FERNDALE, MI: COMPLAINT NO. 334762**

**MOTION:** It was moved by Mr. Hundley and supported by Mr. Hanselman that the following penalty be assessed: Dissolve the current Summary Suspension and Cease and Desist order against Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist license; a fine in the amount of \$400.00 plus administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint No. 334762. The Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist license are suspended until the fine and costs are paid. If the fine and costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist license shall remain suspended until the fine is paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

### **TOREANO NICHOLS, LICENSE NO. 15-04-000316, SUMMARY SUSPENSION 12-15-2017, ROMULUS, MI: COMPLAINT NO. 334656**

**MOTION:** It was moved by Mr. DeRose and supported by Mr. McKart that the following penalty be assessed: Dissolve the current Summary Suspension and Cease and Desist order against Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license; administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint No. 334656. The Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license are suspended until the costs are paid. If the costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license shall remain suspended until the costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

### **SETH PARIS, LICENSE NO. 15-10-013738, ACTIVE 08-31-2018, COVINGTON, KY: COMPLAINT NO. 333259**

**MOTION:** It was moved by Mr. Hanselman and supported by Mr. DeRose that the following penalty be assessed: A fine in the amount of \$2,000.00 plus administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within 60 days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint No. 333259. The Respondent's Professional Promoter license is suspended until the fine and costs are paid. If the fine and costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Professional Promoter license will remain suspended until the fine and costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

LANK PROMOTIONS, LICENSE NO. 15-10-013850, ACTIVE 08-31-2018, MEMPHIS, TN: COMPLAINT NO. 333100

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. Hundley and supported by Mr. Weatherspoon that the following penalty be assessed: A fine in the amount of \$10,000.00 plus administrative costs in the amount of \$3,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint No. 333100. The Respondent's Professional Promoter license is suspended for a minimum period of two (2) years or until the fine and costs are paid, whichever is later. If the fine and costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Professional Promoter license will remain suspended until the fine and costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

RICHARD MORAIS, LICENSE NO. 15-14-000383 & 15-02-013612, LAPSED/SUSPENDED 11-03-2017, TAYLOR, MI: COMPLAINT NO. 334391 & 334390

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. DeRose and supported by Mr. Hanselman that the following penalty be assessed: Dissolve the current Summary Suspension and Cease and Desist order against Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist and Professional Boxing license; a fine in the amount of \$1,500.00 plus administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint Nos. 334391 & 334390. The Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist and Professional Boxing licenses are suspended until the fine and costs are paid. If the fine and costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Professional Mixed Martial Artist and Professional Boxing licenses shall remain suspended until the fine and costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

JOEL MCCALLISTER, LICENSE NO. 15-04-000094, SUMMARY SUSPENSION 09-28-2017, FLINT, MI: COMPLAINT NO. 333895

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. DeRose and supported by Mr. Hanselman that the following penalty be assessed: Dissolve the current Summary Suspension and Cease and Desist order against Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist; administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint No. 333895. The Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license is suspended until the administrative costs are paid. If the costs have not been paid within sixty

(60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license will remain suspended until the costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

SEAN NEEDHAM, LICENSE NO. 15-04-000280, SUMMARY SUSPENSION 01-26-2018, ALLEGAN, MI: COMPLAINT NO. 332127

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. DeRose and supported by Mr. Hanselman that the following penalty be assessed: Dissolve the current Summary Suspension and Cease and Desist order against Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license; administrative costs in the amount of \$2,000.00 made payable to the State of Michigan within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order for Complaint Nos. 332127. The Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license is suspended until the administrative costs are paid. If the costs have not been paid within sixty (60) days from the date of mailing of the Final Order, then the Respondent's Amateur Mixed Martial Artist license will remain suspended until the costs are paid in full. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

**STIPULATIONS**

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. Hanselman and supported by Mr. McKart to accept all Stipulations as prepared. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

**ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION FROM COMMISSIONERS OR DEPARTMENT**

The Bureau Director of the Department provided an update on the numbers for licensees and commission members. The Bureau Director thanked the Commission for their involvement and communication. Commission members were encouraged to contact the Department to discuss any concerns.

The Department provided an overview of the Rule Evaluation Subcommittee Report.

The Department provided an overview of updates to Notices sent with Disciplinary Pleadings and Orders.

The Department provided an overview of Suggested Sanctions and discussed Technical Amendments to PA 403 of 2004.

MOTION: It was moved by Mr. Weatherspoon and supported by Mr. Hundley to add Suggested Minimum Sanctions to the September 13, 2018 meeting to allow adequate time for review. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

