

Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission  
 Commission Meeting  
 January 12, 2010

The Commission Meeting for the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission was held on Tuesday January 12, 2010 at The Sloppy Floyd Government Office Building 2 MLK Jr. Drive Atlanta, GA 30334.

<b>The following Board members were present:</b>	<b>Others Present:</b>
JJ Biello- Chairman Christopher Harris-By Phone Rick Thompson	Andy Foster, Executive Director Daniel Strowe, Attorney Generals Office, Pastor Henry Okamfor David Oblas Megan Schwartzlander Brian Steward Khun Phon

**Chairman Biello established** that a quorum was present and the public hearing that was scheduled to begin at 11:00 a.m., was called to order at 11:05 a.m.

**Motion to approve the 12/16/2009 Minutes** Commissioner Thompson made a motion, Chairman Biello seconded and the commission voted unanimously to approve.

**Motion to deny** Golden Girls Boxing Promoters License and Event Permit. With the paperwork not in order, Commissioner Thompson made a motion to deny. Chariman Biello seconded and the commission voted unanimously to deny.

**Motion to deny** TKO Boxing Promotions due to the paperwork not in order, Chairman Biello made a motion, Commissioner Thompson seconded and the commission voted unanimously to deny with the stipulation that Director Foster could give a verbal approval until the next commission meeting to begin promoting once the bonds were received.

**Motion to Approve** Southeastern Fighting Championships Event permit 3/13/2010. Commissioner Thompson made a motion, Commissioner Harris seconded and the commission voted unanimous to approve.

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**Motion to Approve** Full Throttle Entertainment 2/6/2010 Event Permit  
Commissioner Thompson made a motion, Commissioner Harris seconded and the commission voted unaimoulsy to approve

**Motion to Approve** Joseph Benjamin a boxing license with the stipulation that Director Foster closely oversee the matchmaking of the opponent. The Commission also asked Director Foster, if time permits, to view the sparring of Mr. Benjamin to verify that he has the correct skillset to compete as a professional boxer. Chairman Biello made a motion, Commissioner Thompson seconded and the commission voted unanimously to approve.

**Motion to add HIV Testing** to the commissions required medical test and to begin the rules change required. The Commission stated the deadline would be July 1, 2010 for all contestants to be in compliance. Commissioner Thompson made a motion, Chairman Biello seconded and the Commission voted unanimously to approve.

**The commission directed** Director Foster to enforce Commission Rule 85-1-.07 as it reads. The attorney Generals office agreed that the commission does not have the authority to waive its own rules. The commission directed that rule 85-1-.07 will be followed as it reads.

**Motion to adjourn meeting.** Commissioner Biello made a motion, Commissioner Ichter seconded and the commission voted unanimously to approve.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 11:42 p.m.