

Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission  
 Commission Meeting  
 August 18, 2011

The Commission Meeting for the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission was held on Thursday August 18, 2011, at The Sloppy Floyd Government Office Building 2 MLK Jr. Drive Atlanta, GA 30334.

<b>The following Commissioners were present:</b>	<b>Others Present:</b>
Don Geary- Chairman Rick Thompson-Vice Chairman JJ Biello Ben Kiker Hunter Towns	Andy Foster, Executive Director Meagan Swartzlander Greg Barckhoff Attorney General Office [Janet Wray] David Oblas Cal Cooper Shea Taylor Jose Santiago Lee Palmer Justin Simpson Amy Lynch Nathan Webb

**Chairman Geary established** that a quorum was present and the Georgia Athletic and Entertainment Commission meeting that were scheduled to begin at 11:00 a.m. was called to order at 11:09 a.m.

**Motion to Approve** The Commission Meeting Minutes of 7/21/2011. Vice Chairman Thompson made a motion, Commissioner Towns seconded the motion and the commission voted 5-0 unanimously approve

**Motion to Approve** A Promoters License renewal and event permit for 8/20/2011 for Exclusive Concepts DBA Black and Blue Entertainment. Chairman Geary made a motion, Commissioner Kiker seconded and the Commission voted 5-0 to unanimously approve.

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**Motion to Approve** ISKA Sanctioning Organization license renewal. Commissioner Thompson made a Motion to approve the license renewal request. Commissioner Kiker second the motion. The Commission voted to approve the renewal 5-0.

**Motion to Approve** Shea Taylor License for Amateur Mixed martial Arts. Chairman Geary made a motion to approve. Commissioner Thompson second the motion with the stipulation that the weigh in would be conducted with the below the Knee prosthetic. The commission voted 5-0 to approve.

**Motion to Approve** JR&D Promotions Promoter's License and event permit for 10/08/2011. Commissioner Geary made a motion and commissioner Thompson second with the stipulation that JR&D consult with an experienced Match Maker to assist with matching the card. The Commission voted 5-0 to approve.

**Motion to revoke License** for Omar Miller for issuing lab work that did not reflect his demographical information or name of record. Commissioner Geary made a motion to suspend indefinitely and revoke license until Mr. Miller addresses the commission. Commissioner Thompson second the motion and the commission voted 5-0

**Motion to vote to accept** the consent order of Alonzo Butler. The commission voted 5-0. The commission approved Director Foster to sign the Consent Order.

**Motion to Approve** Bangkok Boxing for a mixed martial arts and kickboxing event permit for 10/22/2011. Commissioner Geary made a motion to approve. Commissioner Kiker seconded the motion. The Commission voted 5-0 to approve.

**Motion to Sanction** Undisputed Productions Promoters and Match Making License. The Commission heard from Mr. Oblas regarding his publications statement that the Commission "approved and endorsed" his Georgia Fighters Championship rankings. Chairman Biello had previously asked Mr. Oblas to clarify that the GAEC was not "affiliated" with the rankings system. Because of this advertising of the contestants using false information, the Commission believed Mr. Oblas violated GAEC rule 85-1-.05(4). Chairman Biello made a motion to ask the Attorney General's office to draft a consent order and to fine Mr. Oblas the minimum Commission fine of \$500.00 and ask for a retraction to be printed each time a Georgia Fighters magazine is published and a one year probationary period to be established. Chairman Geary seconded for discussion. During the discussion phase of the motion Vice Chairman Thompson strongly argued that a harsher punishment was needed. The Commission voted 5-0 to accept Commissioner's Biello's motion.

**Motion to Approve** Undisputed Productions for MMA event permits for 9/13/2011. Commissioner Biello made a motion to approve the. Chairman Geary seconded. The Commission voted 5-0 to approve.

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**Motion to Approve** Full Throttle MMA event permits for the date of 8/26/2011 and 9/23/2011. Commissioner Kiker made a motion to approve the permit. Commissioner Towns seconded the motion. The Commission Voted to approve 5-0.

**Motion to adjourn.** Commissioner Kiker made a motion, Commissioner Geary seconded and the commission voted 5-0 to adjourn.

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 12:38 p.m.