

CONNECTICUT BOXING COMMISSION

Meeting held at Department of Public Safety Headquarters

Room 348

Middletown, Connecticut

September 16, 2008

Members Present: A. James Krayeske, Jr.- Chairman
William H. Carey III
Manuel M. Leibert
William F. Pavia
Larry Pelletier
Larry Perosino
Mark Sinatra
Michael Stergio

Members Absent: Jeffrey Dressler

Vacancies: None

Commission Counsel: None

DPS Staff: Captain Thomas Snyder – CO Special Investigation & Support Unit
Sgt. Michael Kostrzewa - SLFU/ Boxing Administrator
Sgt. Seth Mancini, Esq.- Commissioner's Staff/Legal Affairs
Jeanette Zaleski - SLFU / Secretary for Boxing Commission

Public Present: None

Note: Pursuant to Public Act 06-187 (effective 10/01/2006 and codified in C.G.S. Chapter 532a, Section 29-143i), the administrative functions of the Connecticut Boxing Commission (formerly the Connecticut Boxing Promotion Commission) are carried out by the Department of Public Safety. For information, contact Sgt. Michael Kostrzewa at 860-685-8329.

I. COMMISSION MEETING CALLED TO ORDER

Meeting of Connecticut Boxing Commission called to order by Chairman A. James Krayske, Jr. at 1:12 pm. Roll called: eight members present, one absent.

II. APPROVAL OF JUNE 17, 2008 MEETING MINUTES

Minutes of June 17, 2008 meeting unanimously approved by Commission members present.

III. OLD BUSINESS

Statues and Regulation Sub-Committee Review

The sub-committee submitted six more items for discussion amongst commission members. Commission member Larry Pelletier suggested that the sub-committee submit six items for each commission meeting and requested that commission members review all the current regulations, so that any changes agreed on by the membership can be formally submitted to DPS for review and consideration.

Willie Pep Memorial

No new update on this project. Commission is still considering what they as a "Commission" can do to honor Willie Pep.

Mixed Martial Arts

Member Larry Perosino assigned by Commission to draft a letter to the Office of the Attorney General seeking an opinion on the legality of mixed martial art events in the state of Connecticut. Mr. Perosino will forward drafted letter to commission members before it is sent .

IV. NEW BUSINESS

Upcoming professional boxing event scheduled to be held Saturday September 27, 2008 at Arena at Harbor Yard in Bridgeport. Weigh- in tentatively scheduled for Friday September 26, 2008 at Arena at Harbor Yard with a time to be announced.

USA Boxing amateur events scheduled for September 27, 2008 Fall Fisticuffs event in Stamford and on October 2, 2008 Hometown Fight Night at the Stamford Marriott.

Commission member Bill Pavia updated the commission on the USA/OLYMPIC Boxing Inc. headquarters moving to Connecticut. The committee reportedly still has an interest in Connecticut.

Connecticut Boxing Hall of Fame induction will be on Friday November 28, 2008 at 6:00pm at Mohegan Sun Casino.

V. ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Krayske adjourned the meeting at 3:00pm

**NEXT MEETING
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2008 AT 1:00PM
DPS HEADQUARTERS
MIDDLETOWN, CT**