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COMBAT SPORTS ACT 1987
BOXING CONTEST AMENDMENT RULES 2024

Made by the Minister under section 62A of the Act.

1. Citation

These rules are the *Boxing Contest Amendment Rules 2024*.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the *Boxing Contest Rules 2020*.

4. Rule 1A amended

In rule 1A delete the definitions—

ASADA

Weight Policy

5. Rule 16A inserted

After rule 15 insert—

16A. Initial Weigh-in

- (1) An initial weigh-in shall take place no more than 24 hours prior to, and no less than two hours before, the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (2) Promoters must nominate to the Commission an official start time for the weigh-in.
- (3) Contestants must submit to an initial weigh-in within a two-hour period, commencing from the official start time.
- (4) The weigh-in is to be conducted using the Commission's official scale.
- (5) No one is permitted to touch or stand on the official scale until called to the scale by the Commission appointee.
- (6) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.
- (7) Contestants competing in a non-title bout—
 - (a) will have ONLY one (1) attempt to weigh-in and make weight; but
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (8) Contestants competing for a title, in a title bout that has been sanctioned by the Commission,—
 - (a) may be granted two (2) attempts to make weight but will not be permitted to lose more than 500 grams of body weight; and
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale, after each attempt, for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (9) At the discretion of the Commission appointee, a Contestant may be directed to retake the scales for the purposes of ensuring the accuracy of recorded/announced weights.

6. Rule 16 amended

- (1) In the heading of rule 16 delete “Weigh-in” and insert—

Secondary Weigh-in

- (2) In rule 16 delete section 16(1) and insert—

- (1) The Commission reserves the right to conduct a secondary weigh-in, at any contest, upon prior notification to the Promoter and relevant Contestants.
- (2) If notified of a secondary weigh-in, Contestants must report to the Commission appointee to weigh-in, at any time prior to their bout and no earlier than the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (3) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.

7. Rule 40 amended

In rule 40 delete rule 40(1)(jj).

8. Rule 61 amended

In rule 61(1) delete “Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority (ASADA.)” and insert—

World Anti-Doping Agency.

D. TEMPLEMAN, Minister for Sport and Recreation.

COMBAT SPORTS ACT 1987
KICKBOXING CONTEST AMENDMENT RULES 2024

Made by the Minister under section 62A of the Act.

1. Citation

These rules are the *Kickboxing Contest Amendment Rules 2024*.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the *Kickboxing Contest Rules 2020*.

4. Rule 1A amended

In rule 1A delete the definitions—

ASADA

Weight Policy

5. Rule 16A inserted

After rule 15 insert—

16A. Initial Weigh-in

- (1) An initial weigh-in shall take place no more than 24 hours prior to, and no less than two hours before, the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (2) Promoters must nominate to the Commission an official start time for the weigh-in.
- (3) Contestants must submit to an initial weigh-in within a two-hour period, commencing from the official start time.
- (4) The weigh-in is to be conducted using the Commission's official scale.
- (5) No one is permitted to touch or stand on the official scale until called to the scale by the Commission appointee.
- (6) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.
- (7) Contestants competing in a non-title bout—
 - (a) will have ONLY one (1) attempt to weigh-in and make weight; but
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (8) Contestants competing for a title, in a title bout that has been sanctioned by the Commission,—
 - (a) may be granted two (2) attempts to make weight but will not be permitted to lose more than 500 grams of body weight; and
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale, after each attempt, for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (9) At the discretion of the Commission appointee, a Contestant may be directed to retake the scales for the purposes of ensuring the accuracy of recorded/announced weights.

6. Rule 16 amended

- (1) In the heading of rule 16 delete “Weigh-in” and insert—

Secondary Weigh-in

- (2) In rule 16 delete section 16(1) and insert—

- (1) The Commission reserves the right to conduct a secondary weigh-in, at any contest, upon prior notification to the Promoter and relevant Contestants.
- (2) If notified of a secondary weigh-in, Contestants must report to the Commission appointee to weigh-in, at any time prior to their bout and no earlier than the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (3) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.

7. Rule 43 amended

In rule 43 delete rule 43(1)(ii).

8. Rule 73 amended

In rule 73(1) delete “(Australian Sports Anti-Doping Authority (ASADA.))” and insert—

World Anti-Doping Agency.

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MIXED MARTIAL ARTS CONTEST AMENDMENT RULES 2024

Made by the Minister under section 62A of the Act.

1. Citation

These rules are the *Mixed Martial Arts Contest Amendment Rules 2024*.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the *MMA Contest Rules 2019*.

4. Rule 1A amended

In rule 1A delete the definitions—

ASADA

Weight Policy

5. Rule 17A inserted

After rule 16 insert—

17A. Initial Weigh-in

- (1) An initial weigh-in shall take place no more than 24 hours prior to, and no less than two hours before, the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (2) Promoters must nominate to the Commission an official start time for the weigh-in.
- (3) Contestants must submit to an initial weigh-in within a two-hour period, commencing from the official start time.
- (4) The weigh-in is to be conducted using the Commission's official scale.
- (5) No one is permitted to touch or stand on the official scale until called to the scale by the Commission appointee.
- (6) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.
- (7) Contestants competing in a non-title bout—
 - (a) will have ONLY one (1) attempt to weigh-in and make weight; but
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (8) Contestants competing for a title, in a title bout that has been sanctioned by the Commission,—
 - (a) may be granted two (2) attempts to make weight but will not be permitted to lose more than 500 grams of body weight; and
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale, after each attempt, for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (9) At the discretion of the Commission appointee, a Contestant may be directed to retake the scales for the purposes of ensuring the accuracy of recorded/announced weights.

6. Rule 17 amended

- (1) In the heading of rule 17 delete “Weigh-in” and insert—

Secondary Weigh-in

- (2) In rule 17 delete section 17(1) and insert—

- (1) The Commission reserves the right to conduct a secondary weigh-in, at any contest, upon prior notification to the Promoter and relevant Contestants.
- (2) If notified of a secondary weigh-in, Contestants must report to the Commission appointee to weigh-in, at any time prior to their bout and no earlier than the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (3) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.

7. Rule 44 amended

In rule 44 delete rule 44(1)(II).

8. Rule 56 amended

In rule 56(1) delete “ASADA” and insert—

World Anti-Doping Agency

9. Rule 58 amended

In rule 58(1) insert—

- (h) Abu Dhabi Combat Club (ADCC)—Submission Grappling
- (i) International Federation of Brazilian Jiu Jitsu (IFBJJ)
- (j) International Sport Karate Association (ISKA)—Submission Grappling

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MUAY THAI CONTEST AMENDMENT RULES 2024

Made by the Minister under section 62A of the Act.

1. Citation

These rules are the *Muay Thai Contest Amendment Rules 2024*.

2. Commencement

These rules come into operation on the day on which these rules are published in the *Gazette*.

3. Rules amended

These rules amend the *Muay Thai Contest Rules*.

4. Rule 1A amended

In rule 1A delete the definitions—

ASADA

Weight Policy

5. Rule 16A inserted

After rule 15 insert—

16A. Initial Weigh-in

- (1) An initial weigh-in shall take place no more than 24 hours prior to, and no less than two hours before, the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (2) Promoters must nominate to the Commission an official start time for the weigh-in.
- (3) Contestants must submit to an initial weigh-in within a two-hour period, commencing from the official start time.
- (4) The weigh-in is to be conducted using the Commission's official scale.
- (5) No one is permitted to touch or stand on the official scale until called to the scale by the Commission appointee.
- (6) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.
- (7) Contestants competing in a non-title bout—
 - (a) will have ONLY one (1) attempt to weigh-in and make weight; but
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (8) Contestants competing for a title, in a title bout that has been sanctioned by the Commission,—
 - (a) may be granted two (2) attempts to make weight but will not be permitted to lose more than 500 grams of body weight; and
 - (b) may immediately retake the scale, after each attempt, for the purposes of immediately removing any additional clothing/accessories.
- (9) At the discretion of the Commission appointee, a Contestant may be directed to retake the scales for the purposes of ensuring the accuracy of recorded/announced weights.

6. Rule 16 amended

- (1) In the heading of rule 16 delete “Weigh-in” and insert—

Secondary Weigh-in

- (2) In rule 16 delete section 16(1) and insert—

- (1) The Commission reserves the right to conduct a secondary weigh-in, at any contest, upon prior notification to the Promoter and relevant Contestants.
- (2) If notified of a secondary weigh-in, Contestants must report to the Commission appointee to weigh-in, at any time prior to their bout and no earlier than the advertised start time (doors open) of the contest.
- (3) Contestants are to weigh-in wearing minimal clothing and no shoes.

7. Rule 44 amended

In rule 44 delete rule 44(1)(gg).

8. Rule 72 amended

In rule 72(1) delete “ASADA” and insert—

World Anti-Doping Agency

9. Rule 74 amended

In rule 74(1) insert—

(g) World Muay Federation

D. TEMPLEMAN, Minister for Sport and Recreation.