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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY

PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

FINAL DECISION AND ORDER

ANTOINE KNIGHT,

RESPONDENT.

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 15 RBX 001

The parties to this action for the purpose of Wis. Stat. § 227.53 are:

Antoine Knight 2831 North 15th Street Milwaukee, WI 53206

Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services P.O. Box 8368 Madison, WI 53708-8368

Division of Legal Services and Compliance Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services P.O. Box 7190 Madison, WI 53707-7190

The parties in this matter agree to the terms and conditions of the attached Stipulation as the final disposition of this matter, subject to the approval of the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department). The Department has reviewed this Stipulation and considers it acceptable.

Accordingly, the Department adopts the attached Stipulation and makes the following Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law and Order.

FINDINGS OF FACT

- Respondent Antoine Knight (DOB July 11, 1989) is licensed by the State of Wisconsin as a Professional Boxer, having license number 527-263, first issued on June 11, 2015 and current through June 11, 2016. Antoine Knight's most recent address on file with the Department is 2831 North 15th Street, Milwaukee, WI 53206.
- On June 12, 2015, Respondent participated in a professional boxing contest in 2. Wisconsin.

- 3. On or about June 16, 2015, the Division of Legal Services and Compliance (Division) received a complaint alleging that Respondent should not have been allowed to participate in the June 12, 2015 professional boxing contest, as he was suspended in Colorado at the time.
- 4. Colorado State Boxing Commission records show Respondent participated in an exhibition on June 6, 2015, which he lost by technical knockout. As a result, on June 6, 2015, the Colorado State Boxing Commission suspended Respondent for 30 (thirty) days.
- 5. Respondent does not admit to any violations alleged in Division Case Number 15 RBX 001, but he does not wish to contest them.
- 6. In resolution of this matter, Respondent consents to the entry of the following Conclusions of Law and Order.

CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

- 1. The Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services has jurisdiction to act in this matter pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 444.11, and is authorized to enter into the attached Stipulation pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 227.44(5).
- 2. By the conduct described in the Findings of Fact, Respondent Antoine Knight is subject to discipline pursuant to Wis. Admin. Code § SPS 116.01(3)(e) for holding a license to box issued by another jurisdiction which was suspended for reasons which are substantially the same as the grounds for revocation, limitation, or suspension stated in Wis. Admin. Code § SPS 116.01(3).

<u>ORDER</u>

- 1. The attached Stipulation is accepted.
- 2. The VOLUNTARY SURRENDER of the Professional Boxer license issued to Antoine Knight (number 527-263) is hereby ACCEPTED.
- 3. Respondent shall not re-apply for licensure for a period of six (6) months following the date of this Order.
- 4. Should Respondent re-apply for licensure, Respondent shall pay the COSTS of this matter in the amount of \$340, before any such application may be considered. Payment of costs shall be made payable to the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services and sent by Respondent to the Department Monitor at the address below:

Department Monitor
Division of Legal Services and Compliance
Department of Safety and Professional Services
P.O. Box 7190, Madison, WI 53707-7190
Telephone (608) 267-3817; Fax (608) 266-2264
DSPSMonitoring@wisconsin.gov

5. This Order is effective on the date of its signing.

WISCONSIN DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

Michael J Berndt, Chief Legal Counsel On Behalf of the Department

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STATE OF WISCONSIN BEFORE THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS AGAINST

STIPULATION

ANTOINE KNIGHT, RESPONDENT.

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Division of Legal Services and Compliance Case No. 15 RBX 001

Respondent Antoine Knight and the Division of Legal Services and Compliance, Department of Safety and Professional Services stipulate as follows:

- 1. This Stipulation is entered into as a result of a pending investigation by the Division of Legal Services and Compliance. Respondent consents to the resolution of this investigation by Stipulation.
- 2. Respondent understands that by signing this Stipulation, Respondent voluntarily and knowingly waives the following rights:
 - the right to a hearing on the allegations against Respondent, at which time the State has the burden of proving those allegations by a preponderance of the evidence;
 - the right to confront and cross-examine the witnesses against Respondent;
 - the right to call witnesses on Respondent's behalf and to compel their attendance by subpoena;
 - · the right to testify on Respondent's own behalf;
 - the right to file objections to any proposed decision and to present briefs or oral arguments to the officials who are to render the final decision;
 - the right to petition for rehearing; and
 - all other applicable rights afforded to Respondent under the United States Constitution, the Wisconsin Constitution, the Wisconsin Statutes, the Wisconsin Administrative Code, and other provisions of state or federal law.
- 3. Respondent is aware of Respondent's right to seek legal representation and has been provided an opportunity to obtain legal counsel before signing this Stipulation.
- 4. Respondent agrees to the adoption of the attached Final Decision and Order by the Wisconsin Department of Safety and Professional Services (Department). The parties to the Stipulation consent to the entry of the attached Final Decision and Order without further notice, pleading, appearance or consent of the parties. Respondent waives all rights to any appeal of the Department's Order, if adopted in the form as attached.
- 5. If the terms of this Stipulation are not acceptable to the Department, the parties shall not be bound by the contents of this Stipulation, and the matter shall then be returned to the

Division of Legal Services and Compliance for further proceedings. In the event that the Stipulation is not accepted by the Department, the parties agree not to contend that the Department has been prejudiced or biased in any manner by the consideration of this attempted resolution.

- 6. The parties to this Stipulation agree that the attorney or other agent for the Division of Legal Services and Compliance may appear before the Department, without the presence of Respondent or Respondent's attorney, for purposes of speaking in support of this agreement and answering questions that the Department may have in connection with deliberations on the Stipulation.
- 7. Respondent is informed that should the Department adopt this Stipulation, the Department's Final Decision and Order is a public record and will be published in accordance with standard Department procedure.
- 8. The Division of Legal Services and Compliance joins Respondent in recommending that the Department adopt this Stipulation and issue the attached Final Decision and Order.

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