DECISIONS AND PROTEST

WIN ON POINTS - WP

- 1. At the end of a Bout, each Judge will determine a winner based on the Boxer's total scores of the Bout. The winner will be determined by either unanimous or split decision..
- 2. The Judges will score the round for each Boxer up to the time of the termination of the Bout and the Boxer who is ahead on points will be declared the winner of the Bout on points in accordance to the Scoring System. The round in which the Bout is stopped will be scored, even if it is a partial round.
- 3. Para 2 above applies if an injury during any round is caused by an unintentional foul occurs and as a result the contest is stopped by the Referee.
- 4. The Judges will score the round for each Boxer up to the time of the termination of the Bout and the Boxer who is ahead on points will be declared the winner of the Bout on points in accordance to the Scoring System. The round in which the Bout is stopped will be scored, even if it is a partial round.
- 5. Para 4 above applies in the case both Boxers are injured at the same time and as a result the contest is stopped by the Referee;
- 6. The Bout may be terminated by the Referee due to an event that is out of the Boxer's or Referee's control, such as the destruction of the ring, failure of the lighting supply, forces of nature and other similar unforeseen conditions. In such circumstances, the Judges will score the round for each Boxer up to the time of the termination of the Bout and the Boxer who is ahead on points will be declared the winner of the Bout on points in accordance to the Scoring System. The round in which the Bout is stopped will be scored, even if it is a partial round (this rule will only apply if the event occurs after the end of Round 1).

There is no technical draw.

WIN BY REFEREE STOPS CONTEST - RSC

- 7. If a Boxer, in the Referee's opinion, is being outclassed or is receiving excessive punishment or hard blows, the Bout will be stopped and the opponent declared the winner of the Bout by RSC.
- 8. If a Boxer is unfit to continue and fails to resume boxing after a Knockdown, the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by RSC.
- 9. If a Boxer does not recover after ninety (90) seconds, in accordance with Rule 7 concerning the low blow, the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by RSC.
- 10. In the case of a Boxer being punched out of the ring by a legal blow, the Boxer must be allowed thirty (30) seconds to come back into the ring, after the 8-count, without the help of anyone. In the case the Boxer is not able to come back within the above mentioned timeframe, such Boxer will be deemed to have lost the Bout by RSC.
- 11. When the Bout is stopped by the Referee at the discretion of the Supervisor following the advice of a Ringside Doctor, the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by RSC. **WIN BY REFEREE STOPS CONTEST INJURY RSC-I**

- 12. If a Boxer, in the opinion of the Referee, is unfit to continue because of a sustained or increased injury from correct punches, the Bout will be stopped and the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by RSC-I.
- 13. If a Boxer, in the opinion of the Referee, becomes incapable of continuing to compete because of an injury sustained not from punches, the Bout will be stopped and the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by RSC-I.

WIN BY DISQUALIFICATION - DQ

- 14. If a Boxer is disqualified for a foul or for any other reason, the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by DQ. A boxer who wins a bout by an opponent being DQ'd who is declared unfit to box in the next bout of the competition will cease to be included in the draw. Any points gained for a team competition will be awarded at this point.
- 15. If the Referee, at his/her discretion, determines that an intentional foul caused an injury to a Boxer and that the fouled and injured Boxer cannot continue because of the injury sustained from this intentional foul, the offending Boxer will be disqualified and the injured Boxer will be declared the winner of the Bout by DQ.
- 16. The third warning in the whole Bout will automatically disqualify the Boxer and the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by DQ.
- 17. A disqualified Boxer will not be entitled or awarded points relating to the Bout. If the Boxer has been disqualified due to misconduct or unsportsmanlike behaviour, it has to be brought to the attention of the AIBA Disciplinary Commission by the Supervisor within twenty-four (24) hours of the end of the respective Bout.

WIN BY KNOCKOUT- KO

- 18. If a Boxer is knocked down and fails to resume boxing before that Boxer is counted up to ten (10), the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by KO.
- 19. In the case of an emergency and the Referee summons the Ringside Doctor in the ring before the Boxer is counted up to ten (10), the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by KO.
- 20. In the case a Double KO occurs, both Boxers will lose the Bout by KO. Unless the Double KO occurs in the final of the competition then the Judges will score the bout and the winner will be the boxer ahead on points at the point the bout was terminated.

WIN BY WALKOVER - WO

- 21. If a Boxer is present in the ring fully attired and ready to box and the opposing Boxer fails to appear in the ring after being announced and a maximum period of one minute has elapsed after the bell has been sounded, the Referee will declare the present Boxer to be the winner by WO.
- 22. In the case the Supervisor knows in advance that a Boxer will not be present, he/she must cancel the procedure mentioned in Rule 4.7.1 and the result must be officially announced.
- 23. No medal will be awarded to a Boxer who has not boxed at least once within the entire competition period.

ABANDON/RETIRE

24. If a Boxer retires voluntarily due to injury or if the Coach throws the towel into the ring or

appears on the apron, however not while the Referee is counting, the opponent will be declared the winner of the Bout by Abandon.

PROTEST

25. No protest is permitted and the decisions of the Referee/Judges in a bout are final. If the Supervisor believes that the Referee has made a technical error in contravention of the England Boxing Rule, the Supervisor must fill in the Bout Review Request Form (Annex G Section 11) and call for a meeting with the judges and referee to review the bout.