STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION 1511 PONTIAC AVENUE, BLDG. 68-1 CRANSTON, RHODE ISLAND 02920

IN THE MATTER OF:	:	
VLADINE R. BIOSSE,	:	DBR No. 13RA017
RESPONDENT.	: -:	

CONSENT AGREEMENT

It is hereby agreed between the Department of Business Regulation ("Department") and Vladine T. Biosse ("Respondent") as follows:

- 1. Respondent was issued a Boxing/Athlete license by the Department after he filed a License Application in March, 2013.
- 2. On November 28, 2012, during a "weigh-in" at Twin River, Rich Cappiello presented a medical report of an eye examination of the Respondent, purportedly written by Roland Estrada, OD to an employee for the Department.
- 3. At all times relevant hereto, Rich Cappiello was acting as an agent for the Respondent, who was scheduled to participate in the boxing match scheduled for November 29, 2013.
- 4. It was apparent that the date on the medical report had been unclear, and it was later determined in an investigation conducted by the Department's Racing and Athletics Division that the report of eye examination was had been altered and falsified.
- 5. Section 4(B)(ii)(d) of *Racing and Athletics Regulation 1 Boxing* provides that no license shall be granted to a professional boxer who fails to present a satisfactory physician's certificate or is under suspension due to falsifying or attempting to falsify official documents.

- 6. Based on the results of its investigation, the Department has reason to believe that Respondent violated Section 4(B)(ii)(d) of Commercial Licensing Regulation 1 Boxing by presenting, or causing to be presented, to the Department a falsified physician's report.
- 7. R.I. Gen. Laws § 41-5-17 authorizes the Department to suspend or revoke a boxing or wrestling license for a violation of any rule or regulation of the Department.

Accordingly, the Department has sufficient cause to suspend or revoke the Respondent's boxing license, in accordance with the terms and provisions of R.I. Gen. Laws § 41-5-17.

In an effort to resolve the issues raised in this Consent Agreement in a timely and efficient manner, without an administrative hearing, and to allow Respondent to maintain his boxing license in good standing, Respondent agrees to make a payment of FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$ 500.00) as an administrative penalty, payable to the Rhode Island General Treasurer.

In consideration thereof, the Respondent voluntarily waives his right to the administrative hearing process and voluntarily waives his right to appeal this matter to the Rhode Island Superior Court.

If Respondent fails to abide by the requirements of this Consent Agreement, the Department will initiate administrative proceedings to suspend or revoke the license of the Respondent.

THE DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS REGULATION AND RESPONDENT HEREBY CONSENT AND AGREE TO THE FOREGOING AS TO FORM AND SUBSTANCE:

Department of Business Regulation By its Legal Counsel:

Respondent:

Elien R. Balasco, Esquire Deputy Chief of Legal Services

Deputy Chief of Legal Services
Department of Business Regulation

Date: 7/14/13

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