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Via Electronic Email:

Re: WBO Middleweight Mandatory – Negotiations – Denzel Bentley vs. Yoenli Hernandez

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that the WBO World Championship Committee hereby orders the commencement of negotiations for the WBO Middleweight Mandatory Championship contest between the subject matter fighters. The parties are hereby granted a period of twenty (20) days to negotiate and reach an agreement.

Within this period, both parties must confirm in writing, within the first twenty (10) days, their readiness, willingness, and availability to proceed with the bout, as well as their compliance with all conditions set forth by the Championship Committee. Failure to comply with these requirements shall result in the immediate intervention of this Committee, and the matter shall proceed in accordance with the WBO Rules and Regulations.

Please further note that the minimum bid for all WBO Middleweight Division purse bid proceedings is established at **\$200,000** (Two-Hundred Thousand Dollars). Either party may request the commencement of purse bid proceedings at any time during the negotiation period.

Finally, the WBO reserves the right to issue any and all rulings deemed necessary, appropriate, and convenient to effectuate the purposes, policies, and intent of the WBO Regulations of World Championship

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Contests, including, but not limited to, those rulings that best serve the interests of boxing and the WBO Middleweight Division.

Should you have any questions or require further clarification, please do not hesitate to contact the WBO main offices.

Respectfully,

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