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Via Electronic E-mail:

Mr. Jordan Maldonado
On behalf of Elise Soto

Ms. Georgina Rivero
On behalf of Maira Moneo

Mr. Rick Torres, Esq.
General Manager Boxing MVP

RE: NEGOTIATION ORDER – VACANT WBO FEMALE JR. LIGHTWEIGHT WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP – ELISE SOTO VS. MAIRA MONEO

Dear Mr. Maldonado and Ms. Rivero:

The World Championships Committee of the World Boxing Organization ("WBO"), by and through its Chairman, hereby issues this formal Negotiation Order concerning the Vacant WBO Female Jr. Lightweight World Championship (130 lbs.) between Elise Soto and Maira Moneo.

In furtherance of the WBO's responsibility to ensure the proper administration of its world championships, promote competitive opportunities for eligible contenders, and safeguard the continued activity and orderly development of the Female Jr. Lightweight Division, the Committee has determined that the championship vacancy shall be contested between the aforementioned participants.

Accordingly, pursuant to the authority vested in the World Championships Committee under the WBO Regulations Governing World Championship Contests, **the Committee hereby ORDERS the respective parties to immediately commence negotiations in good faith** for the purpose of reaching a mutually acceptable agreement to stage the championship contest and fill the existing vacancy.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED

1. Negotiation Period.

The parties are hereby granted a period of **twenty (20) days from the issuance of this Order**, concluding on **Thursday, December 10, 2026**, to negotiate and reach an agreement concerning the terms and conditions for the Vacant WBO Female Jr. Lightweight World Championship Contest between Elise Soto and Maira Moneo.

2. Duty to Negotiate in Good Faith.

Both parties, through their respective authorized representatives, shall undertake meaningful and good-faith negotiations with the objective of securing the timely organization and promotion of the championship contest.

The parties shall exercise reasonable diligence and cooperation throughout the negotiation period and promptly advise the WBO of any agreement reached.

3. Purse Bid Proceedings.

Should the parties fail to reach an agreement within the prescribed twenty-day negotiation period, **the World Championships Committee shall order purse bid proceedings** pursuant to the applicable provisions of the WBO Regulations Governing World Championship Contests, including Sections 11 through 14.

4. Right to Request Purse Bid Proceedings During Negotiations.

Notwithstanding the twenty-day negotiation period established herein, **either party may formally request that the World Championships Committee order purse bid proceedings at any stage of the negotiation process**, without having to await expiration of the prescribed term.

Upon receipt of such request, the Committee shall evaluate the circumstances and determine whether to commence purse bid proceedings in accordance with the applicable WBO Regulations.

5. Notification of Agreement.

Should the parties reach an agreement within the prescribed period, they shall promptly notify the WBO in writing and submit the corresponding documentation for the Committee's consideration and approval.

6. Reservation of Jurisdiction.

The World Championships Committee expressly reserves its continuing jurisdiction over this matter, including the authority to issue any additional rulings, directives, interpretations, or orders deemed necessary, appropriate, or convenient to ensure the timely resolution of the championship vacancy, protect the interests of the participants, and preserve the integrity and orderly administration of the WBO Female Jr. Lightweight Division.

This Order shall become effective immediately upon issuance and shall remain in full force and effect unless modified, superseded, or otherwise ordered by the World Championships Committee.

The parties are hereby directed to take due notice of the foregoing and proceed accordingly.

Respectfully Submitted,

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WBO Founder & Championship Committee Chairman

Cc: **Gustavo Olivieri, Esq. / WBO President**
Diana Melendez / WBO Executive Director
Mike Leanardi / MVP