

## WORLD BOXING ASSOCIATION ASOCIACIÓN MUNDIAL DE BOXEO

PRESIDENT GILBERTO JESUS MENDOZA



**Resolution No. 2022080204 WBA Championships Committee** *Super Flyweight Division August 11, 2022* 

## I- BACKGROUND

On March 13, 2021, Juan F. Estrada unified the WBA / WBC super Flyweight title by defeating Roman "Chocolatito" González.

On February 9, 2022, this committee ordered negotiation for a mandatory fight for Estrada vs. the WBA champion, Joshua Franco.

On April 04, 2022, this committee called for the Purse bid to be held on April 19, 2022.

On April 19, 2022, the Purse bid took place with only one bidder participating, Golden Boy Promotions, representing Joshua Franco. There was no representative on Estrada's behalf.

On May 16, 2022, Golden Boy Promotion sent bout contracts to both boxers, with July 16, 2022, as the scheduled date of the fight.

On July 22, 2022, this committee sent Estrada a communication requesting him to notify the WBA about his future boxing plans because it had been more the one year and four months since he had last defended your title.

## II- ANALISYS

Pursuant to rule C 14. <u>Rules Familiarity</u>. Each boxer, promoter, manager, and boxer's agent are under the obligation to know and be familiar with all Association rules, including, but not limited to, those regarding time periods concerning obligations to defend, compete for a title, and for Special Permits. If a champion fails to comply with any rule of the Association, the Chairman of the Committee may declare his title vacant. Likewise, failure by an official contender to comply with any of these rules can result in removal by the Chairman of recognition as official contender.

Pursuant to rule D-12. <u>Timing of the Bout</u>. The bout shall be scheduled to take place not less than forty-five (45) days and not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the bid award unless a different date is agreed to by the boxers and approved by the Championships Committee or is otherwise approved by the Championships Committee to meet exceptional or unforeseen circumstances.

Pursuant to rule C 27. <u>Title Vacation and/or Removal of Recognition</u>. A boxer's title, status, or recognition may be lost, removed, or vacated for various reasons, one or more of which is relevant here.

## **III- DECISION**

Since we have not received any answer from Estrada or his representatives to our communications discussed above, this committee has <u>decided to vacate the WBA Super</u> <u>Flyweight title as of this date</u>.

Date: August 11, 2022

Carlos Chavez Championship Committee Chairman

Cc/ Championship Committee