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**Resolution No. 201507290302
WBA Championships Committee
*Flyweight Division
Kazuto Ioka and Juan Carlos Reveco
July 29, 2015***

I. BACKGROUND

On April 22, 2015, Juan Carlos Reveco (“Reveco”) lost his WBA Flyweight Championship to Kazuto Ioka (“Ioka”) by a close and controversial majority decision in Osaka, Japan. The bout was scored 114 to 114, 113 to 116, and 113 to 115. Reveco immediately requested that the WBA order a direct rematch, which the WBA granted on May 19, 2015 per Resolution No. 201505190302.

Ioka and Reveco have since confirmed with the WBA that they have reached an agreement for Ioka to make a voluntary defense against WBA ranked #12 Roberto Sossa (“Sossa”) in September 2015. The winner of that bout, or Ioka if a draw, will face Reveco on December 31, 2015.

II. DECISION

1. Based on the agreement reached between Ioka and Reveco, Ioka is authorized to participate in a voluntary defense of the title against Sossa in September 2015 subject to compliance with all applicable WBA Rules and Regulations. The winner of that bout, or Ioka if a draw, must face Reveco as a mandatory defense of the title on or before December 31, 2015.

Date: July 29, 2015

Gilberto Jesus Mendoza, Jr.
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