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VIA EMAIL:

Eddie Hearn Matchroom Boxing USA Team Soto	Felix "Tutico" Zabala All Star Boxing Promotions Team Gonzalez
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Re: WBO Jr. Flyweight Mandatory Championship Contest – Purse Bid
Elwin Soto vs. Jonathan Gonzalez

Gentlemen:

As per Sections 11 through 13 of the enclosed copy of the WBO Regulations of World Championship Contests, please be advised that a Purse Bid will be held at 1:30 p.m. Atlantic Standard Time (AST) on Monday, August 9, 2021, at the World Boxing Organization (WBO) headquarter offices in San Juan, Puerto Rico.

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The minimum acceptable bid for the WBO Jr. Flyweight Division is \$80,000.00 (Eighty-Thousand Dollars).

Section 13(a)(1) of the WBO Regulations of World Championship Contests governs purse bid proceedings for the Soto/Gonzalez bout and in relevant, states as follows:

SECTION 13. DIVISION OF PURSE FOR CHAMPIONSHIPS HELD PURSUANT TO PURSE BID

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(a) The purse for Championship Contests held and completed pursuant to Purse Bids (except those Championship Contests involving situations described in Section 14 (e)(1) hereof, the Purse Bid division which shall be distributed as per Section 14(e)(2) shall be distributed as follows:

(1) CHAMPIONSHIPS with an EXISTING CHAMPION

(A) In fights between the Champion and the first available contender held in the country of origin, residence or nationality of the Champion, or a neutral venue, the Champion shall receive 75% of the total purse, and the Challenger shall receive the remaining 25%.

(B) In fights for the title held in the country of origin, residence or nationality of the Challenger, the Champion shall receive 80% of the total purse and the Challenger shall receive the remaining 20%.

In accordance with the WBO Championship Rules & Regulations, WBO President Francisco "Paco" Valcárcel, Esq. will be presiding purse bid proceedings.

Kindly note the following provisions:

1. If the WBO Champion is injured or suffers an injury and depending on the type of injury and needed recovery time or is unavailable or refuses to fight for any reason, the WBO Championship Committee may declare the WBO Championship Title "Vacant" or order an Interim Championship Bout or issue any other rulings in accordance with the WBO Rules and Regulations.
2. If the Challenger is injured or suffers an injury and depending on the type of injury and needed recovery time or is unavailable or refuses to fight for any reason, the Challenger may lose his position in the Ratings and the Committee may determine and select the next available contender or issue any other rulings in accordance with the WBO Rules and Regulations.
3. Executed Bout agreements shall be filed with the WBO offices within five (5) days upon the adjudication of the purse bid.

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4. The bout shall be held within 45-90 days from the adjudication date of the purse bid.
5. The WBO World Championship Committee reserves its right to impose all relevant conditions, issue all further rulings and determinations necessary, helpful, and convenient to accomplish the purposes, policies, and intent of the WBO Rules and Regulations.

Any additional information, please visit our website at www.wboboxing.com or contact the WBO main offices.

Yours truly,

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