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**VIA EMAIL:**

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**Re: WBO Ratings – Jr. Welterweight Participants  
Teofimo Lopez, Jack Catterall & Jose Ramirez**

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that on Thursday, March 24, 2022, the WBO confirmed email correspondence by Attorney Mr. Jeffrey Benz on behalf of WBO Jr. Welterweight Participant Jack Catterall, challenging his client's position as per the March 2022 WBO World Ratings and requesting information relevant thereto. On March 25, 2022, the WBO confirmed receipt of email correspondence by Attorney Mr. Peter Aguayo on behalf of Jr. Welterweight Participant Jose Carlos Ramirez, who also questioned his client's rating and requested the applicable explanation and rationale.

Considering that Teofimo Lopez, Jack Catterall, and Jose Carlos Ramirez are indispensable parties to this matter, it is hereby ordered that the parties herein submit in writing to the WBO within 72 hours upon issuance of this notice their respective arguments and

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supported evidence as to why the WBO Ratings Committee shall grant your requests. Upon compliance with this order, I will refer the matter to WBO Ratings Committee to proceed accordingly.

Failure to comply with this order will constitute a waiver of all rights hereunder and with the WBO proceeding per Regulations of World Championship Contests. Enclosed with this communication is the email correspondence from Team Catterall and Team Ramirez, respectively, filed with the WBO.

Lastly, this Committee reserves the right to issue any further rulings deemed necessary, helpful, and convenient to accomplish the purposes, policies, and intent of the WBO rules, including, but not limited to rendering all rulings necessary to serve the best interests in the sport of professional boxing, including those in the WBO Jr. Welterweight Division.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Francisco Valcárcel", written in a cursive style.

Francisco Valcárcel, Esq.

cc: Francisco Valcárcel, Esq./President  
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