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BEFORE AN ARBITRATOR
STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Arbitration of Contract
Dispute Between:

Case No. 111303-1

DECISION OF THE ARBITRATOR

MARY DURON, Boxer

and

GEORGE GARCIA, Manager.

The above captioned arbitration matter came on regularly for hearing before Rob Lynch, Executive Officer of the California State Athletic Commission, the Arbitrator duly appointed by the Commission. The matter was convened at 9:00 a.m. on November 13, 2003 at the Ronald Reagan State Office Building Los Angeles pursuant to written notice to all parties. Earl R. Plowman, Deputy Attorney General acted as counsel to the Arbitrator. Mary Duron, Licensed Boxer 13505 (Hereinafter "Boxer") appeared and was represented herself. Manager George Garcia (Hereinafter "Manager") was present with witnesses Leobardo and Jose Velasquez-Armenta and prepared to proceed. Based upon the Notices to the parties, and following the taking of testimony of the parties and other witnesses under oath, and following receipt of documents in evidence and upon taking official notice of the records and proceedings of the California State Athletic Commission and following submission of the parties of oral arguments on the evidence and due consideration

1 thereof, the Arbitrator now makes the following:

2 FINDINGS OF FACT

3 1. Boxer and Manager were at the time of the making of the Boxer/Manager
4 contract which is the subject of this arbitration, both licensed by the Commission and
5 Boxer and Manager are currently licensed in California.

6 2. On February 10, 2001, Boxer and Manager appeared before an official of
7 the Commission in Huntington Beach, California and executed a standard
8 form boxer/manager contract, the term of which was five (5) years. There were no addenda
9 to the contract. The contracts were approved by the Commission on or about February 28,
10 2001.

11 3. In or about July, 2001, Boxer requested arbitration of the contract
12 pursuant to Section C.4 of said agreement, but specifying no particular violations of either
13 laws governing boxing or regulations of the Commission. Due to confusion that the
14 parties had resolved their differences, the arbitration was not set for hearing until the
15 present date.

16 4. Thereafter the matter was set for hearing by written notice. The
17 Arbitrator has determined that notice of the hearing date was properly given to both
18 parties.

19 5. Boxer is currently 30 years old and has an overall
20 record of four wins and five losses as well as a draw. Boxer fought a 10 round Jr.
21 Flyweight world championship bout on July 26, 2003 against Yvonne Capeles of Las Vegas,
22 Nevada. Boxer lost the match by decision but had no trouble going the distance. Boxer
23 take great pride in the fact that she fought for a world title at this juncture in her career.
24 Manager has many years of experience in boxing and is well known in the boxing world as
25 a trainer and manager.

26 6. At the arbitration hearing it was agreed by both Boxer and Manager
27 that they had developed irreconcilable differences. Specifically, Boxer developed an
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1 2003; and

2 2. The Commission shall pay all retained manager's shares of Boxer's
3 purses through July 26, 2003 to Manager as final settlement of any and all monies due and
4 owning between the parties.

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7 This Decision shall become effective on November 13, 2003

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DATED: January 13, 200~~3~~⁴

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ROB LYNCH, EXECUTIVE OFFICER
STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION
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