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Date: March 13, 2019

RE: 5-year Review – General Provisions, Boxing events, Promoters, Boxers, Mixed Martial Arts Rules (O.A.C. Chapter 3773 -1-01 thru 3773-7-08)

Thank you for permission to go forward with the Original Filing O.A.C. 3773-1-01 thru 3773-7-08. This rule package consists of twenty-two rules – twelve no change and ten amended rules and is part of the statutorily required five-year review. The rule package was submitted to the CSI Office on February 4, 2019 and the comment period ended on February 14, 2019. No comments were received at that time. The Athletic Commission accepted the results at the March 12, 2019 meeting and recommended the Director submit these through JCARR. These rules contain the requirements for contestants to compete in unarmed combat sports, regulations for the promoters to follow when conducting these events and the rules to enforce for those officiating these events. These all provide for a safety and welfare for all those involved in unarmed combat sports.

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