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Introduction:

*These Guidelines replace all previously issued. These guidelines rules are valid for all members.
Consideration can be given to local legal requirements and obligations if required.
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Dear Reader,

We are very pleased to release the 1.0 version of Regulations governing the World Martial Arts Committee. This is definitely the most comprehensive Mixed Martial Arts Guideline available today, and we are proud to make it available for your use. It was only made possible by the hard work and dedication of individuals from around the globe. In particular we would like to thank all individuals for their special contributions to this addition.

All regulations contained within this document are intended for use at WMAC sanctioned events. In this case, they must not be deviated from, except in extraordinary circumstances and with the written permission of the IRC or Chief Referee (Supervisor) of the tournament. The Chief Referee's interpretation of these guidelines will be the only interpretation accepted in the event of a query/complaint regarding correct implementation of any rule (IRC).

The World Martial Arts Regulations may also be used for non-sanctioned events. In this instance, we would ask that the promoter or user of these Regulations include the following line in their promotion "This tournament will be governed by the current Regulations of the World Martial Arts Committee."

The World Martial Arts Committee Movement is constantly evolving. And as we continue to grow our membership and expand our events, our need to revise Regulations will continue. Please check back with us periodically to ensure that you have an up to date copy of our Regulations.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Harald Folladori', written in a cursive style.

Harald Folladori
WMAC World President

GENERAL EVENT DIRECTIVES

(WMAC)

Introduction:

All of the WMAC or their members organised tournaments or sports gala dress are defeated by the principle that we operate to the WELFARE of the sportsmen and sportswomen and everything arrange around their security in the competition to guarantee. Also the venue is to be formed by general event directives of the state / federal state / town / municipality or local authority district in him the sports event it is organised. The event to be organised should leave a remaining positive impression and the organizer (promoter) the possibility come up in public to present.

1. Tournament place:

The tournament place must stand in proportion to the participants to be expected and spectators. Emergency exits and safety regulations must correspond to the European standard. Approvals of the local authority are compulsory and unsolicited to prove. The first help and fire precautions are to be guaranteed independently.

2. Fight surface:

There are 2 kinds of fight surfaces:

A.) Open fight surfaces (mats, hall ground etc.)

Minima 6 times 6, to 8 times 8 metres

B.) Closed fight surface (rings, cage etc.)

Minima 5 times 5, to 6 times 6 metres

All fight surfaces need a safe distance of at least 2 metres running around. All superstructures (light technology, tables or firm objects) must be beyond this security zone. Exceptions = closed fight surfaces. Here the firm edge is valid as an end and therefore the security zone on 2 metres is running around enough.

It must be also guaranteed by the organizer the stream and sources of light are sufficient available are to be guaranteed around a free from problems expiry of the competition.

3. Securities of the competition surface:

By means of roadblocks clearly as those can be attached evidently (z.b. Tapes, ground inscription etc.). Of the other one neither an object, nor a person may stay in the security zone described on top (injury risk). Concerning a possible falling out about the Area are threatened places beyond this zone, however, lie a danger also explain separately to protect (fixing of foamed plastic, p.e.).

4. Signpost / inscription:

To the better orientation and in order to avoid unnecessary communication, so-called signs (min A4) are to be attached to mark the IMPORTANT positions of the event.

1. ENTRANCE / EXIT
2. WEIGH-IN
3. DOCTOR
4. COVER
5. REGISTRATION
6. FIGHT-LEVEL 1 (with several surfaces necessarily)

5. Local least conditions in the hall / hall:

Around the well-arranged expiry of the event to guarantee the following aspects must be fulfilled:

1. Separate covering
2. WC
3. Doctor's space of (WEIGH-IN Room)
4. Meeting space (coach & referee meetings)
5. Judge's tables with stream binding
6. enough chairs for Referees / coach
7. Microphone / sound arrangement for music

6. Staff must / should provide that of the organizers in the venue:

- a. The organizer puts them the unlimited access to to HALL with Caretaker or a person the hall has.
- b. He put staff with On & dismantling of the hall helps and the instructions of the persons responsible follows perform (min 5 strong people)
- c. He puts the competition doctor (Dr. of the medicine must be without certain field zB. Accident surgeon) according to size of the event orderly and announcement to the responsible rescue office about the planned event.
- d. At the beginning / source control
- e. If necessary (see event directives of the venue) fire brigade & Security
- f. Catering possibilities create
- g. According to size of the event – parking bay marshaller
- h. According to kind of the event ring speaker and Round-girls

7. The organizer makes available to the organizer (association):

1. As already under point 6 described rooms / equipment as well as assistant / staff
2. Doctor / orderly
3. If necessary ring speaker & Ringgirls (evening events / Galas)
4. Enough tables / chairs and stream
5. Catering (min 2 drinks and 1 food)
6. If necessary overnight possibility with breakfast

8. The organizer agrees from the association:

1. Equipment of the tournament (competition surfaces, equipment etc.)
2. Judges
3. Tournament expiry organisation
4. Paperwork (List and briefcases)
5. Documents & Medals / cups / belt
6. Result lists
7. Poster of the event and application on the platforms of the association
8. According to size tournament manager & superintendent

9. Official and set of rules of the association:

- The highest authority of every event is the superintendent, this we from the association named
- He leads the control-compliant expiry after topical set of rules
- The set of rules of the respective association is compelling for EVERYBODY (organizer, organizer, sponsors etc.). Only the chairperson of the NRC / IRC can arrange a control change by means of decision.
- The judge's fees and payments are also collected by the superintendent and purpose-engaged are awarded.

- He is also to be arranged in addition competent on suspicion drug tests and to rectify judge's evaluations against the rules.
- All evaluation documents are to be administered by him and to announce the results immediately to the Headquarter (within 24h)

10. Prescribed expiry of a sports event:

Day tournament:

- Entrance – Weigh-in – Registration –
- Fight lists – coach's meeting/Refereemeeting – greeting of the participants and official –
- Call in the respective surfaces – winner's honour – exit

Sports gala dress:

- Entrance (control of the Fightcard)
- Weigh-In (title EM/IC/WM min 24h before the beginning, rest min 2H before the beginning)
- an official of the association must be it present (weight decrease protocol)
- An official of the association must be doctor's check – it present (doctor's protocol)
- Coach's meeting by superintendent (with topical Fightcard)
- Refereemeeting by superintendent (incl. division of the judges & jury)
- Ring control by superintendent (expiry discussion with organizer)
- Image of the association and the official

Event expiry according to set of rules (with Titelfights belt presentation and hymn as well as bandage control prescribed)

Winner's honour in the ring (belt handing over by official or guest of honour)

11. Agreed formalities for the organizer / organizer:

With all day tournaments & Sportgalas the following forms are obliging:

1. Promoter licence (EVENTS)
2. Title registration form (TITLE)
3. Fighterprofile (for FIGHTERS / GALAS)

Except organizer / organizer is him CONNECTED itself!