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Vonette Richter
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State of North Dakota
600 E Boulevard Avenue
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Dear Vonette,

As required by N.D.C.C. § 28-32-10(1), I am forwarding the rules and the Notice of Intent to Amend Administrative Rules, Chapters, 72-02.2-01.1 and 72-02.2-02, related to Combative Sports.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Al Jaeger".

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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AMEND ADMINISTRATIVE RULES

TAKE NOTICE that the Secretary of State will hold a public hearing to address the amendment of North Dakota Administrative Code Chapters 72-02.2-01.1 and 72-02.2-02 at 11:00 a.m. on Monday, June 29, 2020, in the Red River meeting room at the North Dakota State Capitol, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota.

The purpose of the proposed rules is to amend Administrative Rules relating to Combative Sports, i.e., Boxing and Mixed Fighting Style, under the authority granted in subsection 1 of North Dakota Century Code Section 53-01-07. The proposed rules address requirements related to the Office of the Secretary of State for governing the conduct of boxing, kickboxing, mixed fighting style competitions, and sparring exhibitions. These include matches, licensing, contestants, promoters, referees, judges, cornerpersons and seconds, ring officials, physicians, ticketing, contracts, rings and fenced areas, equipment, scoring, medical and related safeguards.

The proposed rules are not expected to have an impact on the regulated community in excess of \$50,000.

The proposed rules may be reviewed at the office of the Secretary of State, 600 East Boulevard Avenue, Bismarck, North Dakota. A copy of the proposed rules, or regulatory analysis if issued, may be requested by writing or calling:

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Written or oral comments on the proposed rules sent to the above address or telephone number and received no later than 5:00 p.m. on Monday, July 13, 2020, will be fully considered.

If you plan to attend the public hearing and will need special facilities or assistance relating to a disability, please contact the Secretary of State at the above address or telephone number at least one week prior to the public hearing.

Dated this 2nd day of June 2020.

Alvin A. Jaeger
Secretary of State