

(II) IN ORDER FOR THE INDIVIDUAL TO PARTICIPATE AS A CONTESTANT IN A BOXING~~7~~-SPARRING~~7~~-OR-WRESTLING MATCH IN THE STATE:

1. IF THE INDIVIDUAL HAS PARTICIPATED AS A CONTESTANT IN MORE THAN 12 BOXING~~7~~--SPARRING~~7~~--OR--WRESTLING MATCHES IN OR OUTSIDE THE STATE;

2. IF THE INDIVIDUAL IS KNOCKED OUT OR RECEIVES A TECHNICAL KNOCKOUT AS A RESULT OF NEUROLOGICAL INJURY IN 2 SUCCESSIVE BOXING~~7~~-SPARRING~~7~~-OR-WRESTLING MATCHES; OR

3. ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF A RINGSIDE PHYSICIAN.

(2) ON THE BASIS OF THE NEUROLOGICAL EXAMINATION OF THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE LICENSED PHYSICIAN OR SURGEON WHO SPECIALIZES IN NEUROLOGY OR NEUROSURGERY, THE COMMISSION MAY:

(I) REFUSE TO ISSUE OR RENEW FOR THE INDIVIDUAL A LICENSE TO PARTICIPATE AS A CONTESTANT IN A BOXING~~7~~-SPARRING~~7~~-OR-WRESTLING MATCH; OR

(II) PROHIBIT THE INDIVIDUAL FROM PARTICIPATING AS A CONTESTANT IN A BOXING~~7~~-SPARRING~~7~~-OR-WRESTLING MATCH IN THE STATE.

(3) THE COMMISSION SHALL PAY FOR THE COST OF A NEUROLOGICAL EXAMINATION REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION FROM THE LICENSE FEES COLLECTED UNDER THIS SECTION.

(4) THE PHYSICIAN OR SURGEON CONDUCTING THE NEUROLOGICAL EXAMINATION REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED AN EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1987.

Approved May 14, 1987.