

STATE OF UTAH
PETE SUAZO UTAH ATHLETIC COMMISSION (PSUAC)
GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (GOED)
APPLICATION FOR LICENSURE

REFEREE

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS AND INFORMATION

General Statement: The Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission desires to provide courteous and timely service to all applicants for licensure. To maximize its efficiency and level of service, the Commission will process complete applications only. **A complete application includes all applicable supporting documents and fees.** The fees are for processing your application and will not be refunded. Failure to complete the application and supply necessary information may result in denial of licensure. Please read all instructions carefully.

Address of Record: The address listed on the application will be your address of record. All correspondence from the Commission will be sent to that address. It is your responsibility to directly notify the Commission of any change in address. Also, please note, the address of record is public information, available upon request and via the Internet. You may choose to use a business address or a P.O. Box for your address of record rather than your home address.

Social Security Number: Your social security number is classified as a private record pursuant to Title 63, Chapter 2, Utah Government Records Access and Management Act (GRAMA). It is used as an individual identifier for our licensing database and for purposes of child support enforcement pursuant to Subsection 78-32-17(3) and is mandatory pursuant to Subsection 58-1-301(1), Utah Code Annotated, which implements the requirements of 42 U.S.C. 666(a)(13). An application that does not include a social security number is incomplete and cannot be processed.

Supporting Documents and Fees:

1. Submit evidence that proves that you are qualified by training and experience to competently act as a referee.
2. Submit the \$50.00 non-refundable application-processing fee for a referee license. (63C-11-308(6)(b), Utah Code Annotated).
3. Submit to the Commission written acknowledgement of receipt, understanding, and intent to comply with the laws and rules pertaining to unarmed combat in the State of Utah. (63C-11-308(6)(d), Utah Code Annotated).

Additional Important Information:

1. **Laws and Rules:** You are required to understand all Utah laws and rules pertaining to unarmed combat.

The following applicable laws and rules are available on the Internet at:

<http://www.rules.utah.gov/publicat/code/r359/r359-001.htm>.

<http://le.utah.gov/~code/TITLE63C/63C11.htm>.

You may also purchase the laws and rules for a fee from Experior, 5486 South 1900 West, Suite C, Taylorsville, Utah 84118, (801) 355-5009.

- Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission Act (UCA, Title 63, Chapter 11)
- Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission Act Rules (R359)

2. **License Renewal:** The Referee License is valid for one year from issuance.
3. **Updating Address Information:** It is the licensee's responsibility to maintain a current address with the Commission. If your address is incorrect, you will not receive renewal notices or other correspondence.

Make Licensure Fees Payable To: PSUAC

Mail Complete Application To:

Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission
Governor's Office of Economic Development
P.O. Box 146950
60 E. South Temple, Third Floor
World Trade Center
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-6950

Telephone Numbers: (801) 538-8876

Fax Number: (801) 538-8888

APPLICATION FOR REFEREE LICENSE

GENERAL INFORMATION

Social Security Number: _____

Last Name: _____ Maiden Name: _____

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____

Have You Ever Held an Utah Unarmed or Professional License Before? Yes ___ No ___

If Yes, Name of Profession: _____

If Yes, License Number: _____

Gender (Male or Female): _____ Date of Birth: _____

Business Legal Name: _____

PUBLIC MAILING ADDRESS

Street: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Telephone: _____ Length of Time at the Above Address: _____

Email: _____

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SECTION – FOR COMMISSION USE ONLY

License/Certificate Number: _____

Date License/Certificate Approved: _____

Approved By: _____

Date License/Certificate Denied: _____

Denied By: _____

Reason for Denial/Other Comments: _____

REFEREE QUALIFYING QUESTIONNAIRE

(Answer “yes” or “no” for each question. All blanks must be filled in.)

1. _____ Have you ever applied for or received a license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession under any name other than the name listed on this application?
2. _____ Have you ever had a license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession denied, conditioned, curtailed, limited, restricted, suspended, or revoked in any way?
3. _____ Have you ever been permitted to resign or surrender your license, certificate, permit, or registration to practice in a regulated profession while under investigation or while action was pending against you by any licensing agency, or criminal or administrative jurisdiction?
4. _____ Is any disciplinary action pending against you now by any licensing agency?
5. _____ Within the last six months, have you used any drugs (including recreational drugs) without a valid prescription, the possession or distribution of which is unlawful under the Utah Controlled Substances Act?
6. _____ Have you ever been arrested for, or charged with, pled guilty or no contest to, or been convicted of a misdemeanor or felony charge in any jurisdiction during the last 10 years? Minor traffic offenses, such as parking or speeding violations need not be listed but motor vehicle offenses such as driving while impaired or intoxicated must be disclosed.

If you answered “yes” to any of the above questions, please enclose with this application complete information with respect to the circumstances and the final result, if such has been reached.

A “yes” answer does not necessarily mean that you will not be granted a license; however, the PSUAC may request additional documentation if the information submitted is insufficient.

Pete Suazo Utah Athletic Commission (PSUAC) Unarmed Combat Officials Standard of Conduct

Officials need to be rested, and physically and mentality prepared for the event.

Officials must dress neatly, no hats and no logos on clothes.

Officials should report to the location of the event at least one hour prior to the scheduled start time and report to the commission.

All officials need to ensure they attend any pre-fight meetings or any scheduled meetings with the athletic commission.

All officials should refrain from smoking at ringside.

Officials must remain impartial.

All concerns that reflect the performance of another official should be addressed with the athletic commission.

Do not comment to the media regarding PSUAC event officials and their decisions and conduct unless authorized to do so by the athletic commission. This includes web sites, social media such as Facebook, etc.

Limit your contact with any of the participants, fighters, seconds, trainers, managers or individuals connected with a particular fighter. This includes disclosing any conflicts of interest you might have with contestants or other licensees.

Referees/Judges and officials are to sit in seats assigned by the commission or authorized representative. Judges are to sit in a seat independent of any other persons.

Referees/Judges and other officials are to concentrate 100 % on the bout for the full round. Judges are not allowed to take notes. The only items allowed by a judge are pen/pencil, score card and a fight card.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not drink any amount of an alcoholic beverage or consume any other substance that may impair their judgment prior to or during an event they are scheduled to officiate.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not eat while working a bout.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not visit one another while working a bout.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not criticize other officials, the commission or members thereof.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not discuss official decisions or grant interviews to the media without consent from the commission or its authorized representative.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not request to be assigned to a specific bout. Assignments are subject to the commission's discretion. All officials must follow commission instructions and accept commission decisions.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not request free or discounted tickets from the promoter.

Referees/Judges and other officials shall not request passes for spouses, relative or friends.

Remember fighters careers and opportunities depend on your judgment.

By my signature below I certify that I have received a copy of the PSUAC Officials Standards of Conduct. I certify that I understand all requirements set forth in the Standards of Conduct and that I will abide by these Standards of Conduct at all time while licensed by the PSUAC. Additionally, I understand that failure to abide by the PSUAC Standards of Conduct may result in disciplinary action up to and including suspension or revocation of my State license.

Print name

Signature

Date

AFFIDAVIT AND RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

I am the applicant described and identified in this application for licensure, certification, or registration in the State of Utah.

I am qualified in all respects for the license, certificate, or registration for which I am applying in this application.

To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application and its supporting documentation is free of fraud, misrepresentation, or omission of material fact.

To the best of my knowledge, the information contained in the application and its supporting documentation is truthful, correct, and complete; and, discloses all material facts regarding the applicant and associated individuals necessary to properly evaluate the applicant's qualifications for licensure.

I will ensure that any information subsequently submitted to the PSUAC in conjunction with this application or its supporting documentation meets the same standard as set forth above.

I understand that it is unlawful and punishable as a class A misdemeanor to apply for or obtain a license or to otherwise deal with the PSUAC or a licensing board through the use of fraud, forgery, or intentional deception, misrepresentation, misstatement, or omission.

I understand that this application will be classified as a public record and will be available for inspection by the public, except with regard to the release of information which is classified as controlled, private, or protected under the Government Records Access and Management Act or restricted by other law.

I authorize all persons, institutions, organizations, schools, governmental agencies, employers, references, or any others not specifically included in the preceding characterization, which are set forth directly or by reference in this application, to release to the PSUAC, State of Utah, any files, records, or information of any type reasonably required for the PSUAC to properly evaluate my qualifications for licensure, certification, or registration by the State of Utah.

Signature of Applicant: _____

Date of Signature: _____

Printed Name of Applicant: _____