



**THE BOXING AND WRESTLING REGULATIONS 1958,  
AMENDMENT NO. 1**

KEITH HOLYOAKE, Governor-General

**ORDER IN COUNCIL**

At the Government Buildings at Wellington this 24th day of April 1978

Present:

THE RIGHT HON. B. E. TALBOYS PRESIDING IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Police Offences Act 1927, His Excellency the Governor-General, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

**REGULATIONS**

**1. Title and commencement**—(1) These regulations may be cited as the Boxing and Wrestling Regulations 1958, Amendment No. 1, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Boxing and Wrestling Regulations 1958\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

(2) These regulations shall come into force on the day after the date of their notification in the *Gazette*.

**2. Conditions of boxing permit**—Regulation 6 of the principal regulations is hereby amended—

- (a) By omitting from paragraph (a) the expression "18 ft", and substituting the expression "4.90 m":
- (b) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "21 ft", and substituting the expression "6.10 m":
- (c) By omitting from paragraph (c) the expression "4 ft", and substituting the expression "1.22 m":
- (d) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "2 in", and substituting the expression "5 cm":
- (e) By omitting from paragraph (d) the expression " $\frac{1}{2}$  in", and substituting the expression "1.27 cm":
- (f) By omitting from paragraph (e) the expression "6 oz", and substituting the expression "165 g":

- (g) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "8 oz", and substituting the expression "230 g":
- (h) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "8 stone", and substituting the expression "51 kg":
- (i) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "4 oz", and substituting the expression "110 g".

**3. Conditions of wrestling permit**—(1) Regulation 7 (1) of the principal regulations is hereby amended—

- (a) By omitting from paragraph (a) the expression "18 ft", and substituting the expression "5.49 m":
  - (b) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "24 ft", and substituting the expression "7.32 m":
  - (c) By omitting from paragraph (c) the expression "12 in", and substituting the expression "30 cm":
  - (d) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "18 in", and substituting the expression "46 cm":
  - (e) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "4 ft 6 in", and substituting the expression "1.37 m":
  - (f) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "5 ft", and substituting the expression "1.52 m":
  - (g) By omitting from paragraph (d) the expression "5 ft 3 in", and substituting the expression "1.6 m":
  - (h) By omitting from that paragraph the expression "2 in", and substituting the expression "5 cm":
  - (i) By omitting from paragraph (e) the expression "1 in", and substituting the expression "2.5 cm".
- (2) Regulation 7 (2) of the principal regulations is hereby amended by omitting the expression "6 ft", and substituting the expression "1.83 m".

P. G. MILLEN,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*

These regulations amend the Boxing and Wrestling Regulations 1958. In general, they substitute metric equivalents for various measurements prescribed in the principal regulations. However, the new minimum and maximum sizes for boxing rings, prescribed by paragraphs (a) and (b) of regulation 2, are not approximate equivalents. The new sizes are those laid down by the International Amateur Boxing Association.

Issued under the authority of the Regulations Act 1936.  
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These regulations are administered in the Police Department.