

**Alabama Athlete Agents Commission
1st Quarter Meeting Minutes
Alabama State House
RSA Plaza 5th Floor Conference Room
770 Washington Ave
Montgomery, Alabama 36130**

March 8, 2023

The Alabama Athlete Agents Commission Meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m. by Chairman Santiago Pinzon.

The invocation was given by Todd Vardaman.

All Commission members and visitors signed and acknowledged attendance.

Oath of Office was administered by Dr. Shemekwa Farrow to newly appointed members (Katie O'Brien, Thomas Neely, Elizabeth Molen, Secretary Allen & Alvin Briggs).

Commission members voted on election of officers for 2023. Santiago Pinzon was elected as Chairperson, Todd Vardaman as Co-Chairperson & Thomas Neely as Treasurer. A motion was made by Senator. Allen and seconded by A. Briggs. MOTION PASSED.

Commission members present at the meeting are as follows:

Commissioner Gerald Allen	Lt. Governor Appointee
Commissioner Todd Vardaman	University of North Alabama
Commissioner Barbara Palmer	Miles College
Commissioner Mike Jones	University of West Alabama
Commissioner Julie Woltjen	University of Alabama, Huntsville
Commissioner Alvin Briggs	Alabama High School Athletic Association
Commissioner Stephanie Thompson	Alabama State University
Commissioner Elisabeth Molen	The University of Alabama in Birmingham
Commissioner Ty Singletary	University of South Alabama
Commissioner Santiago Pinzon	Troy University
Commissioner Secretary Allen	Secretary of State
Commissioner Thomas Neely	Jacksonville State University
Commissioner Katie O'Brien	University of Montevallo

Others in attendance are as follows:

Dr. Shemekwa Farrow	Administrative Analyst II, Office of the Secretary of State
Ms. Karie Wilkerson	Administrative Assistant III, Office of the Secretary of State
Ms. Shenika Thomas	State Professional Trainee, Office of the Secretary of State
Mieka Callines	Secretary of State
Meridith Blackburn	Deputy General Counsel, Secretary of State

Tyler Daniel

University of Alabama Huntsville

Commission members not in attendance are as follows:

Vacant	Governor's Office
Commissioner Earl Robinson	Alabama A&M University
Commissioner Chris Blackshear	Alabama Speaker of the House Appointee
Commissioner Matt Ball	Auburn University
Commissioner Riley Edwards	University of Alabama
Commissioner Nicholas Brown	Tuskegee University

The minutes of the December 7, 2022 regular meeting (4th Quarterly Meeting) were reviewed by the Commissioners. A motion was made by Senator Allen to accept the minutes of the December 7, 2022 regular meeting (4th Quarterly Meeting) and seconded by A. Briggs. MOTION PASSED.

Commissioners decided to hold the following applications, for additional information or future plans as a NIL or Athlete Agent. The motion was made by Senator Allen and seconded by B. Palmer. MOTION PASSED.

- 1.Casanova, Jose
- 2.Cottrell, Dedric
- 3.Jefferies, Safari
- 4.Kawa, Malki
- 5.McRae, Demarius
- 6.Rounds, Victor

Chairman Pinzon asked the Commission members to review the new applications named as follows:

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| 1. Brown, Robert | 8. Nevels, Andre |
| 2. Butz, David | 9. Powell III, Everett |
| 3. Cortello, Dante | 10. Rosenbach, Marshall |
| 4. Grady, Joshua | 11. Schlessel, Seth |
| 5. Johnson III, Frank | 12. Sirles, Jeremiah |
| 6. Johnson, Reginald | 13. Smith, Brandon |
| 7. Lockett, Aaron | 14. Smith, Charles |

Chairman Pinzon called for any objections for new applicants and seeing none, called for a motion to approve. A motion was made by J. Woltjen and seconded by Senator Allen. MOTION PASSED.

Chairman Pinzon asked the Commission members to review the renewal applicant named as follows:

1. Irvin, Richard

Chairman Pinzon called for any objections for renewal applicant and seeing none, called for a motion to approve. A motion was made by T. Vardaman and seconded by Senator Allen. MOTION PASSED.

Meridith Blackburn, Deputy General Counsel, spoke about future plans to do a more thorough search of applicants through background checks & credit checks. She will have more information at the 2nd quarterly meeting.

Treasurer Woltjen provided the commission with the financial report.

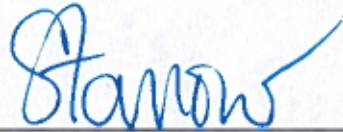
The Commission decided on the next Commission meeting date of Wednesday, June 7, 2023 at 10:00 a.m. A motion was made by T. Vardaman and seconded by T. Neely.

Chairman Pinzon called for a motion to adjourn. A motion was made by A. Briggs and seconded by Secretary Allen. The meeting adjourned at 11:10 a.m. MOTION PASSED.

Approved: Santiago Pinzon
Chairman, Santiago Pinzon

Minutes submitted by:
Karie Wilkerson

State of *Alabama*
County of *Montgomery*



Shemekwa Farrow, WITNESSED June 7, 2023

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