Alabama Athlete Agent Commission Meeting Minutes

Alabama State House, Room 617 11 South Union Street Montgomery, Alabama

April 29, 2016

The Alabama Athlete Agent Commission Meeting was called to order at 10:02 a.m. by Chairman Jack Williams.

Invocation was said by Secretary of State, John H. Merrill.

The attendance register was signed by all committee members and visitors.

Commission members present at this meeting are listed below.

Honorable John H. Merrill
Honorable Jack Williams
Honorable Cherrelle Leslie
Honorable Tatiana Cummings
Honorable Greg Bonds
Honorable Stephen Lautz
Honorable Kit Alewine
Honorable Corey Bray
Honorable Julie Woltjen
Honorable Benjamin Gearhart
Honorable Mike Jones

Alabama Secretary of State
House of Representatives
Alabama A&M University
Alabama State University
Jacksonville State University
Auburn University
Troy University
University of Alabama, Birmingham
University of Alabama, Huntsville
University of Montevallo

University of West Alabama

Others in attendance:

Ms. Shemekwa Farrow, Office of the Secretary of State Mrs. Shaquinta Morgan, Office of the Secretary of State Mr. Brent Beal, Office of the Secretary of State Mr. Jerry Bassett, Alabama Legislative Reference Service

Commission members not in attendance:

Honorable Gerald Allen
Honorable Todd Vardaman
Honorable Jonathan Bowling
Honorable Chris Moore
Honorable Kenneth Burroughs
Honorable Deana Person
Honorable Phillip Wallace
Honorable Tony Stallworth

Alabama Senate
University of North Alabama
University of Alabama
University of South Alabama
Governor's Office
Tuskegee University
Miles College
High School Athletic Association

Oath of Office was administered by Secretary Merrill for Tatiana Cummings and Cherrelle Leslie.

The minutes of the February 12^{th} meeting were reviewed. A motion was made to accept minutes. The motion was seconded and passed to accept 1^{st} Quarterly minutes.

Chairman Williams mentioned that the revised Athlete Agent Bill passed the Senate and will be awaiting passage from the House. Mr. Jerry Bassett addressed the committee on the reciprocal agreement between the states as it relates to the new bill and the Secretary of State's role.

Representative Jack Williams opened the floor for nomination of officers. A motion was made for Representative Williams to continue to serve as Commission Chairperson. Motion seconded and approved, none opposed. A motion was made for Jonathan Bowling to continue to serve as Commission Vice Chairperson. Motion seconded and approved, none opposed. A motion was made for Senator Gerald Allen to continue to serve as Secretary/Treasurer. Motion seconded and approved, none opposed.

Commission members reviewed new and renewal athlete agent applications.

Chairman Williams asked the commission members to review the new applications named as follows:

- 1. Dustin Bledsoe
- 2. Michael Bledsoe
- 3. Kristal Caron
- 4. J. Nicole Edwards
- 5. William Goss
- 6. Steven Jones
- 7. Alvin Nelson
- 8. Kevin Lynch
- 9. Jeffrey Ostrow

Chairman Williams called for any objections and seeing none called for a motion to approve all new applications as a group. A motion was made and seconded to approve all unanimously. Motion passed.

Chairman Williams asked the commission members to review the renewing agent's names. He called for a motion to approve the renewing agents as a group and the motion was seconded and all approved.

The renewing agents are as follows:

- 1. George Bass
- 2. Seth Katz

The commission members decided on the next meeting date of September 14, 2016 at 10:00 a m

Motion was made to adjourn at 10:35 a.m. and seconded. All approved.

Approved:

Chairman, Jack Williams

Minutes submitted by Shaquinta Morgan

State of Alabama

County of Montgomery

Shemekwa L. Farrow, Notary Public

My commission expires September 16, 2017