

Asian Boxing Extraordinary Congress Bangkok 2025

Election Instructions

-  **Congress Date:** Saturday, August 2, 2025.
-  **Congress Time:** 09:00 (Local Time – Bangkok).
-  **Congress Venue:** The Grand Fourwings Convention Hotel.
-  **Location:** <https://maps.app.goo.gl/6ma3EdJi9H1KxhFJ8>

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A. Candidacy Nomination Process

Opening of Candidacy

- **Date:** May 28, 2025

Nomination Form Distribution

- On May 28, 2025, nomination forms will be circulated to all National Federations (NFs) by the Secretary General.

Nomination Submission Deadline

- **Deadline:** June 25, 2025 (11:59pm -Local Time – Bangkok).
- All completed nomination forms and required documents must be received by this deadline.

Required Documents for Each Candidate

Each nomination must include:

1. Completed Nomination Form (provided by Asian Boxing)
2. Copy of valid passport
3. Curriculum Vitae (CV)
4. Certificate of Good Conduct "Must indicate no convictions involving moral turpitude"
5. Certificate of Non-Bankruptcy (Credit Bureau Report)

 **All documents must be submitted in English. Incomplete nominations will not be considered.**



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B. Elections Commission

The Election Commission will oversee the election process and ensure transparency and integrity.

Composition of the Election Commission

1. **OCA Representative:** Prof Dr. Supitr Samahito - OCA Executive Board Member
2. **Secretary General of World Boxing:** Mr. Mike McAtee
3. **Secretary General of Asian Boxing:** Mr. Ali Salameh

🛡️ The Election Commission will verify candidacies, oversee vote counting, and handle any electoral disputes in accordance with the Statutes.

C. Positions for Election at Congress

Asian Boxing Board Positions

1. President
2. Two (2) Vice Presidents (one male, one female)
3. Five (5) Zonal Board Members (South Asia, South East Asia, West Asia, Central Asia, East Asia)
4. Four (4) Independent Board Members
5. Treasurer (Chair of Audit & Finance Committee)

Committee Chair Positions (Elected at Congress)

1. Medical and Anti-Doping Committee
2. Audit and Finance Committee
3. Judicial Committee



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D. Eligibility Criteria

- Must be at Least 18 Years Old.
 - Must be under age 75 (max 2 candidates over 75 may be elected)
 - Hold citizenship of nominating Full Member OR
 - Be an official resident of that country OR
 - Have been a member of the Full Member for at least 3 years before Congress
 - Board Gender Rule: At least two members from each gender
 - No more than 2 Board members per Member (excluding Athletes Committee reps)
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E. Ineligibility Criteria

- A candidate will be disqualified if they:
 - Under 18 years old
 - A member of staff of Asian Boxing
 - Have a legal conviction for fraud, embezzlement, theft, violence, or serious crimes
 - Have had any Anti-Doping violations at any time
 - Have been removed or expelled from office by Congress
 - Have breached Rules/Policies resulting in ineligibility
 - Ruled incompetent to manage their affairs
 - Have been subject to bankruptcy
 - Have been a disqualified director by a relevant authority
 - Prohibited by law from holding a position in Asian Boxing
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F. Vetting Panel Responsibilities

- Determines eligibility and may terminate candidacy
- Provides written decisions with reasoning to the candidate and Secretary General
- Decisions are final and not subject to appeal



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G. Conflicts of Interest

- The President and Board Members must not hold positions with Members, sponsors, or organizations that cause conflicts of interest

H. Voting Rules & Eligibility

- Only Voting Delegates from Full (or prospective Full) Members may vote
- One vote per position.
- Open voting unless secret ballot is requested by the President.
- Simple majority wins unless otherwise stated.
- Tie-breaker: Chair casts deciding vote.
- No proxy voting or voting by mail.
- All decisions by simple majority unless stated otherwise

I. Election Procedures

General Election Rules

- Chaired by the Secretary General
- Secret ballot (electronic or paper)
- Unanimous acclamation allowed if only one candidate for a position

Election of President

- Conducted separately • Simple majority (50% + 1 vote) required
- If no majority: Lowest polling candidate eliminated each round until a majority is achieved



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Election of Vice Presidents

- One combined vote
- Top male and female candidates elected
- If both winners are same gender: Highest-polling opposite gender replaces lowest-polling majority gender winner
- Tie for last position: Runoff among tied candidates

Election of Board Members

- One combined vote
- Top vote-getters win
- Must meet gender rule (at least one from each gender)
- If not: Highest-polling minority gender replaces lowest majority gender winner
- Tie for final slot: Runoff among tied candidates

Election of Committee Chairs

- Each Chair elected separately
- Simple majority (50% + 1 vote) required
- If no majority: Lowest candidate eliminated per round until a majority is reached

Tiebreakers

- If tie remains after runoff, Decided by drawing lots or coin toss

Results

- Statistical results displayed after each election
- Full results published at end of Congress



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