

COMMONWEALTH COUNCIL BULLETIN

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FORMER COMMONWEALTH CHAMPION WINS WORLD TITLE

Congratulations have been sent to RICHARD COMMEY of Ghana, the latest former Commonwealth Champion to win one of the 'big four' World Championships when after a couple of setbacks, he finally won the IBF World Lightweight Championship by beating Isa Chaniev in San Francisco on 2nd February

He joins ANTHONY JOSHUA (IBF/WBO/WBA HEAVY), JOSH WARRINGTON (IBF FEATHER) and KHALID YAFAI (WBA SUPERFLY), all reigning World Champions who were helped to climb the international rankings by first winning the coveted Commonwealth Championship Belt.

TITLES DECLARED VACANT

ANDREW MOLONEY, (Australia, Superfly) and JORDAN GILL (UK, Super-Feather) have both contacted the Hon Secretary to advise they have vacated their respective Commonwealth Championships to seek further international Titles, with the aim of eventually boxing for a World Title. The CBC wishes them both well in their future aims.

FORTHCOMING CHAMPIONSHIPS

HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

JOE JOYCE (England) V BERMANE STIVERNE (Canada) O2 ARENA, LONDON UK 23RD FEBRUARY 2019 PROMOTER - POXON PROMOTIONS

SUPER-BANTAMWEIGHT ELIMINATOR

RAZAK NAJIB (England) V ZAHID HUSSEIN (England) MAGNA CENTRE ROTHERHAM, UK - 2ND MARCH 2019 PROMOTER - STEFY BULL

VACANT FETHERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

LEIGH WOOD (England) V ABRAHAM BONSU (Ghana) EAST OF ENGLAND ARENA, PETERBOROUGH, UK - 2ND MARCH 2019 PROMOTER – EDDIE HEARN MATCHROOM

CRUISERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

WADI CAMACHO (England) V LAWRENCE OKOLIE (England) COPPERBOX ARENA, LONDON UK SATURDAY 23RD MARCH 2019 PROMOTER – EDDIE HEARN MATCHROOM

SUPERLIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

PHILIP BOWES (England) V TOM FARRELL (England) ECHO ARENA, LIVERPOOL, UK - 30TH MARCH 2019 PROMOTER – EDDIE HEARN MATCHROOM

RECENT RESULTS

VACANT SUPERLIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

PHILIP BOWES (England) V BENSON MIYAWILA (Tanzania) YORK HALL, LONDON UK 2ND FEBRUARY 2019 PROMOTER – MICKEY HELLEIT, HELLRAISER PROMOTIONS PHILIP BOWES WINS RSC RND 2

VACANT MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP

FELIX CASH (England) V ABOLAJI RASHEED (Nigeria) O2 ARENA, LONDON UK 2ND FEBRUARY 2019 PROMOTER – EDDIE HEARN MATCHROOM FELIX CASH WINS RSC RND 1

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