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CHEROKEE COUNCIL HOUSE
CHEROKEE, NORTH CAROLINA

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RESOLUTION NO. 324 (2024)

A resolution to nominate three persons to the Governor of the State of North Carolina so the Governor can appoint one of those persons to the Tribe's seat on the North Carolina Boxing and Combat Sports Commission.

WHEREAS, the North Carolina Boxing and Combat Sports Commission is established in Sec. 143-650 through Sec. 143-659 of the North Carolina General Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the Commission is charged with regulating live boxing, kickboxing, and mixed martial arts matches, whether professional, amateur, or sanctioned amateur, or toughman events, in which admission is charged for viewing, or the contestants compete for a purse or prize of value greater than twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) (GS Sec. 143-652.1); and

WHEREAS, the Commission has six voting members, one of whom "shall be appointed by the Governor for an initial term of three years, from nominations made by the Tribal Council of the Eastern Band of the Cherokee, which shall nominate three individuals for the position" (GS Sec. 143-652.2(a)(6)); and

WHEREAS, persons who serve on the Commission are not paid by the State, but may have certain expenses reimbursed; and

WHEREAS, the Tribe's voting seat on the Commission is vacant and the Tribe desires to nominate three persons, for potential appointment by the Governor of one of nominees, to the North Carolina Boxing and Combat Sports Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, in Annual Council assembled, at which a quorum is present, that pursuant to GS Sec. 143-652.2(a)(6), the Tribal Council hereby nominates the three persons named below for appointment by the Governor of one of these person to the North Carolina Boxing and Combat Sports Commission.

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1 BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that all resolutions that are inconsistent with this resolution are
2 rescinded, and that this resolution shall become effective when ratified by the
3 Principal Chief.
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6 *Submitted by Michael McConnell, Attorney General, and Cameron Cooper.*