



## **KOMBAT TITLE BELT STATUTE**

**Effective April 3, 2026**

### **1. Divisions**

Kombat Championship Belts shall be contested in recognized weight categories and in separate male and female divisions as established by Kombat.

Kombat Championship structure includes:

- WORLD TITLE BELTS
- CONTINENTAL TITLE BELTS

### **2. Official Rankings**

Selection for Kombat Championship bouts shall be determined through the Official Kombat Championships Rankings for the applicable weight category, division, and region (where applicable).

### **3. Championship Structure**

Kombat recognizes two primary championship levels:

#### **a. World Title Belt Championships**

The highest level of competition representing global championship status.

#### **b. Continental Title Belt Championships**

Regional elite championships representing:

- Asia
- Europe
- Africa
- Oceania
- Pan America

Continental Championships may serve as one of the pathways toward World Title Belt contention.

### **4. Championship Consideration – Top Eight (8)**

For each weight category and division:

- The Top Eight (8) highest-ranked eligible fighters shall be considered for Championship participation
- Kombat Corporation has the rights to choose high profile fighters outside of the ranking.



## **5. Host Country Provision**

If the Host Country has one or more fighters ranked within the Top Eight (8), Kombat may select an eligible fighter representing the Host Nation.

## **6. Matchmaking Authority**

All Championship bouts:

- Must receive final approval from Kombat Corporate Office

Kombat retains full authority to approve, reject, or modify matchups.

## **7. Defending Champion Eligibility, Refusal & Replacement**

A reigning Champion shall receive automatic eligibility to defend the title at the next sanctioned Championship within their category.

If a Champion refuses or fails to compete, Kombat may select a replacement from the Top Eight (8) or other eligible fighters.

Refusal includes, but is not limited to:

- a. declining to compete
- b. failure to execute agreements
- c. failure to meet obligations
- d. failure to obtain medical clearance or make weight
- e. obstruction or delay of scheduling
- f. unprofessional conduct
- g. unwillingness to defend
- h. any condition determined by Kombat

Refusal shall not delay event programming.

## **8. Vacancy Clause**

If a Champion becomes ineligible or refuses to defend, Kombat may declare the title vacant.

Vacant titles may be contested by:

- Top Eight (8) fighters; or
- fighters selected by Kombat

## **9. Mandatory Defense Clause**

Champions are expected to defend their titles when designated by Kombat.



#### **10. Champion Duties Clause**

A Champion agrees to fulfill obligations including:

- a. media and promotional participation
- b. contractual compliance
- c. maintaining competitive readiness
- d. adherence to conduct standards
- e. weight compliance
- f. cooperation with scheduling and logistics

#### **11. Event Format Flexibility**

Championships may be conducted in formats including:

- direct title bouts
- elimination tournaments
- qualification systems
- Grand Prix structures
- other formats designated by Kombat

#### **12. Event Continuity & Alternative Championship Bout**

If a Champion is unable to compete, Kombat may proceed with an alternative Championship bout.

#### **13. Physical Fitness, Readiness & Conditioning Requirement**

Champions must maintain competitive condition. Failure may result in removal, replacement, or vacancy.

#### **14. Anti-Doping & Prohibited Substances**

All competitors are subject to anti-doping regulations. Violations may result in disqualification, suspension, or stripping of title.

#### **15. Authority & Final Determination**

All decisions regarding rankings, eligibility, matchmaking, championship status, and title recognition are final and binding by Kombat.

#### **16. Interim Championship Designation**

Kombat may designate an Interim Champion when necessary.



### **17. Mandatory Defense Upon Notice (Revised – No Time Limit)**

A reigning Champion must defend their title when officially designated by Kombat.

If Kombat schedules or calls for a Championship defense and the Champion:

- refuses to compete
- fails to respond within required timelines
- fails to execute bout agreements
- withdraws without valid medical justification
- or otherwise fails to participate

the Champion shall be deemed non-compliant.

Upon such non-compliance, the Champion shall lose the title.

Kombat reserves the right to:

- immediately strip the Champion of title status
- declare the title vacant
- or proceed with an alternative Championship bout

Medical injury verified by licensed physicians may be considered at Kombat's sole discretion.

However, inability to defend when required may still result in loss of title or interim designation. All determinations under this clause are final and binding.

### **18. Contractual Compliance**

Championship eligibility is contingent upon compliance with Kombat agreements.

### **19. Governing Law & Jurisdiction**

All matters shall be governed under the laws of Singapore unless otherwise specified.

### **20. Stripping of Championship Status**

Kombat may strip a Champion for violations including misconduct, inactivity, or breach.

### **21. Code of Conduct & Reputation Protection**

All participants must uphold professional standards. Violations may result in sanctions.

### **22. Media, Promotional & Commercial Rights**

Kombat retains rights to athlete likeness, content, and promotional materials.

### **23. Championship Lineage Recognition**

Kombat shall maintain official historical records of all Champions.

Only championships sanctioned under Kombat regulations shall be recognized as official.



## **24. Rankings Governance**

All rankings are administered exclusively by Kombat.

## **25. Official Kombat Title Belt Requirement & Sanctioning Authority**

Kombat is the sole sanctioning authority for all Kombat Championship Titles worldwide.

All official Championship Title Belts:

- Must be issued exclusively by Kombat
- Must be obtained through Kombat Corporate Office

Event organizers:

- Are required to use only official Kombat-issued Title Belts for any sanctioned Championship bout
- Shall not produce, replicate, or substitute any Championship belt

Any Championship bout, title, or belt:

- Not sanctioned by Kombat
- Or not using an official Kombat-issued Title Belt

**shall not be recognized as an official Kombat Championship under any circumstances.**

Kombat retains exclusive authority over:

- Title belt design and production
- Championship designation and recognition
- Official title lineage and records

## **26. Championship Belt Ownership & Return Clause**

All Kombat Championship Title Belts remain the sole property of Kombat.

A Champion:

- Is granted possession of the Title Belt during their championship reign
- Does not acquire ownership rights to the belt

Kombat reserves the right to require the return of any Title Belt at any time, including but not limited to:

- loss of title
- stripping of championship status
- replacement of belt design
- administrative or promotional purposes

Failure to return a Title Belt upon request may result in:

- legal action
- financial penalties
- suspension or disciplinary measures



## **27. Continental Rankings**

Kombat shall maintain separate Continental Rankings for:

- Asia
- Europe
- Africa
- Oceania
- Pan America

## **28. Continental Championship Eligibility**

For each continent:

- The Top Eight (8) fighters in each weight category shall be eligible
- Kombat may select fighters based on merit and event considerations

## **29. Relationship Between Continental and World Titles**

Continental Champions:

- May receive priority consideration for World Title opportunities
- May be required to compete in eliminators

Continental Titles do not guarantee automatic World Title contention.

## **30. Continental Title Status**

Continental Title Belts are recognized as:

- The highest regional achievement under Kombat
- One of the official pathways to World Title Belt Championships