Promoter License Requirements
A person may not promote or act as a promoter of boxing, mixed martial arts or entertainment wrestling until the person has been licensed. The following are requirements for licensure as a promoter:

2. Complete an application packet.
3. Payment of the annual license fee ($100.00 for each city in which the promoter plans to hold events or $500.00 for the entire state.)
4. File a corporate surety bond issued by a company authorized to do business in Oregon.

If an applicant does not possess the requisite qualifications for licensure or fails to comply with any licensure requirements, their application for a promoter's license may be denied.

Currently licenses for promoters are issued and renewed on an annual basis.

Surety Bond
A surety bond must be in place at the time of application. The amount is currently set at $10,000.00 for mixed martial arts promoters, or $5,000 for entertainment wrestling promoters, however if the circumstances of an event so require, the superintendent may increase the required bond amount.

The purpose of the surety bond is to guarantee certain obligations of the promotion are met. These include but are not limited to the following:

- Timely payment of all taxes and civil penalties due the State or its political subdivisions
- Payment to the State or political subdivision thereof which establishes liability against a promoter for damages, penalties or expenses arising from promotional activity
- Payment of the purse to competitors. Payment or reimbursement to the Superintendent of the cost of approval of an event canceled by the promoter without good cause
- Payment of compensation to inspectors, referees, timekeepers, judges and event medical personnel

Obligations of a licensed promoter

Taxes – 6% Gross Sales/Receipts: For the privilege of promoting in professional boxing, mixed martial arts or entertainment wrestling, a 6% tax is imposed upon the total gross receipts from the sale of tickets or other fees charged for admission to a professional boxing, mixed martial arts or entertainment wrestling event held in the
State of Oregon. Gross Sales/Receipts include money, credits, rights or other property received from the sale of tickets or other admissions, without any deductions.

**Gross Sales Tax Report; Payment Due:**
A written report shall be filed with the superintendent within 72 hours of an event. The report must include the following information:
- Number of tickets sold
- Number of complimentary tickets (comp)
- Price of each ticket category or other admission rights sold
- Total gross receipts for sales

Payment of the 6% tax is due upon filing of the report within 72 hours of an event.

The Superintendent may deny an application for a license, deny an application for renewal of a license, or issue a limited license subject to specified terms and conditions.