

Tyson Fury-Deontay Wilder III Heavyweight World Title Bout Postponed Due to COVID-19 Diagnosis

Rescheduled for Saturday, October 9 at T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas

LAS VEGAS (July 15, 2021) — The heavyweight trilogy showdown between WBC and lineal world champion Tyson "The Gypsy King" Fury and former world champion Deontay "The Bronze Bomber" Wilder — scheduled for Saturday, July 24 at T-Mobile Arena in Las Vegas — has been postponed due to Fury's positive COVID-19 diagnosis.

The two goliaths will now meet Saturday, Oct. 9 at T-Mobile Arena, and live on ESPN+ PPV and FOX Sports PPV, resuming one of the great rivalries in the division's storied history.

Tickets purchased for July 24 will be honored for the rescheduled date.

Fury vs. Wilder III tickets are on sale now and can be purchased at www.tmobilearena.com or www.axs.com. The event is promoted by Top Rank, BombZquad Promotions, TGB Promotions and Frank Warren's Queensberry Promotions. A Premier Boxing Champions presentation.

"I wanted nothing more than to smash the 'Big Dosser' on July 24, but I guess the beating will have to wait," Fury said. "Make no mistake, I will be back and better than ever. We will fight Oct. 9, and I will knock him spark out!"

"This is what we went to arbitration for," said Shelly Finkel, Wilder's manager. "He just wanted what was owed to him. He remains ready to reclaim his world title on Oct. 9."

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