

## Joel Julio To Fight Anges Adjaho After Antwone Smith Pulled Out With Injury

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Main Events CEO Kathy Duva today officially announced a new opponent for Joel Julio's May 20<sup>th</sup> welterweight bout. Julio (36-4, 31KOs) will take on Anges Adjaho, of Cotonou, Benin (Africa), 17-5, 9KO's. Antwone Smith was forced to withdraw from his fight against Joel Julio because of an elbow injury. For Julio this fight is particularly important because it will be his first test back at the 147 weight class.

Held in the intimate boxing club environment of Prudential Center's AmeriHealth Pavilion, Newark, New Jersey, the fight will be broadcast on ESPN 2, 9-11 pm EST. The Brick City Boxing Series fight is promoted by Main Events.

Local fighter favorites to be featured on the undercard include: Sadam "World Kid" Ali of Brooklyn, NY, 12-0, 7 KO's; Jose "Mangu" Peralta of Jersey City 6-1, 4 KO's; crowd-pleasing Vinny O'Brien of East Hanover, 2-0, 2KO's; Newark favorite, Angel Concepcion, 4-0; Bronx, NY's Joel Castillo, 8-0, 5KO's; and Tyrone Luckey of Middletown, NJ, 3-0,3 KO's.

Tickets are on sale now, \$100 for ringside and reserved floor seats, \$60 general admission bleachers and \$30 general admission standing. Tickets are available online through [www.ticketmaster.com](http://www.ticketmaster.com)

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