WHY HIGH GEAR?

We know real fights take place without sparring gear...but there are situations and phases in training where intelligently designed gear can provide a distinct advantage. Here are some of the training and tactical advantages of using HIGH GEAR:

• MISCONCEPTIONS ABOUT PROTECTIVE PADDING: HIGH GEAR uses ‘smart foams’ that allow for virtually full mobility and fluid shock transfer when struck. We’ve designed it to transfer energy & impact. In other words...you still get hit and feel it! But, it protects you from cuts and major bruising.

• GREATER CONTACT & POWER DEVELOPMENT: HIGH GEAR provides a distinct advantage by allowing combat athletes to generate more speed and intensity during training but without the normal risks associated with conventional sparring like bruising, cuts, and so on.

• UNSURPASSED MOBILITY: HIGH GEAR is so streamlined that athletes from any style can work almost all their tactics & techniques without the restrictions of bulky protective equipment.

• FIGHT ANALYSIS, ISOLATION & REPLICATION DRILLS: Coaches can study an opponent’s tapes and then have sparring partners wearing HIGH GEAR ‘replicate’ the attack while the athlete finesses the counter...over & over and at full speed and with serious contact! An unprotected sparring partner would never last as long.

• EXPERIMENTING WITH NEW TECHNIQUES: New tactics can be experimented with without the fear or risk of getting cut or caught.

• PROTECTING CUTS OR OTHER INJURIES: In the case of an accidental cut in training, HIGH GEAR can be used to protect both the sparring partners and the fighter so the fighters can continue to sharpen their skills as they peak for fight-night.

• RING GENERALSHIP: HIGH GEAR will improve confidence and therefore help generate a stronger performance and it will likely improve a contact fighter’s career longevity.

• ASSETS & INVESTMENTS: HIGH GEAR is a missing link that can help improve training intensity, refine technique under resistance, diversify tactics, as well as help fighters protect & heal injuries while continuing to train for events.

• THE POLITICS OF SAFETY: Integrating state-of-the-art protective gear sends a professional message regarding safety and preparation.