

FIRST MATCHUPS CONFIRMED FOR EFC 137

Godknows Ndlovu vs Lihle Ngamntwini and Bruce Mayasi vs Ash Zola officially added to the September fight card



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The first matchups for EFC 137 have been confirmed, with two exciting contests officially added to the card as the promotion begins unveiling the lineup for its Thursday, 10 September event in Johannesburg.

The latest announcement features two athletes training under former EFC champion Demarte Pena, as experienced flyweight Godknows Ndlovu takes on the technically gifted Lihle Ngamntwini, while featherweights Bruce Mayasi and Ash Zola collide in what promises to be an entertaining contest.

At 125 pounds, one of the EFC flyweight division's most experienced competitors returns to action as Zimbabwe's Godknows Ndlovu meets South Africa's Lihle Ngamntwini. A seasoned campaigner with six EFC victories to his name, Ndlovu has consistently tested himself against the division's top names and knows that a victory over Ngamntwini could propel him firmly into title contention.

Ngamntwini, meanwhile, was once one of the division's fastest rising contenders, putting together an impressive five fight winning streak to earn a place in the EFC Flyweight Grand Prix. Although his title ambitions were halted by eventual champion Tumelo Manyamala, the talented South African now has the opportunity to begin another run towards championship contention under the guidance of former EFC champion Demarte Pena.

The second matchup sees two featherweights who each have two EFC victories to their name looking to take another important step forward.

Mayasi announced himself in spectacular fashion at EFC 134 with a memorable third round knockout, showcasing the aggressive pressure and finishing instincts that make him one of the division's exciting prospects. Standing opposite him is Zola, who revived his career with an impressive victory over David Mambo at EFC 133 after enduring a difficult run of results. With both athletes searching for a third EFC victory, neither can afford to give ground in what promises to be a pivotal contest at 145 pounds.

Additional EFC 137 matchups will be announced throughout the week as the card continues to take shape.

EFC 137 takes place on Thursday, 10 September at the World Sports Betting EFC Arena in Johannesburg. Broadcast and ticket information will be announced soon at efcworldwide.com.

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