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My god, the drama. This fight was just amazing, as both men were putting it all on the line. Daniel Ghita looked sharp, but Rico Verhoeven came from out of nowhere and looked incredibly

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impressive, landing solid leg kicks that Ghita was having trouble defending. Both men were laying it all on the line and while no one touched the ground via a knockdown, both men were just on fire. You could easily argue that Daniel Ghita won a very close first round, but Rico won very close rounds 2 and 3.

Rico's leg kicks were landing more and more and while Ghita's head movement was on point, Rico still found a way to connect. Rico Verhoeven at the age of 24 has come such a long way, as just a few years ago he was extremely kick-heavy and fought a very wooden, stiff style. He is much more comfortable with his hands now and fights like an entirely different fighter. This fight could have gone two more rounds and no one would have complained and the action would have been just as good.

That says something.

Congratulations to Rico Verhoeven for securing his spot as the top Heavyweight in the world not named Semmy Schilt.