



CLOSED CAPTIONING
VIACOM MEDIA NETWORKS CERTIFICATION: 3rd Quarter 2019

This will confirm that the programming delivered by MTV, MTV2, MTV LIVE, BET JAMS, NICK MUSIC, TR3S, VH1, MTV Classic, BET SOUL, CMT, CMT MUSIC, NICKELODEON, NICKTOONS, NICK AT NITE, NICK JR., TEENNick, MTVU, TV LAND, LOGO, COMEDY CENTRAL, SPIKE TV, BET, BET HIP HOP, BET GOSPEL and CENTRIC during the 3rd quarter of calendar year 2019 (the "Current Quarter") was captioned in a manner consistent with the amounts, tolerances and exemptions set forth in Sections 79.1 and 79.4 of the rules of the Federal Communications Commission.

During the Current Quarter, MTV discovered that certain musical performances contained in the 2019 Video Music Awards (the "VMAs") that was aired live on August 26, 2019 were inadvertently captioned with music notes rather than song lyrics. This omission was attributable to the closed captioning vendor's inability to caption some of the musical performances in real time. Upon learning of the closed captioning issue, MTV notified the vendor and ensured that subsequent airings of the VMAs were properly closed captioned. In addition, MTV reviewed certain of its protocols to ensure that any live musical performance airing in the future would be properly and accurately closed captioned.

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