

Before the  
COPYRIGHT ROYALTY JUDGES  
Washington, D.C.

In the Matter of:

Determination of Rates and Terms for  
Making and Distributing Phonorecords  
(Phonorecords III)

Docket No. 16–CRB–0003–PR (2018–2022)

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**SPOTIFY’S PETITION TO PARTICIPATE**

Pursuant to 17 U.S.C. § 803(b)(1)(B), Section 351.1(b) of the Copyright Royalty Judges’ Rules and Procedures (37 C.F.R. § 351.1(b)), and the Copyright Royalty Judges’ January 5, 2011 Federal Register notice (81 Fed. Reg. 255-56), Spotify USA Inc. (“Spotify”) hereby petitions to participate in the above-captioned proceeding to determine the reasonable rates and terms for making and distributing phonorecords.

Spotify has a significant interest in the subject matter of this proceeding because it operates an Internet music service, for which it pays mechanical license fees pursuant to the Section 115 statutory license as well as other licenses with rates tied to the Section 115 license rate. Spotify expects to continue operating its service throughout the statutory term of the rates under consideration.

Spotify’s contact information, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 351.1(b)(1)(i)(A), is as follows:

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The applicable \$150 filing fee is submitted herewith.

Dated: January 29, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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