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In re:

**DISTRIBUTION OF CABLE ROYALTY
FUNDS**

**Docket No. 16-CRB-0009-CD
(2014-17)**

GLOBAL MUSIC RIGHTS, LLC'S NOTICE OF CONTROVERSY

Pursuant to the Scheduling Order and Notice of Voluntary Negotiation Period issued on April 5, 2021, Global Music Rights, LLC ("GMR") hereby notifies the Copyright Royalty Judges of the status of its ongoing negotiations in the above-captioned proceeding.

GMR has claims to cable royalty funds for the years 2016 and 2017 and has engaged in negotiations with other performing rights organizations to resolve the distribution of funds within the Music Claimants category. While negotiations are progressing, GMR has not reached a settlement with the other members of the Music Claimants nor other claimant groups. GMR remains optimistic that, with more time, it will be able to reach settlement with all other relevant parties. GMR will continue to engage in good faith settlement negotiations and will promptly notify the Judges when it has more information to report, including if and when any voluntary agreements are reached.

Dated: July 19, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, on this 19th day of July, 2021, a copy of the foregoing Global Music Rights, LLC's Notice of Controversy was filed electronically using eCRB, which will automatically provide electronic service copies to all counsel and pro se participants who are registered to use eCRB.

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I hereby certify that on Monday, July 19, 2021, I provided a true and correct copy of the Global Music Rights, LLC's Notice of Controversy to the following:

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