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GRAMMY[®] MOMENTS SET WITH MAREN MORRIS AND ALICIA KEYS; ANDERSON .PAAK JOINING A TRIBE CALLED QUEST; AND THE WEEKND WITH DAFT PUNK ON THE 59TH ANNUAL GRAMMY AWARDS[®]

Music's Biggest Night[®] — Hosted By James Corden — Airs Live On CBS, Feb. 12, 2017

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (Jan. 31, 2017) — The Recording Academy[®] has expanded its lineup for the **59th Annual GRAMMY Awards[®]** with a series of debuts and collaborations poised to make for some incredible GRAMMY[®] Moments. Holding four nominations, including Best New Artist, **Maren Morris** will perform with 15-time GRAMMY winner **Alicia Keys**, who received the Best New Artist award in 2002; two-time nominee and fellow Best New Artist contender **Anderson .Paak** will join legendary hip-hop group **A Tribe Called Quest**, who hold four previous GRAMMY nominations; and two-time GRAMMY winner and current nominee **The Weeknd** is set to perform with six-time GRAMMY winners **Daft Punk**. Today's round of artists join previously announced performers **Adele**, **John Legend**, **Bruno Mars**, **Metallica**, **Carrie Underwood**, and **Keith Urban**. Award-winning television personality and performer **James Corden** is set to host *Music's Biggest Night[®]* for the first time. Taking place at **STAPLES Center** in **Los Angeles**, the 59th Annual GRAMMY Awards will be broadcast live in HDTV and 5.1 surround sound on the **CBS Television Network**, **Sunday, Feb. 12, 2017, at 8 p.m. ET/5 p.m. PT**. Additional performers will be announced shortly.

Morris is nominated for four GRAMMY Awards this year: Best New Artist, Best Country Album (*HERO*), Best Country Song ("My Church"), and Best Country Solo Performance ("My Church").

.Paak is nominated for Best New Artist and Best Urban Contemporary Album (*Malibu*).

Two-time GRAMMY winner The Weeknd is currently nominated as a featured artist on Beyoncé's *Lemonade*.

The 59th Annual GRAMMY Awards are produced by AEG Ehrlich Ventures for The Recording Academy. Ken Ehrlich is executive producer, Louis J. Horvitz is director, Ben Winston is a producer, and David Wild and Ehrlich are the writers.

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