

DECLARATION OF MERCEDES STANLEY

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I, Mercedes Stanley, declare:

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1. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated below, and if called as a witness, I would and could testify competently to them.

2. I have known Mr. Rovier Carrington since 2010, and I am proud to call him a friend.

3. During our relationship, Mr. Rovier Carrington, who at the time went by the Stage name, "Trend Rovheir", confided in me that Mr. Brian Graden drugged, raped and recorded him when he was underage after the two met at MTV headquarters in Santa Monica, CA.

4. In June 2010, I was apart of the cast for the reality show "The Life of a Trendsetter", and I went to several meetings with an MTV representative, regarding the production of the show. I departed the show in the fall of 2010 to become a mother – and Mr. Carrington reshot the show with a new cast.

5. Mr. Carrington gained success after posting the Reality Show teaser onto Youtube.com.

6. Mr. Reno Logan of Paramount Pictures contacted Mr. Carrington the same day of the posting and requested they meet immediately at Paramount Pictures.

7. I soon discovered Rovier's time at Paramount Pictures was not much different than pervious occurrences with other Executives under Viacom. Rovier expressed he had been sexually assaulted by Sumner Redstone, as Sumner locked Rovier in a town car on the Paramount lot and fondled his penis in late 2010. Mr. Brad Grey had also sexually assaulted Rovier on numerous occasions starting in late 2010 through 2011, one assault being inside the Beverly Hills Hilton where Brad forced liquor down Rovier's throat before raping him in a suite above an after-party, – and lastly Harvey Weinstein, who raped Rovier inside the Peninsula hotel in Beverly Hills in early 2011.

8. When Mr. Carrington revealed this to me, he was extremely upset, crying, and did not know

1 what he should do. He stated he complained to Reno Logan and Shari Redstone, but nothing was
2 done. Sumner Redstone, Brad Grey and Mr. Logan told him, he would become blacklisted throughout
3 Viacom, and the entertainment industry, if he didn't start to play-the-game and remain silent.

4 9. In late 2017, I interviewed with Debra Birnbaum of Variety regarding the sexual assaults
5 committed by Brian Graden against Mr. Carrington. I confirmed to Debra that Brian raped, drugged,
6 and physically and emotionally abused Rovier over a decade's time. Debra asked me about Brian and
7 Rovier's working relationship, by which I explained Brian stole "Finding Prince Charming" from
8 Rovier and tried to buy his silence by producing Mr. Carrington's dark comedy, "Heiristocracy",
9 however, Brian became enraged and beat Rovier in September 2017 and blacklisted him. Debra
10 thanked me for my confirmation and said several others have confirmed Brian's misconduct.

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13 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, and under the laws of the
14 United States, that the foregoing is true and accurate.

15 Executed this __ day of October 2019.

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Mercedes Stanley, declarant.
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