

ENTERTAINMENT

Savo's Comp List

AUGUST 24, 1995
URBAN SINGLES

1. YOU USED TO LOVE ME - FAITH
2. BOOMBASTIC SHAGGY
3. BROWN SUGAR D'ANGELO
4. TIL YOU DO ME RIGHT AFTER 7
5. FEELS SO GOOD XSCAPE
6. HE'S MINE MOKENSTEF
7. FREEK 'N YOU JODECI
8. FEEL ME FLOW NAUGHTY BY NATURE
9. I CAN'T TELL YOU WHY BROWNSTONE
10. MY UP AND DOWN ADINA HOWARD
1. PUT YOUR BODY SEAN LEVERT
- WHERE YOUR MOUTH IS
2. PULL UP TO THE BUMPER PATRA
13. ONE MORE CHANCE / STAY WITH ME NOTORIUS B.I.G.
14. WATERFALLS T.L.C.
15. SOMETHIN 4DA HONEYZ-MONTELL JORDAN
16. ENJOY YOURSELF IMPROMPT2
17. HEAVEN SOLO
18. I WANNA LOVE LIKE THAT TONY THOMPSON
19. YOU ARE NOT ALONE MICHAEL JACKSON
20. WE MUST BE IN LOVE PURE SOUL
21. BROKENHEARTED BRANDY

Controversial "gangsta rap" label Death Row Records said Friday it sued Time Warner Inc., a black activist group and officials of both organisations, alleging racketeering and extortion.

The suit was the second one this week involving Death Row Records and Time Warner, which are at the centre of the controversy over violent and misogynistic rap lyrics.

Death Row is one of rap music's leading labels with multi-million selling acts Snoop Doggy Dogg and co-owner Dr Dre, whose real name is Andre Young.

In addition to Time Warner, Death Row's suit names company Chairman Gerald Levin, Warner Music Group and its chairman, Michael Fuchs, and the National Political Congress of Black Women and its chairwoman, C. DeLores Tucker, a leading critic of Death Row and its rap lyrics.

On Tuesday Death Row's distributor, Interscope Records, which is half-owned by Time Warner, sued Tucker for allegedly trying to wrest Death Row away from Interscope. Tucker, both suits alleged, wanted to curb Death Row's explicit output by absorbing the label into a record company she planned to form.

"Defendants Levin and Fuchs were in fact willing to aid and abet defendant Tucker's illegal financial coup provided that they would also provide defendant Time Warner sufficient cover from political and media criticism," Death Row's suit said.

A spokesman at Warner Music, the world's largest record company, said he had not seen Death Row's suit but believed it was completely without merit.

Time Warner already has weathered harsh criticism from such figures as Tucker and Senate Majority Leader Bob Dole and even from one of its own directors, Henry Luce III, for being involved with movies and music that portray violence.

The New York-based entertainment conglomerate has reportedly been trying to sell its stake in Interscope, which was co-founded by record producer Jimmy Iovine and investor Ted Field. Interscope has its own controversial artists, such as hard rock group Nine Inch Nails and jailed rapper 2Pac.

Death Row's suit, filed in U.S. District Court in Los Angeles, seeks unspecified damages for violations of the Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organisations Act as well as other violations of state and federal laws.

These include extortion, unfair business practices and abuse of process.

It essentially covers the same ground as Interscope's suit, which revolved around allegations that Tucker promised Death Row Chief Executive and co-owner Suge Knight that Time Warner would pay him \$80 million and build him two recording studios if he broke with Interscope.

If he refused, Tucker would get Time Warner to destroy Death Row and get the

government to send him to jail for the rest of his life, both suits alleged.

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By Sandi Bates



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