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Re:Sound Tariffs 3.B – Background Music (2021-2026), 5.A-J – Live Events (2016-2025) and 6.A – Dance (2019-2028)

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Status	Under Consideration
Hearing Type	To be determined
Collective Society	Re:Sound
Objectors	Hotel Association of Canada (HAC) Restaurants Canada
Case Manager	To be determined

Important Dates

Initiation Date	2025-03-14
Schedule of Proceedings	To be determined
Deadline for Final Submissions	To be determined
Deadline for Rendering Decision	To be determined
Decision Date	N/A

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Proposed Tariffs

Collective Society	Title	Notice of Grounds for Proposed Tariff	Filing Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	Publication Date (yyyy-mm-dd)
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	N/A	2018-03-29	2018-05-05
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	N/A	2021-10-14	2021-11-03
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.A – Recorded Music Accompanying Live Entertainment (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.A – Recorded Music Accompanying Live Entertainment (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.B – Receptions, Conventions, Assemblies and Fashion Shows (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.B – Receptions, Conventions, Assemblies and Fashion Shows (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11

Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.C – Karaoke Bars (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.C – Karaoke Bars (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.D – Festivals, Exhibitions and Fairs (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.D – Festivals, Exhibitions and Fairs (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.E – Circuses, Ice Shows, Fireworks Displays, Sound and Light Shows and Similar Events (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.E – Circuses, Ice Shows, Fireworks Displays, Sound and Light Shows and Similar Events (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.F – Parades (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.F – Parades (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.G – Parks, Streets and Other Public Areas (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.G – Parks, Streets and Other Public Areas (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.H – Sports Events (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.H – Sports Events (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.I – Comedy and Magic Shows (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.I – Comedy and Magic Shows (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.J – Concerts (2016-2020)	N/A	2015-03-30	2015-06-20
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 5.J – Concerts (2021-2025)	N/A	2019-03-28	2019-05-11

Re:Sound	Re:Sound 6.A – Use of Recorded Music to Accompany Dance (2019-2023)	Notice of Grounds for Proposed Tariff (2019-2023)	2024-03-06	2024-03-06
Re:Sound	Re:Sound 6.A – Use of Recorded Music to Accompany Dance (2024-2028)	Notice of Grounds for Proposed Tariff (2024-2028)	2022-11-11	2022-11-18

Objections			
Objectors	**Tariff Period**	**Notice of Grounds for Objection**	**Filing Date (yyyy-mm-dd)**
Hotel Association of Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-07-03
Hotel Association of Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	Statement of Objection (2023-2026)	2021-12-03
Restaurants Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-06-29
Restaurants Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	Statement of Objection (2023-2026)	2021-12-03
GoodLife Fitness Centres Inc.	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-05-29
GoodLife Fitness Centres Inc.	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	Statement of Objection (2023-2026)	2021-11-25
Fitness Industry Council of Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-06-26
Stingray Digital Group Inc	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-06-27
Stingray Digital Group Inc	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	Statement of Objection (2023-2026)	2021-12-03
CAPACOA	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Notice of Grounds for Objection (2021-2022)	2018-07-24

Retail Council of Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2021-2022)	Statement of Objection (2021-2022)	2018-07-04
Retail Council of Canada	Re:Sound 3.B – Background Music (2023-2026)	Statement of Objection (2023-2026)	2021-12-03
Hotel Association of Canada	Re:Sound Tariff 5.A, 5.B, 5.C – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-08
Restaurants Canada	Re:Sound Tariff 5.A, and 5.C – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-09
CAPACOA	Re:Sound Tariffs 5.A, 5.B, 5.D, 5.E, 5.I, 5.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2016-2020)	Statement of Objection (2016-2020)	2015-08-12
Federation of Calgary Communities	Re:Sound 5-A.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2016-2020)	Statement of Objection (2016-2020)	2015-08-12
Canadian Live Music Association	Re:Sound Tariffs 5.A, 5.B, 5.D, 5.E, 5.I, 5.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2016-2020)	Statement of Objection (2016-2020)	2015-08-19
Quebecor Media	Re:Sound 5-A.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2016-2020)	Notice of Grounds for Objection (2016-2020)	2015-08-19
Sports Objectors	Re:Sound Tariff 5.E, 5.H, 5.I, and 5.J (2016-2020)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2016-08-15
Canadian Live Music Association	Re:Sound Tariff 5.D – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-05-30
Retail Council of Canada	Re:Sound Tariff 5.B – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-08
Sports Objectors	Re:Sound 5-A.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-10
CAPACOA and Canadian Live Music Association	Re :Sound Tariffs 5.A, 5.B, 5.D, 5.E, 5.F, 5.I, 5.G, 5.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-10

Quebecor Media	Re:Sound 5-A.J – Use of Music to Accompany Live Events (2021-2025)	Statement of Objection (2021-2025)	2019-07-10
Hotel Association of Canada and Restaurants Canada	Re:Sound 6.A – Use of Recorded Music to Accompany Dance (2019-2023)	Notice of Grounds for Objection (2019-2023)	2022-12-16
Hotel Association of Canada and Restaurants Canada	Re:Sound 6.A – Use of Recorded Music to Accompany Dance (2024-2028)	Notice of Grounds for Objection – (2024-2028	2024-04-08

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Case Documents

#	Document Type	Party	Description	Confidentiality Designation	Filing Date (yyyy-mm-dd)
1	Email	Copyright Board Of Canada	Issuance of Ruling and Notice of Initiation of a Proceeding CB-CDA 2025-022	Public	2025-03-14
1.1	Notice	Copyright Board of Canada	Ruling and Notice of Initiation of a Proceeding CB-CDA 2025-022	Public	2025-03-14
2	Email	Re:Sound, Hotel Association of Canada and Restaurants Canada	Filing Joint Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-03-24

2.1	Attachment	Re:Sound, Hotel Association of Canada and Restaurants Canada	Joint Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-03-24
3	Email	Copyright Board of Canada	Issuance Notice CB-CDA 2025-027	Public	2025-04-09
3.1	Notice	Copyright Board of Canada	Notice CB-CDA 2025-027 - EN	Public	2025-04-09
3.2	Attachment	Registry	Schedule of Proceeding	Public	2025-04-09
4	Email	Re:Sound	Step of filing reply statements of case was excluded from Schedule of Proceeding	Public	2025-04-10
4.1	Attachment	Re:Sound	Schedule of Proceeding	Public	2025-04-10
5	Email	Re:Sound	Reply to updated Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-04-10
6	Email	Copyright Board of Canada	Explaining Update to Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-04-10
7	Email	Copyright Board of Canada	Issuance of Ruling CB-CDA-2025-022-Erratum	Public	2025-04-17
7.1	Attachment	Copyright Board of Canada	Ruling CB-CDA 2025-022 EN (Erratum)	Public	2025-04-17
8	Email	Copyright Board of Canada	Issuing Revised Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-04-25
8.1	Attachment	Copyright Board of Canada	Revised Schedule of Proceedings	Public	2025-04-25

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