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Metropolitan Theatres to Play a Limited Release of *The Interview*

Los Angeles, CA – Metropolitan Theatres Corporation ("Metropolitan") announced that it will play *The Interview* at the Arlington Theatre in Santa Barbara beginning Christmas Day at 10:45 PM. The film will also screen December 26 to 30, and January 1, at 11 PM. The Arlington is one of approximately 300 theatres in the U.S. where *The Interview* will open tomorrow.

Metropolitan president, David Corwin, stated, "We thought it was important to provide moviegoers the opportunity to see this controversial film where possible. The Arlington is the only theatre within our circuit where *The Interview* will play due to commitments made for other locations when Sony pulled the release last week. We do not support the day-and-date release of the film via video-on-demand or the Internet, but believe there are extraordinary circumstances in connection with this specific situation that will not be repeated."

About Metropolitan Theatres

Metropolitan Theatres is a fourth generation family owned theatre circuit with 18 locations and 98 screens in California, Colorado, Idaho, Utah, and British Columbia. For additional company information, please visit www.metrotheatres.com.

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