

EXHIBIT 17

for each video shall be consistent with the royalty payment to the WRESTLER at the time each individual video was first released.

→ (d) Royalties/Non Pay-Per-View Videos Sold By WCW: WCW shall allocate five percent (5%) of the Net Receipts paid to WCW with respect to the direct sale by WCW of all other WCW Video Products other than those set forth in paragraphs 7.5(c)(i) and 7.5(c)(ii) above, to a talent royalty pool, from which WCW shall pay WRESTLER and all other talent appearing in such WCW Video Products pro-rata among WRESTLER and all other talent so featured. For purposes of this paragraph 7.5(d), Net Receipts shall mean the gross amount received by WCW for the WCW Video Products. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if WRESTLER is deemed to be the "featured performer" as determined by WCW in its sole discretion, WRESTLER shall receive a bonus of an additional five percent (5%) of WCW's Net Receipts up to the sale of the first one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) units. Once sales exceed 150,000, WRESTLER as a featured performer shall receive ten percent (10%) of WCW's Net Receipts on all units sold, including the first 150,000 units. For example, the featured performer in the video entitled "Cause Stone Cold Said So" is "Stone Cold Steve Austin". If WRESTLER is part of a group that is determined to be the "featured performer", WRESTLER shall share pro-rata with each and every member of the group in any bonus monies that may be due in connection with such WCW Video Products.

7.6 In the event the Original and/or New Intellectual Property are used by WCW or licensed, sublicensed or assigned for non-wrestling personal appearances and performances such as personal appearances for advertising or non-wrestling promotional purposes, radio and television commercials, movies, etc., WRESTLER shall earn an amount to be mutually agreed to by WRESTLER and by WCW of the "Personal Appearance Net Receipts" received by WCW, which amount shall also be credited against WRESTLER'S Minimum Annual Compensation, if any. Personal Appearance Net Receipts means the amount received by WCW after payment of and provision for all of WCW's costs and expenses, except income taxes.

7.7 If WCW instructs WRESTLER to appear and perform in any Events or Programs as a commentator and/or to participate in post-Event production and/or voice-over activities as a commentator, WRESTLER's commentating shall be deemed work-for-hire and WRESTLER hereby assigns to WCW and WCW shall own all rights, in perpetuity, to all of WRESTLER's commentary and WRESTLER shall not be entitled to receive any royalty payments, or any additional compensation or residual payments whatsoever, as a result of WCW's commercial exploitation of such commentary in any form, whether broadcast programming, cable programming, pay-per-view programming, videotapes, videodiscs, the Internet or other mediums now or hereinafter discovered.

7.8 It is the understanding of the parties that WRESTLER shall not be paid anything for WCW's exploitation of the Original and/or New Intellectual Property in any of WCW's magazines or other publications, which WCW may publish, produce or distribute at arenas, at newsstands and/or by mail or through electronic or any other manner of media or distribution, now known or hereinafter discovered, including, but not limited to, publication or distribution on the Internet or America On Line.

7.9 If WRESTLER is unable to wrestle for eight (8) consecutive weeks due to an injury