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2008*

**This registration package must be returned in its entirety to be valid.**

Dear Contestant:

Welcome to "**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**" Contest brought to you by Slip-N-Slide records in conjunction with Atlantic Records and Def Jam Records.

Please read the enclosed materials carefully as they explain eligibility requirements (you must be a legal United States resident, or eligible to work in the United States), the rules governing this contest and information regarding location, dates, and times of auditions may be subject to change without prior notice.

The registration deadline TBA. Please make sure you are available for the entire contest schedule before registering. All completed forms and a nonrefundable registration fee of \$100.00 may be payable to Bossman Management through the following methods of payment (certified cashier's check, money order, cash in person, or pay pal)

Please do not send cash through mail.

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**P.O. Box # 190833**  
**Miami Beach Fl, 33119**

Contestants will be required to rap or sing a one to three minute song. Judges will then determine if you will advance to the 2<sup>nd</sup> round. On behalf of the producers and sponsors of this event, we wish you the best of luck on your journey to becoming "**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**".

Sincerely,

Ted Lucas,  
**President**  
**Slip-N-Slide Records**

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## ***“THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR”***

### CONTEST RULES

As a condition to being auditioned for the program, “**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**”, you hereby represent and warrant that the following Statements are true and correct and that you agree to the terms and conditions contained herein:

#### **Eligibility:**

- **No weapons, alcohol or non-prescription controlled substances will be permitted at any audition or during the competition.**
- You must be a legal U.S. resident or eligible to work in the United States. If you are under 18, you must have the consent to participate by your parent or legal guardian. “**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/R&B SUPERSTAR**” may change or impose additional eligibility requirements that are beyond the control of “**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**” organizers.
- You must bring a valid form of ID (for example, a driver’s license, or a birth certificate, state issued ID, and/or a passport, etc.).
- You are ineligible if you already have any type of talent representation (for example, a talent agent or manager) or a music recording contract, a merchandising contract, or any other contractual arrangement that would prohibit you from entering into a management contract, recording contract, talent contract and/or merchandising contract.
- Even if you are eligible, you may not have a chance to audition or be seen in that city because there is a limit to the number of people that can be auditioned. All eligible contestants

#### **Material:**

- Be prepared to bring your own material of your choice no longer than three minutes in length.
- The number of songs, the type of songs and individual titles are subject to the approval of “**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**”.

#### **Paperwork:**

- You will be required to fill out, sign and agree to all of the terms and conditions in our required forms. Some of the forms will be available at the audition locations. All forms must be filled out completely and truthfully. If you fail to complete any form, give any false information, or fail to reveal any pertinent information, you may be disqualified from the audition process.
- As you advance in the competition, you will be required to fill out, sign and agree to all of the terms and conditions of additional forms, including a talent management contract, recording contract and merchandising contract. You may

also be subject to a thorough background investigation and other examinations, at producer's discretion.

- If you are under 18 years of age, both you and your parent or legal guardian must sign each of these forms, and you and your parent or legal guardian must agree that the forms may be court approved.

### Locations, Dates and Time:

- Initial auditions are scheduled at local venues in your city. The time of these auditions are currently Saturdays from 8:00am – 8:30pm. The date and time of each contestant's audition will be scheduled on a first come first served basis however pre-registered contestants will be placed in top priority on the list (While every effort will be made to accommodate your preference, due to the number of contestants, your choice cannot be guaranteed.)
- These auditions are only open to the public and to the contestant.
- Please note that contestants must be available during these dates and times. However, these locations, dates and times are subject to change.

### The Process (Timeline):

- Contestants must pre-register for a date and time for the initial audition. Registration may continue at the event based on availability of time. Filling out an application does not guarantee an audition. Depending on the size of the crowd, you may not be seen or have a chance to audition in that city.
- An individual selected for the finals will be selected based on their talent, ability, look and style. A panel of judges will select a number of contestants from round 1 audition to move forward for final call backs.
- If you are one of the finalists selected for call back, we will give you additional details the day of.
- Please refrain from wearing any clothing items bearing designer or sports logo, bearing the name or likeness of a celebrity (living or dead), or any provocative or obscene apparel to any of the auditions.

### Opportunity:

- One finalist in each city will have a chance in becoming "**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**" a finalist in each city will be chosen to compete for a chance to win a recording contract with Slip-N-Slide, Def jam Records or Atlantic Records and an all expense paid trip to Miami, Florida (hotel accommodation per diem and local ground transportation for the final competition round) Any additional expenses and/or sales taxes are the responsibility of the winner. Compliance with all regulations is the responsibility of the winner. Winner must complete a request for taxpayer identification and a prize acknowledgement and release form.
- You are only guaranteed one audition in front of our judges. You will be judged under the criteria listed in the official "**THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR**" rules and will not receive preferential treatment for callbacks. Decisions for callbacks are made solely by the judges. Additional prizes may be awarded as made available by sponsors and will be announced as made available.

## Disqualifications:

- We reserve the right to disqualify and/or exclude, in our sole and absolute discretion, any individual from any of the auditions for any reason or for no reason at all, including without limitation, violation of any portion of these rules, or tampering with the entry process or the audition process. We also reserve the right to change the rules and procedures at any time. Being chosen to audition and/or compete at any level in the process does NOT ensure that you will be selected to continue to the next stage.

## General Conditions:

- By participating, entrants agree to be bound by these rules and regulations. The decisions Slip-N-Slide Records, the producers, the voting audience, and the panel of judges, which shall be final and binding. We reserve the right to use the auditioning process for publicity and other purposes, and to use the name and likeness of those who audition and who arrive to audition, including friends, family or any other individual accompanying the participant, as part of that publicity and for other purposes, without compensation unless prohibited by law. All federal, state and local laws apply. Dates and locations are subject to change. Slip-N-Slide Records, Def Jam Records, Atlantic Records, participating television stations, advertising agencies or any person or entity connected with the production, administration or judging of the auditions or the program, or any of their respective parent companies, affiliates, subsidiaries, agents or representatives are not responsible for and shall not be liable for: any failure of transportation, bad directions, or inability for any reason to appear at an audition site or audition or appear before the judging panels; any injuries, losses or damages of any kind caused by participating in the auditioning process or being selected to or disqualified from continuing in the auditioning process and/or the show; or any printing, typographical or technological errors in any materials associated with the auditioning process. All decisions made by management have the right to change the rules at any time for any reason. No purchase is necessary. Void where prohibited. All federal and state regulations apply. On behalf of Slip-N-Slide records, Atlantic Records and Def Jam Recordings and our sponsors, we wish all contestants the best of luck in becoming this year's "**Next Hip-Hop/ R&B Superstar.**"

\*\*\*\*Reminder Please bring track that you are performing day of event along with (3 -8x10 photos or full page) photos of yourself or group. Provide us with the track that you are performing on a single CD. PLEASE DO NOT SEND IN MUSIC. Please keep music as clean as possible. For all Checks and Money orders make payable to: **Bossman Management**



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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Artist/Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Act: \_\_\_\_\_ City you are attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date (m/d/yr): \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read, understand and agree to all the **"THE NEXT HIP-HOP/ R&B SUPERSTAR"** Rules above.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

IF THE ABOVE INDIVIDUAL IS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 YEARS, THE PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN OF SUCH PERSON SHOULD ALSO SIGN BELOW.

I hereby warrant that I am the parent and/or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, the individual who signed the foregoing agreement ("the Minor") that I have caused said Minor to execute said agreement, that I will not instruct, authorize or permit said Minor to disaffirm the foregoing agreement, and that I will indemnify and hold harmless the Released Parties (as defined in the Agreement) against all claims, liabilities, and expenses with respect to said agreement, and that, knowing of producer's reliance hereon, I agree to cause said Minor to adhere to all of the provisions of said agreement. I agree that I will be responsible for the conduct and well-being of said Minor at all times during said Minor's participation in the program, if any. In addition, I agree to cooperate with Producer in having this agreement and any past or future agreements entered into by the Minor in connection with the program approved by the applicable court and I hereby waive notice and any opportunity to Appear and be heard in connection with any such proceedings.

Signed (parent/guardian): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

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