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FONTANA NORTH SCORES SEVEN MUCHMUSIC VIDEO AWARD NOMINATIONS

May 31, 2006, Toronto, ON -- Fontana North is pleased to announce that they have received seven 2006 MuchMusic Video Award (MMVA) nominations in their first year of business. Alias Donmillion and Neverending White Lights both earned their first ever MMVA nominations, while Gold-selling artist Massari returns to the MMVAs for a second year, this time with a total of five nominations.

Massari

Best Director (RT!) for “**Be Easy**”
Best Cinematography for “**Be Easy**”
Best Pop Video for “**Be Easy**”
Best Independent Video for “**Be Easy**”
Favourite Canadian Artist for “**Real Love**”

Alias Donmillion

MuchVibe Best Rap Video for “**Dirty Dot**”

Neverending White Lights

Best Independent Video for “**The Grace**” feat. **Dallas Green**

Part of the MapleCore group of companies (MapleMusic Recordings, Open Road Recordings, Maplemusic.com), Fontana North is the result of a partnership between leading Canadian independent music distributor MapleNationWide and Fontana Distribution, the U.S.-based independent distribution arm of the Universal Music Group and its Universal Music and Video Distribution (UMVD). Based in Toronto, Fontana North provides full marketing, promotional and publicity support, a nationally dedicated sales force and access to the U.S. marketplace to artists and labels worldwide. Current roster includes Bad Taste Records, Dangerbird Records, Audio Research, Instant Live, Rec Room and Quango Music Group, as well as Gold-selling artists Massari and Theresa Sokyrka.

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