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NARRATIVE

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>CLIENT</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>JOB DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DIRECTOR</u>	<u>DATE</u>
8	MAN MAKES A PICTURE	FEATURE FILM	DOP	<u>HAROLD HOLSCHER</u>	2018
CUT AND RUN	BRAVO ZULU PRODUCTIONS	SHORT FILM	DOP	<u>PORTEUS XANDAU</u>	2017

SHORTS

<u>TITLE</u>	<u>CLIENT</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>JOB DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>DIRECTOR</u>	<u>DATE</u>
BOURNVITA	AFRICAN FIXER	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2024
IONIQ	EGG	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2023
DANONE	MEDIA MONKS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>MARKUS STORM</u>	2022
BARNI	SPARKY	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022
ARIEL	PATRIOT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022
ALBIE SACHS	ROBOT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022
GAME	TRIPLE STORY	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>JOHNNY COHEN</u>	2022
NANDOS	TOGETHER	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>BEVAN CULLINAN</u>	2022
OLD MUTUAL	MASTARS AND SAVANT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022
DEICHMANN	NORTH SOUTH PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022
WOOLWORTHS	PRETTY NEAT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2022

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WOOLWORTHS	PREDITOR	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
CONFIDENTIAL	CHILL PILL	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>DULE</u>	2021
DECADES	BRAVO ZULU	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
WOOLWORTHS	PREDITOR	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
MEATABLE	GROUNDGLASS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
COKE	PICTURE TREE	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>RICHARD TRUTER</u>	2021
DEICHMANN	NORTH SOUTH PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
X605	EURO CONNECTION	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PIZZA HUT	PRETTY NEAT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
WOOLWORTHS	PRETTY NEAT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
WOOLWORTHS	PANTHER	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PNP	ROBO	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>GREGG BAILEY</u>	2021
PIZZA HUT	PRETTY NEAT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PARMALAT	OLA	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>AMY</u>	2021
DIRECT AXIS	MASTERS AND SAVANT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PNP	ROBOT	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>PAUL RAEMEMA</u>	2021
PAMPERS	EYE LOVE FILMS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
DEICHMANN	NORTH SOUTH PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PEPCO	FIRST PENCIL	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PAMPERS	PLATE PICTURES	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
VIRGIN ACTIVE	PREDITOR	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
TRISS	BIG PICTURE	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
MCDONALDS	TRIPLE STORY	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
PURITY	BEATROUTE	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
SANRAL	OLAMUK	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>MZI KUMALO & MICHAEL RODRIGUES</u>	2021
PEPCO	FIRST PENCIL	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2021
MUKURU	7 FILMS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>NDUMISO</u>	2021

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WOOLWORTHS	PREDITOR	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
BOATHOUSE	ROBOT	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
DEMO	BRAVO ZULU	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
BEACHES	BRAVO ZULU	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>AMY</u>	2020
ORAL B	BRAVO ZULU	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>PORTEUS XANDAU</u>	2020
PIZZA HUT	SKETCHBOOK STUDIOS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>GLEN BIDERMAN PAM</u>	2020
ROYAL POST	TRIPLANE	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>WIM</u>	2020
TASTIC	BEATROUTE	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>ANDREW</u>	2020
REUBENS	OLA	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2020
CLAUSTHALER	GROUNDGLASS	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2019
EMIRATES	ROLLING THUNDER	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2019
DEGREE	BIG PICTURE COMPANY	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2019
S. OLIVIER	GROUNDGLASS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>MICK DE LINT</u>	2019
CERELAC	VIDEO LOUNGE	COMMERCIAL	DOP		2019
OK	SKETCHBOOK STUDIOS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>GLEN BIDERMAN PAM</u>	2019
CHECKERS	BIOSCOPE	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>RIO ALLEN</u>	2019
BETTER BOND	BRAND ET AL	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>WIM STEYTTLER</u>	2019
PAMPERS CHINA MASSTIGE	NEW LIFE FILMS CHINA	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>PORTEUS XANDAU</u>	2019
PAMPERS CHINA ICHIBAN	NEW LIFE FILMS CHINA	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>PORTEUS XANDAU</u>	2019
SUBWAY SWEDEN	MADE FOR DIGITAL	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>MADS BAEKKEVOLD</u>	2019
TEMPER	WITH MILK PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>AMBER FRANSSEN</u>	2019
INFINIX	BOUNCEBOARD PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>MEJI ALABI</u>	2019
KINDERJOY	OLA	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>AMY ALLAIS</u>	2019
LUX SOUTH AFRICA	HAPPY CAT FILMS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>OLIVIER VENTURINI</u>	2019
AXE	CHILL PILL FILMS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>DULE ANICIC</u>	2019
NESPRESSO AUSTRALIA	BRAVO ZULU PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>PORTEUS XANDAU</u>	2018
ALWAYS EUROPE	BRAVO ZULU PRODUCTIONS	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>CHRISTINA HODNET</u>	2018
FENISTIL EUROPE	ORANGE	COMMERCIAL	DOP	<u>NICOLE ACKERMAN</u>	2018