



Cinedigm's Upcoming Release **THE CALL** Gets Nationwide Theatrical & Drive-in Release on October 2

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From the Creator of *FINAL DESTINATION*

LOS ANGELES--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Sep. 25, 2020-- Four Friends. One Phone Call. 60 Seconds to Stay Alive. In the fall of 1987, a group of small-town friends must survive the night in the home of a sinister couple after a tragic accident occurs in **THE CALL**. Needing only to make a single phone call, the request seems horribly ordinary until they realize that this call could change their life...or end it. This simple task quickly spirals into terror as their worst nightmares become reality as they enter the realm of **THE CALL**.

This spine-tingling tale stars horror icons Lin Shaye (*Insidious* franchise, *Ouija*) and Tobin Bell (*Saw*, *Jigsaw*), along with Chester Rushing (*Stranger Things*), Erin Sanders (*Big Time Rush*) and Judd Lormand (*SEAL Team*). **THE CALL** opens exclusively in theaters and drive-ins nationwide October 2 from Cinedigm (NASDAQ: CIDM).

Shaye is best known for her role of Elise Rainier from the worldwide box office hit franchise **INSIDIOUS**. She's also starred in a variety of horror films including **THE GRUDGE**, **OUIJA**, **THE FINAL WISH** and Showtime's **PENNY DREADFUL: CITY OF ANGELS**. Bell is best known for his role in the **SAW** franchise playing the terrifying role of John "Jigsaw" Kramer in all 8 movies.

"Pairing Tobin and Lin, or Saw's Jigsaw and Insidious' Elise Rainier as they're known to horror fans around the world, brings so much terror to the screen," said Emmy® Nominated Director Timothy Woodward Jr. "Their chemistry is undeniable, and the power of their scenes splinters off, creating this dark, macabre world these characters are forced to survive in."

Directed by Woodward Jr., **THE CALL** was written by Patrick Stibbs and produced by *Final Destination* creator Jeffrey Reddick, Stibbs, Zebulun Huling, Gina Rugolo and Randy J. Goodwin. Executive Producers include Nicolas Chartier, Jonathan Deckter, Matthew Helderman, Joe Listhaus, Drew Ryce, James Shavick, Kirk Shaw and Luke Taylor. Co Producers include James Cullen Bressack and Chaysen Beacham.

Official Trailer: <https://youtu.be/dWvBCmPKrv0>

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