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Columbia Pictures Industries, Inc.

TRAFFIC BULLETIN -- APRIL 21, 2009

To Whom It May Concern,

Columbia Pictures is currently in production of the upcoming feature film entitled *Salt*. In the coming weeks, we will be filming on various sections of the I-787 & Route 20 interchange and connecting ramps and roadways in downtown Albany. Filming work will require carefully planned road closures and detour routes to be implemented.

Columbia Pictures has been working closely with the City of Albany, the New York State Department of Transportation, the New York State Police and the New York State Governor's Office of Film to develop road closure and traffic detour plans. A Highway Work Permit has been issued to Columbia Pictures by the NYS Department of Transportation.

When working on weekdays, main arteries to and from Empire State Plaza will be open during peak morning and evening commuting hours. We have scheduled a significant amount of work on weekends in order to minimize our impact on weekday traffic. **All closures and detour routes will be clearly marked and signed in advance. PLEASE REFER TO THE INFORMATION BELOW FOR DETAILS ON SPECIFIC RAMP CLOSURE HOURS.**

The current filming work schedule and road closures and detours are as follows:

(Please note the dates below are subject to change due to inclement weather and or unforeseen changes in the production schedule.)

FILMING WORK DATES & HOURS:

Thursday, April 23 – ROAD CLOSURES 9A – 4P:

- **Outbound Plaza Ramp to I-787 North**
(Ramp to I-787 South will be OPEN)
- **Exit 3 I-787 Northbound**
 - **Ramp to Empire Plaza**
(NOTE: Ramp to Empire Plaza will remain closed overnight on Thursday night)
 - **Ramp to Route 20 East**
- **Exit 3A I-787 Southbound**
 - **Ramp to Route 20 East**
(Ramp to Empire Plaza will be OPEN)

Friday, April 24 – ROAD CLOSURES 9A – 4P:

- **Outbound Plaza Ramp to I-787 North**
- **Exit 3 I-787 Northbound**
 - **Ramp to Empire Plaza – 24 HOUR CLOSURE**
(NOTE: Ramp to Empire Plaza will remain closed overnight)
 - **Ramp to Route 20 East**
- **Exit 3A I-787 Southbound**
- **Water Street Ramp to Routes 9 & 20 and to Empire Plaza**
- **Ramp from Routes 9 & 20 to I-787 South**

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FILMING WORK DATES (cont.):

Saturday, April 25 & Sunday, April 26 – ROAD CLOSURES: Approx. 6A – 8P

- **Outbound Plaza Ramp to I-787 North**
- **Exit 3 I-787 Northbound**
- **Exit 3A I-787 Southbound**
- **Water Street Ramp to Routes 9 & 20 and to Empire Plaza**
- **Ramp from Routes 9 & 20 to I-787 South**

Intermittent Traffic Control (ITC) Work:

- **Water Street between Colonie & Pine Streets**

Monday, April 27 – ROAD CLOSURES: VARIED (see below)

- **Outbound Plaza Ramp to I-787 North -- 9A – 4P**
- **Exit 3 I-787 Northbound**
 - **Ramp to Empire Plaza – 9A – 8P**
 - **Ramp to Route 20 East – 9A – 4P**
- **Exit 3A I-787 Southbound – 9A – 8P**
- **Water Street Ramp to Routes 9 & 20 and to Empire Plaza – 9A – 8P**
- **Ramp from Routes 9 & 20 to I-787 South – 9A – 8P**

ROAD CLOSURES FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE FILMING DATES SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, APRIL 30 THROUGH MONDAY, MAY 4 WILL BE CONFIRMED IN A SUBSEQUENT BULLETIN.

Alternate / Rain dates: Thursday, May 14 through Monday, May 18

Please be aware both City and State Police will be present on all of the above dates to assist with safety and traffic flow. **In accordance with State & Federal regulations, all detour routes will be clearly marked and signed. Variable Message Boards and DOT advisories will alert motorists in advance of closures.**

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us at our Albany production office at 518-860-1137.

Thank you,
The Locations Department