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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: BEN SMITH, DRUMMER FOR HEART JOINS ROADCASE ROYALE, A NEW BAND LED BY NANCY WILSON AND LIV WARFIELD

ROADCASE ROYALE, a new band led by **Nancy Wilson** of HEART and former PRINCE Vocalist **Liv Warfield** features three other HEART band members; **Ben Smith** on Drums, **Chris Joyner** on Keys, and **Dan Rothchild** on Bass, as well as guitarist **Ryan Waters**, who's worked with SADE and INDIA IRIE among many others, and has been Liv's musical partner for many years.

ROADCASE ROYALE's song, "GET LOUD", debuted January 21th following the "Concert for America: Stand up, Sing out!" and at the women's march in Austin. Their next live performance will be March 25th at the "Rock Against MS Benefit Concert and Award Show," in Los Angeles.

The Band's official video for "Get Loud" was released exclusively by *Rolling Stone Magazine* on March 8th, featuring videography by Neal Preston. The video can be seen on the ROADCASE ROYALE website www.roadaseroyale.com or on YouTube at www.youtube.com/watch?v=TQxgiRa1DQs

According to Ben, "ROADCASE ROYALE is a new project, it's not replacing HEART. We are all excited to explore new and soulful sounds with this band; it's going to 'Get Loud!'"

In addition to ROADCASE ROYALE, Ben has been busy recording in the music studio and production business he started in 2014, "BEN SMITH MUSIC COMPANY." He has recently recorded tracks with Dos Manos, Carl Funk, DreamWreck, Andy Stoller, Brooke Lizotte, and many more.

If that wasn't enough to keep him busy, as a "First Call" drummer, Ben can be found playing in recording studios in LA, NY, Seattle and on any given night with DREAMWRECK and newly formed band, THE STONE CUTTERS. Check out www.bensmithmusicco.com and www.roadcaseroyale.com for upcoming gigs or catch him on Facebook: www.facebook.com/BenSmithMusicCompany to find out what's happening next!

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