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**SAMUEL GOLDWYN FILMS ACQUIRES US & LATIN AMERICAN RIGHTS TO
CORY BOWLES' FEATURE DEBUT *BLACK COP*
STARRING RONNIE ROWE JR.**

Los Angeles, CA (**February 6, 2018**) – Samuel Goldwyn Films announced today that the company has acquired US and Latin American rights to Cory Bowles' Psychodrama **BLACK COP**. The film had its world debut at the Toronto International Film Festival and has won multiple awards at festivals in Canada and the US. **BLACK COP** stars Ronnie Rowe Jr. (TV's *StarTrek: Discovery*) and Sophia Walker (TV's *12 Monkeys*).

It's not easy being a black cop. For one officer already struggling between duty and moral obligation, things take a drastic turn when he is profiled by his colleagues off-duty, pushing him over the edge. Armed with the power of his badge, an antagonizing radio show for company, and some good old-fashioned rage, the stage is set for a whirlwind day filled with vendetta and just desserts, as *Black Cop* targets the community he's sworn to protect.

"*Black Cop* is not only a thrilling ride but a cutting satire that delivers a strong message," says Samuel Goldwyn Films' President Peter Goldwyn. "We are excited to get the audience in the cruiser."

"We are more than excited to be teaming up with Samuel Goldwyn films for *Black Cop*'s release in the US. The response on the festival circuit has been electric, and to have the piece continue its journey to a wider audience, is more than the entire team could have hoped for.

BLACK COP was written and directed by Cory Bowles. The film is produced by Aaron Horton and executive produced by Terry Greenlaw.

The deal was negotiated by Peter Goldwyn of Samuel Goldwyn Films and Will Lowery at APA Agency on behalf of the filmmakers.

ABOUT SAMUEL GOLDWYN FILMS

Samuel Goldwyn Films is a major, independently owned and operated motion-picture company that develops, produces and distributes innovative feature films and documentaries.

The company is dedicated to working with both world-renowned and emerging writers/filmmakers and committed to filmed entertainment that offers original voices in uniquely told stories. This is best exemplified by the Academy Award® nominated *SUPER SIZE ME*; Sundance winner *GOOK* written and directed by Justin Chon; the critically acclaimed feature debut by Francis Lee *GOD'S OWN COUNTRY*; SXSW winner *MOST BEAUTIFUL ISLAND*; the high-school drama *BLAME* directed, written, and starring Quinn Shephard; and LGBTQ musical drama *SATURDAY CHURCH*. Upcoming films include *ALLURE* starring Evan Rachel Wood; Warwick Thornton's Australian western *SWEET COUNTRY* starring Sam Neill, Bryan Brown, and Hamilton Morris; and the Wim Wenders film, starring James McAvoy and Academy Award winner® Alicia Vikander, *SUBMERGENCE*.

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