

Spoken Response:

The last few months have been a difficult time for Dustin Oakmont. After the release of his single in June, Roc Nation Recording made claims that Dustin had stolen lyrics, background music and an album title from a recently signed artist. Dustin Oakmont has denied all allegations of music plagiarism. Dustin claimed, "Roc Nation was a collaborative environment and I am not aware of anyone having the lyrics, album title or background music." At this time, Dustin and his attorneys are working closely with Roc Nation Recording to resolve the situation in a civil manner. Once resolved, Dustin hopes to have his music available on Tidal and Spotify for his fans to once again enjoy.

Four days after the suspensions, Dustin Oakmont was involved in an altercation with three photographers resulting in two needing immediate medical attention. After an evening out with friends, Dustin assaulted the photographers after continued harassment. He has admitted that he is fully responsible for the assaults attributing increasing media pressure and a night out with friends. Dustin has said, "This is not the person I am and I am working hard to make better decisions for my life and future." Dustin has since reached out to a close friend to help him address his issue with drinking. He believes this uphill battle will not only help him better develop as an entertainer but also as a person.

Written Response:

In recent months, Roc Nation Recording has claimed that Dustin Oakmont stole lyrics, background music and an album title from a recently signed artist. All allegations of music plagiarism have been denied by Dustin Oakmont. Oakmont claims, "Roc Nation is a collaborative environment and I am not aware of anyone having the lyrics, album title or background music." Dustin Oakmont along with his attorneys are currently working to resolve the issue with Roc Nation Recording.

Four days after having his music suspended from Tidal and Spotify, Dustin Oakmont was involved in the assault of three photographers. Two of the photographers received immediate medical attention. After an evening out with friends, Dustin assaulted the photographers after continued harassment. He has admitted that he is responsible for the assaults, and he has attributed them to increasing media pressure and a night out with friends. Dustin has said, "This is not the person I am and I am working hard to make better decisions for my life and future." Dustin has reached out to a close friend to address his issue with drinking. Through careful instruction, Dustin believes he can better develop as an entertainer but most importantly a person.