## EXCLUSIVE: LEAKED FOOTAGE OF FAMOUS FACES AHEAD OF ROTTERDAM AWARDS

Ahead of this evening's star-studded event in Rotterdam exclusive <u>footage</u> has been leaked revealing some of the world's most famous faces preparing for their moment at tonight's red carpet event.

The footage claims to show household names like Drake, Justin Bieber, and Ed Sheeran, to name a few, in <u>King Kong</u> hostel. Whilst there Drake appears to take advantage of his private room and practices his iconic 'Hotline Bling' dance and Bieber shares a bath with Ed Sheeran who goes on to take full advantage of the hostel bar!

Speculation is rife as to why these 'stars' have opted for a hostel but it's rumoured that the privacy, anonymity, security and the lure of a free walking tour of the city played a big part in their decision making.

It remains to be confirmed whether the footage, released by <u>Hostelworld</u>, is in fact related to the 2016 MTV EMA awards, but such a coincidence is unlikely... probably.

Otto Rosenberger, Hostelworld CMO, said: "After 50 Cent's stay in a Barcelona hostel it comes as no surprise to see these famous faces following suit ahead of arguably the most prestigious awards night for these particular guests. They are savvy enough to know that hostels offer all the style and amenities without breaking the bank, meaning you don't have to be a star to live like one."

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Hostelworld Group is the leading global hostel-booking platform with Hostelworld, Hostelbookers and Hostels.com in its portfolio operating in 19 different languages. Connecting young travellers with hostels around the world, Hostelworld has over 8 million reviews across 33,000 properties in more than 170 countries.

Hostelworld's customers aren't your average tourists; they crave experiences not souvenirs and want to be in the heart of the action. They want to Meet The World, and it's the social nature of hostels that facilitates their travel adventures.

The Hostelworld Group went public in November 2015, listing on the main London and Dublin stock exchanges. Headquartered in Dublin, Hostelworld has offices around the world in London, Shanghai,

Sydney and Seoul, and was recently recognised as a Best Workplace for 2016 by the Great Place To Work Institute.