# **VIACOMCBS**

# Q4&2019 EARNINGS

February 20, 2020



# **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

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# **NON-GAAP FINANCIAL MEASURES**

This presentation contains certain non-GAAP financial measures. We provide reconciliations of these non-GAAP financial measures to the most directly comparable GAAP financial measures in the body of this presentation, in our Form 8-K announcing our earnings results, which can be found on the SEC's website at <a href="www.sec.gov">www.sec.gov</a> and our website at <a href="ir.viacbs.com">ir.viacbs.com</a>, or in our trending schedules, which can be found on our website at <a href="ir.viacbs.com">ir.viacbs.com</a>. We are unable to provide reconciliations of forward-looking guidance to GAAP financial measures as, at this time, we cannot determine all of the adjustments that would be required.

This presentation is a supplement to, and should be read in conjunction with, ViacomCBS's earnings release for the quarter and full year ended December 31, 2019.

# **VIACOMCBS: MOVING QUICKLY**

- Significant progress integrating and transforming ViacomCBS in less than three months
  - Organizationally Best-in-class management team and consolidated structure in place
  - Operationally Starting to execute as a combined entity in a meaningful way
  - Financially Already realizing cost synergies; increasing annualized run-rate savings target to \$750M
- Transitional Q4 included merger-related expenses and operating items expected to be mitigated through benefits of combined company
- Strategic vision, 2020 priorities and financial targets demonstrate power of combined company
  - Growth expected across all revenue lines and operating segments
- Commitment to long term shareholder value creation
  - Through strong free cash flow generation
  - Creation of new assets, including in streaming
  - Accretive divestiture of non-core assets, beginning with Black Rock

# VIACOMCBS: A CONTENT POWERHOUSE

- ViacomCBS is one of the largest content producers and providers in the world
  - Content production and library spans genres, formats, demographics and geographies
  - Highly desirable position given unprecedented content demand from consumers and third parties
- Flexibility to monetize content in a variety of models across owned and third-party platforms - a distinct competitive advantage
  - Allowing the company to serve the largest addressable audience, creating new opportunities to grow brands and IP
  - Accessing the largest potential revenue pool
  - Balancing free cash flow generation and asset value creation

# **VIACOMCBS: 2020 PRIORITIES**



Unlock Value from Biggest Revenue Lines

Accelerate Momentum in Streaming



# **MAXIMIZE POWER OF CONTENT**

# LEVERAGE CONTENT ACROSS LARGER ASSET BASE AND BETTER ALIGN SPEND WITH GROWTH POTENTIAL

#### **WORLD-CLASS LIBRARY FILLED WITH HIT FRANCISES**

3,600+ FILMS

140K+ TV FPISODES

**S13B+** CASH CONTENT SPFND

1.5B+ SOCIAL FANS & FOLLOWERS











#### STAR TREK EXAMPLE







## **SERIES**









#### Put full power of company behind biggest priorities

- Focus on global, cross-company franchise management
- Utilize massive promotional platform

#### Apply more rigor to content mix, investment and returns

- Prioritize content investment across portfolio
  - Increase spend in growth areas streaming and studio production
  - Maintain spend on linear
- Improve ROI through mix shift and crosscompany utilization

#### For example, at Showtime:

- Evolve mix beyond strength in scripted dramas
- Leverage ViacomCBS brands to cost-efficiently attract and retain subscribers, e.g.
  - Bring first window of a special season of RuPaul's Drag Race to Showtime
  - Rebrand Showcase network as SHO\*BET. featuring African American scripted programming

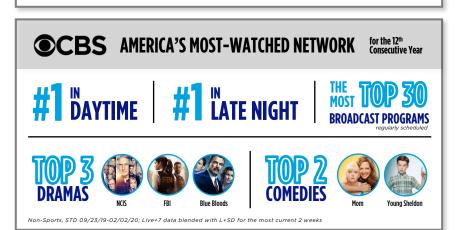


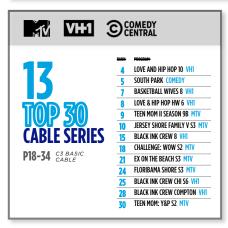
# 2 UNLOCK MORE FROM REVENUE LINES

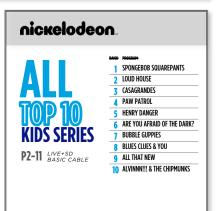
## TRANSLATE EXPANDED PORTFOLIO AND LEADERSHIP POSITIONS INTO INCREMENTAL REVENUE GROWTH



Share of Total Viewership







#### Distribution

- Must-have content applied to proven partnership model
- Paramount's growing success critical to film ecosystem

#### Ad Sales

- Must-buy for advertisers with clear U.S. leadership across linear and digital
- Scaled advanced advertising offering with massive inventory of premium digital video

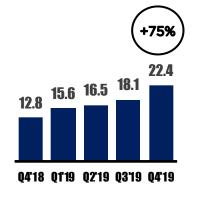
#### Content Licensing

- Extensive library of IP; incremental opportunities packaging film and TV with one unified sales force
- Growing third-party studio production
  - Profitable business with virtually no risk
  - Builds library value in economically efficient way

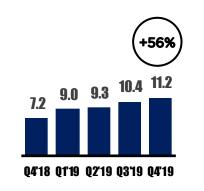
# **3** ACCELERATE MOMENTUM IN STREAMING

## BUILD ON STRONG AND UNIQUE FOUNDATION TO CREATE ROBUST PORTFOLIO





#### STREAMING SUBSCRIBERS (Domestic, in millions)



#### DOMESTIC STREAMING & DIGITAL VIDEO REVENUE (\$\sin \text{billions})



#### Sizable domestic streaming & digital video business today

- \$1.6B in revenue, up 60% y/y
- 22M+ domestic MAUs at Pluto TV, up 75% v/v
- 11M+ domestic streaming subscribers, up 56% y/y
- Strong domestic growth expected in 2020
  - 35-40% revenue growth with ~30M MAUs and ~16M streaming subscribers
  - Making early strides to expand internationally
- Building a streaming ecosystem with Free, Broad Pay and Premium
  - Free and Premium already in place with Pluto TV and Showtime OTT
  - Evolving CBS All Access to serve Broad Pay segment
    - Introduce "House of Brands": Nick, MTV, BET, Comedy Central, Smithsonian and Paramount to join CBS
    - Expand on existing differentiated strengths: live and on demand, local, news, sports and entertainment
    - Compatible offering with evolving distribution landscape



# FINANCIAL RESULTS



# **REPORTING SEGMENTS**

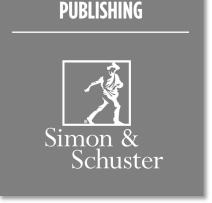
# **COMPREHENSIVE FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE BY SEGMENT AND TYPE**

2019 RESULTS: REVENUE \$27.8B/ ADJUSTED OIBDA\* \$5.5B



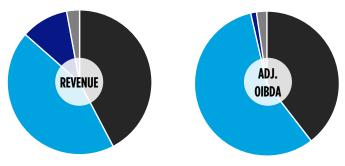






#### 2019 REVENUE - BY TYPE (\$s in millions) REVENUE Y/Y Advertising \$11,074 +2% Affiliate 8.602 +3% Content Licensing 6.483 +5% (1%)**Publishing** 814 Theatrical 547 (26%)Other 292 (3%)+2% Total Revenue \$27.812

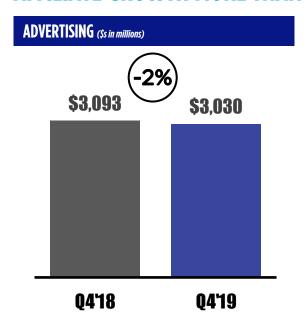
## 2019 REVENUE & ADJUSTED OIBDA — BY SEGMENT (\$s in millions)



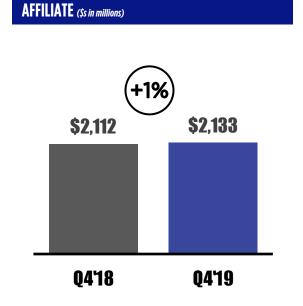
|                              | REVENUE  | Y/Y  | ADJUSTED OIBDA | Y/Y   |
|------------------------------|----------|------|----------------|-------|
| TV Entertainment             | \$11,924 | +8%  | \$2,443        | (1%)  |
| Cable Networks               | 12,449   | (2%) | 3,515          | (19%) |
| Filmed Entertainment         | 2,990    | +1%  | 80             | NM    |
| <ul><li>Publishing</li></ul> | 814      | (1%) | 143            | (7%)  |

# **QUARTERLY REVENUE**

# AFFILIATE GROWTH MORE THAN OFFSET BY LOWER POLITICAL AND TIMING OF LICENSING

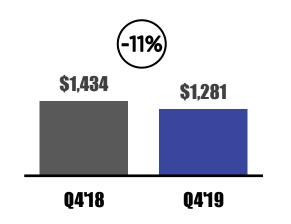


- Total company advertising revenue declined 2%
- Strong streaming ad revenue growth was more than offset by lower political spending
- Lower political spend resulted in a 300bps+ headwind to advertising growth in the quarter



- Total company affiliate revenue grew 1%
- 25% growth in reverse compensation and retransmission, as well as strong subscription streaming revenue, more than offset declines in the pay-TV landscape



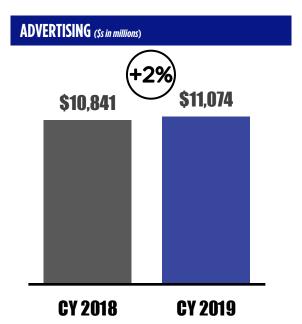


 Content licensing revenue declined 11% due to the timing and mix of deliveries

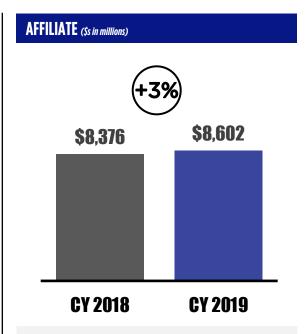


# ANNUAL REVENUE

# HEALTHY GROWTH ACROSS ADVERTISING, AFFILIATE AND CONTENT LICENSING

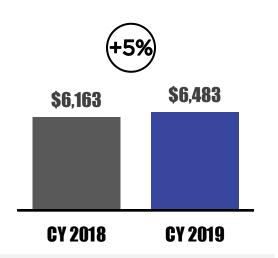


- Total company advertising revenue grew 2% including ~100bps of F/X headwind
- Domestic advertising was up 5% as strong ad revenue from the Super Bowl and the NCAA Final Four & Championship games was partially offset by lower political ad spend



- Total company affiliate revenue grew 3%
- 20% growth in reverse compensation and retransmission, and strong subscription streaming revenue, more than offset declines in pay-TV subscribers

#### **CONTENT LICENSING** (\$s in millions)



 Growth in content licensing was driven by higher thirdparty production licensing and increased monetization of library content



# **ADJUSTED FREE CASH FLOW**

# **EXPECT SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENT IN 2020 AND 2021**

- 2019 Adjusted FCF was \$1.24B
- Path to significant improvement in 2020 Adjusted FCF to \$1.8-\$2.0B, with additional growth in 2021

|                         | 2019   | 2020   | 2021   |
|-------------------------|--|--|--|
| CONTENT<br>SPEND        | Content strategy was<br>not optimized within<br>and across divisions as<br>one company   | Reprioritizing content<br>within and across<br>divisions                       | Incremental working capital benefits as content strategy evolves |
| FILM & TV<br>PRODUCTION | Increase in 2020 film slate and third-party production results in use of working capital | More modest volume ramp of films and studio production in 2020 and beyond      |  |
| CASH TAXES              | Higher cash taxes vs.<br>2018, which included<br>non-recurring benefit                   | Pursue opportunities to continually improve tax strategy                       |  |
| SYNERGIES               | Merger closed Dec. 4   | Cash conversion from \$600M (of \$750M total) integration related cost savings |  |

# GUIDANCE 2020 OUTLOOK AND BEYOND

| 2020 Guidance                                  |             |                         |
|--|-------------|-------------------------|
|  | 2019 ACTUAL | 2020 GUIDANCE           |
| Revenue  | \$27.8B     | Mid-single-digit growth |
| Domestic Streaming & Digital Video Revenue (1) | \$1.6B      | 35-40% growth           |
| Domestic Streaming Subscribers                 | 11M         | Approx. 16M             |
| Domestic Pluto TV MAUs                         | 22M         | Approx. 30M             |
| Cost Synergies                                 | NM          | Approx. \$250M          |
| Adjusted OIBDA*                                | \$5.5B      | \$5.8B - \$6.1B         |
| Adjusted Diluted EPS*(2)                       | \$5.01      | \$5.15 - \$5.50         |
| Adjusted FCF*(3)                               | \$1.2B      | \$1.8B - \$2.0B         |

| Long-Term Guidance   |        |
|--|--------|
| Annualized Run-Rate Cost Synergies (achieved over 3 years) | \$750M |
| Debt/ Adjusted OIBDA* (4)                                  | 2.75x  |

Notes: \* See page 2 for information regarding non-GAAP financial measures. (1) Domestic streaming & digital video revenue includes streaming subscription revenue and digital video advertising. (2) Adjusted Diluted Earnings Per Share (EPS) from continuing operations attributable to ViacomCBS. (3) Adjusted FCF excludes restructuring, costs to achieve synergies and merger-related costs. In 2019, payments for restructuring and merger-related costs were \$366M. (4) Target Debt to Adjusted OIBDA includes benefit from full run-rate synergies. NM refers to not meaningful.































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