**FPB – CLASSIFIER’S REPORT**

**TITLE: Sordid Lives**

**GENRE: Gay, Comedy**

**CLASSIFICATION DECISION Film : 16SLVN**

**CLASSIFICATION DECISION Trailer : 16VDN**

**Format : Digital**

**Director : Del Shores**

**Language : English**

**Cast : Olivia Newton John, Beau Bridge**

**Running Time : 111**

**Year : 2000**

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**Synopsis**

In this cult classic comedy from writer-director Del Shores, a gay West Hollywood actor returns home to his small Texas town for his grandmother’s funeral. As we meet the three generations of his dysfunctional family, the hilariously trashy truth of their “sordid lives” is revealed.

**Classifiable Elements**

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| **Sexually Related Activity** | Men touching each other naked, |
| **Substance Abuse** | Alcohol, Cigarette smoking, |
| **Language** | Frequent |
| **Violence** | Two women barge into a bar with guns and threaten to shoot the men, man walks into a room and shoots gun into the ceiling |
| **Nudity** | Penis, breasts |

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| **Cumulative Impact (element, sound, lighting, techniques)** |
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**INFORMATION ABOUT CLASSIFIABLE ELEMENTS IN THE FILM:**

**Mandatory Classifiable Elements**

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| **LANGUAGE** | **13** |
| **NUDITY** | **16** |
| **PREJUDICE** |  |
| **SEXUALLY RELATED ACTIVITY** | **16** |
| **VIOLENCE** | **16** |
| **SUBSTANCE ABUSE** |  |
| **SEXUAL VIOLENCE** |  |
| **HORROR** |  |
| **IMITABLE ACTS (IAT)** |  |
| **CRIMINAL TECHNIQUES (CT)** |  |
| **COMPETITIVE INTENSITY (CI)** |  |

**VOLUNTARY CLASSIFIABLE ELEMENTS**

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| **BLASPHEMY** |  |
| **PHOTO/PATTERN SENSITIVITY (PPS)** |  |