**FPB – CLASSIFIER’S REPORT**

**TITLE: Blackmail Boys**

**GENRE: Gay, Romance Thriller**

**CLASSIFICATION DECISION Film : 18SLVND**

**CLASSIFICATION DECISION Trailer : 18DS**

**Format : Digital**

**Director : Bernard Shumanski**

**Language : English**

**Cast : Nathan Adloff, Taylor Reed**

**Running Time : 68**

**Year : 2010**

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**Synopsis**

After moving to Chicago for art school, Sam (Nathan Adloff) begins turning tricks to help pay the bills. His long-time, long-distance boyfriend Aaron (Taylor Reed) can’t stand to be apart and joins him, determined to find enough work so that Sam can give up having sex for money. When the two decide to tie the knot and move to a state where they can marry, their financial worries intensify… until Aaron spies on Sam with a prominent client (played by acclaimed indie filmmaker Joe Swanberg), and everything takes a wicked turn.

**Classifiable Elements**

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| **Violence** | Man is stabbed in the stomach. |
| **Language** | Frequent. |
| **Sexually Related Activity** | Man masturbates. Kissing. Man fellates another man. Sexual intercourse. Man masturbates another man. |
| **Nudity** | Penis. Buttocks.  |
| **Substance Abuse** | Smoking drugs. Man buys drugs from another man. Man offers drugs to another man. |
| **Blasphemy** | Moderate. |

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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** | **18** |
| **NUDITY** | **18** |
| **PREJUDICE** |  |
| **SEXUALLY RELATED ACTIVITY** | **18** |
| **VIOLENCE** | **13** |
| **SUBSTANCE ABUSE** | **16** |
| **SEXUAL VIOLENCE** |  |
| **HORROR** |  |
| **IMITABLE ACTS (IAT)** |  |
| **CRIMINAL TECHNIQUES (CT)** |  |
| **COMPETITIVE INTENSITY (CI)** |  |

**VOLUNTARY CLASSIFIABLE ELEMENTS**

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| **BLASPHEMY** | **13** |
| **PHOTO/PATTERN SENSITIVITY (PPS)** |  |