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## **CMG seals French, Scandinavia deals on *Darryl Hunt***

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Ed Noeltner's Cinema Management Group has closed deals on the Oscar shortlisted wrongful imprisonment documentary *The Trials Of Darryl Hunt*.

Rights have gone to France (Free Dolphin), Scandinavia (Noble Films), Portugal (Filmes Unimundos) and Iceland (Sena Films).

Annie Sundberg and Ricki Stern's film is attracting strong interest from buyers in Spain, Australia and Japan; it will be released in North America through THINKFilm in association with HBO Documentary Films.

"The film is gaining momentum with the buyers due to the heightened visibility it's been getting in the press," Los Angeles-based Noeltner said.

"Of course the competition is fierce this year, but then it all comes down to the emotional impact your film makes with the nominating committee and we feel *Darryl Hunt* will win hands-down in that category".

*The Trials Of Darryl Hunt* chronicles the 20-year struggle to free a black teenager wrongfully arrested in 1984 for the rape and murder of a young white woman.

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