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There are several questions asked that I am neither qualified or interested in answering. The bottom line is the governments over site of ASCAP and BMI has trumped any intended purpose for such scrutiny. These two organizations control, with the help and blessing of the federal government, all access to music, to which they have no creative participation in what so ever. No other group of artists are subjected to this process, painters, sculptors, authors, none, are required to operate under such a system. Rate court; how much of that money goes the artists and how is that even legal in free society that prides itself on a free market system? Free market to steal someone else's property and profit from it. I know they sign contracts, just short of having a gun to their heads.

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