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# MYDEAL GIVES AUSSIES A REASON TO SHIMMY IN NEW BRAND CAMPAIGN VIA 72ANDSUNNY, SYDNEY

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Leading Australian online marketplace, MyDeal, has today announced its biggest ever brand campaign with the new tagline, 'MyDeal it!'. The campaign is set to a unique version of the iconic Devo track 'Whip it', and was created in collaboration with creative agency 72andSunny to give Australians the 'MyDeal feel'.

The integrated brand campaign launched on Sunday, October 24th, just two months after MyDeal revealed its bold new brand identity. Tapping into MyDeal's mission to promote a positive ecommerce experience, the 'MyDeal it!' campaign emanates the emotion of the 'MyDeal feel', the feeling of happiness and joy when finding a great product and brand at a great price.

Says Ryan Gracie, chief marketing officer, MyDeal: "Everyday thousands of shoppers need it, want it, MyDeal it; that's what makes MyDeal one of Australia's leading online marketplaces. With over six million home and lifestyle products and close to one million active customers, MyDeal delivers a great shopping experience and that's what we wanted to capture in this campaign – it's that "MyDeal for."

"72 and Sunny only won the account on 3rd September, so building the campaign became a race against time. Final production finished up on Friday 22nd October and the TV ad first aired on prime-time television on Sunday evening. We can't thank the 72 and Sunny team enough for the creativity and hard work that went into making something great."

Featuring Aussies doing the MyDeal Shimmy to a unique version of the iconic Devo track 'Whip it', the TVC will be complemented by a cross-channel campaign with ads rolling out across radio, out of home, BVOD, YouTube and social channels.

Commenting on the choice of soundtrack, Gracie says: "We aren't the first and won't be the last to recognise how perfect Devo's track Whip It is. The energy and the emotion this song conjures up fits perfectly with what we want our customers to feel. We want to put a smile on the faces of Australian shoppers, not just by offering a great product at a great price, but throughout the entire shopping journey. We want them to give a little shimmy, move their shoulders, crack a grin and feel good about shopping with MyDeal."

Client: MyDeal
Chief Marketing Officer: Ryan Gracie
Head of Brand & Loyalty: John Barkle
Creative: ?zandSunny Australia
Production: Rolla Films
Sound/music design: Otis Studios
Media: Ryval
Campaign Management Consultants: Trinity P3







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With both New South Wales and Victoria in lockdown, the entire creative process from pitch to production was completed via video  $conferencing\ with\ the\ Melbourne\ based\ MyDeal\ team\ working\ alongside\ 72 and Sunny's\ Sydney\ based\ creative\ team\ remotely.$ 

Says Luke Martin, executive creative director, 72andSunny: "Online shopping plays a special role in people's lives, even more over the last couple of years. It's an incredibly emotional experience that literally fills us with joy – releasing dopamine when we find something we like, especially at a great price. We wanted to bring that feeling to life."













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( Gross. says:

The awful singing just makes this painful to watch.

O Roberto says:

Squarespace want their ad back

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E=MC2 says:

MyDeal it Can I zip it?

We DoorDash

Reply

Can I Zip this? says:

At a time when they really need to craft a brand for themselves, they go out and look exactly like every other digital brand Reply

(b) Howsit says:

Love a bit of levity in retail. Excellent little tune too. (b) Sheesh says: Wow another magic Ad that made itself.... the nice guy says: Does anyone know who directed these? I reckon the director and production company did a great job! 10/10 set design. Probably worth a mention in the press release? (I) Money talks says: How did Devo allow their song to be ruined so badly? Where's the credits says: Ya Scoundrels Reply **O** Tod Flanders says: Ow! My freakin' ears! (b) Shimm mmmy says: Wow. Listen to the negative nancy pants – or not. This will get the kids dancing, and that's job done. O roberto needs a clue says: Is this your lame response to every ad that has ever had dancing in it? Hah. You dunce. Reply Love it! says: I love the original and think this is super fun! The guy with the cat! (b) BAD says: Reply (1) Absolute Ear-worm says: This'll definitely generate stickability in peoples minds, much more than most ads do these days. dguy says: Nice piece of work – putting the joy back into shopping. Simples O Tonythepony says: Love it - great song and time for some retail therapy Reply (b) Big time ear worm says: It's an absolute ear worm of a track and will stick in consumers memory for sure. That's achieving more than most ads do these days. Reply **O** Lockdowners says: Bit of fun, I love it! A nice bit of positivity on the airways. Reply (Impressed says: Retired now but that timeline of start to air does not make me miss the industry. Impressive stuff! Reply U It's like Catch says: But not as catchy. MyFail. (I) Annoying says: I hate that I love it. (I) Here's the thing says: It's just like every other dancing ad. It's just like so many other things not just in its category but outside it. 'My deal it' does not rhyme with 'whip it' and even if it did, so what. Zip it, whip it, menulog.... Reply (I) Airtasker meets Flybuys says: It's nice and catchy, yeh – but what's it for? Is it like ebay where you can sell your old stuff and get a great deal. Or like Airtasker  $where you can {\tt get} someone {\tt to} come {\tt do} your cleaning? {\tt Just} {\tt don't} {\tt know}. {\tt Then} {\tt the} {\tt next} {\tt ad} {\tt comes} {\tt on} {\tt and} {\tt I've} {\tt forgotten} {\tt to} {\tt care}. {\tt on} {\tt on$ Reply Oone before says: To everyone saying what a catchy tune, It's memorable, An earworm. Your comments are undermined by the very words of the CMO: "We aren't the first and won't be the last to recognise how perfect Devo's track 'Whip It' is.

what says: are they selling? (srs) Reply

CHEP called... says: Latitude want their art direction back

Exactly.
Reply

Neil says: Like it. Reply	
@CHEP called says: Latitude is derivative of Euro art direction who want their art direction back. Reply	
What they selling? says: looks like klarna. Sounds like zip it. Feels rushed Smells bland Reply	
Not impressed says:  Hate that they're advertising on tv/radio at all.  Please people read the independent product reviews for MyDeal before you buy anything!!  Worst customer service ever!!!!!  Like taken to court change their company name sellers still on their platform and no care factor what so ever from MyDeal. No phone number you can call, all via their bug ridden self help/rarely interactive online service.  Save yourself the heartache, not to mention \$\$. Stick with eBay/ Catch etc  Reply	
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