



Artists In Transition

This is a listing of ARTISTS that previously recorded for a major company, and that are now looking for a new situation. This 'new situation' may be more than just another record deal, making other interested parties (ad agencies, film& TV music supervisors, mobile distributors, etc.) aware of their availability.

The Ataris

Formerly: Columbia/Sony, Sanctuary- After a series of indie album releases, the band moved to Columbia in 2003 and then moved to Sanctuary in 2007. With current changes at that label they are now open to a new situation.

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Countri Boi

Formerly: TVT- This Dallas based rapper, working with producer Young GEM, recently signed with TVT, then the label had its current problems
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Daughters Of Mara/ Shawn Zuzek

Formerly: Virgin- This hard rock/metal band out of Los Angeles was signed to Virgin, but are now unclear on their recording situation.
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Great Glass Elevator

Formerly: Atlantic- California based Alt. Rock band, signed to Atlantic in 2006 just before their A&R contact left the company. Now with strong local following.

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Ty Herndon

Formerly: Epic, Titan Pyramid- After his first #1 hit "What Mattered Most" in 1995, TY then had a series of Top 10 Country hits through the 90's. He then released a "Greatest Hits" album in 2002 and a Christmas album in 2006.

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Lumidee

Formerly: Universal, TVT- Singing & rapping in Spanish Harlem at age 12, she had her 1st hit "Never Leave You(Uh-Oooh)" at age 19- After LPs "Almost Famous"(2003)& Unexpected(2007), her "Queen Of Spanish Harlem" is now available

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Jerrod Niemann

Formerly: Category 5- After writing hits like "Good Ride Cowboy" for Garth Brooks and other major Country artists, Jerrod got a deal with Category 5, but the label fell apart, and he is now open to a new situation.

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The Shins

Formerly: Sub Pop- Guitar driven Pop group with songs in the 2004 film 'Garden State,' in 2007 they reached #2 on the Billboard Albums Chart. Now releasing new LP on James Mercer's own Aural Apothecary label.

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Tracii Guns/LA Guns

Formerly: Polydor, Shrapnel- Heavy Metal guitarist who formed Brides Of Destruction with Nikki Sixx and the original LA Guns, is now back in the studio with legendary producer Steve Thompson

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The following is an alphabetical list of ARTISTS IN TRANSITION listed in **New On The Charts** this year, with an indication as to which monthly issue the act was initially noted.

- 2Cents - 03/08
- The 5 Browns - 03/08
- 8MM - 06/08
- A.I. - 06/08
- Aimee Allen - 01/08
- Steve Arrington - 02/08
- Astra Heights - 03/08

- The Ataris - 07/08
- Marty Balin - 01/08
- Russ Ballard - 04/08
- Crunchy Black - 06/08
- Blood Meridian - 03/08
- Martin Briley - 01/08
- Chuck Brown - 01/08

- Bucks Fizz - 02/08
- Bushwick Bill - 05/08
- Daniel Cage - 01/08
- J.J. Cale - 05/08
- Brian Chatton - 02/08
- Happy Chichester - 02/08
- Chilliwack - 04/08

- Chthonic - 04/08
- Copeland - 03/08
- Countri Boi - 07/08
- Peedi Crakk - 05/08
- Warren Cuccurullo - 01/08
- Trick Daddy - 05/08