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Tracy Chapman v. Nicki Minaj: Commercial Purposes Can be Fair Use, but Minaj May be 'Sorry'

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Tracy Chapman recently sued Nicki Minaj for copyright infringement, after Minaj sampled part of a Chapman song. Minaj won a partial summary judgement motion on fair use grounds. A win for Nicki Minaj? Not so fast…