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SOUND BITES

Putting 'Paper' Rumors to Bed

SCREED YOU: We were thrilled to see that **Martin Kihn** in New York magazine said we "screed" our way into "The Paper." Hey! Let us tell you one thing, Babe — if we were gonna scree our way into anything, we wouldn't have screed our way into a cameo! We wudda screed our way to the top!...**DIRECTED COMMENT:** **Mike Nichols** directed **Jack Nicholson** in the film "Wolf," in which Nicholson is slowly transformed from a human to a wolf after being bitten by one. (Is this possibly why we are developing facial hair?) Said the veteran director to our source: "None of us could really imagine this film without Jack because he's sort of halfway towards being a werewolf to begin with." It is why we are developing facial hair!...**LOCATIONS:** Miramax