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STATEMENTS REGARDING AARON JUDGE WINNING THE 2025 AL MVP AWARD

FROM YANKEES SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT & GENERAL MANAGER BRIAN CASHMAN:

"Aaron has been playing in rarified air for much of his career. His devotion to his craft, his continuous pursuit of excellence, and the importance he places on being a teammate who can be counted on help define his legacy just as much as his three MVP Awards.

"He is a once-in-a-generation player who embodies so much of what is good about our game. Aaron is being celebrated again tonight, and rightfully so. He has blossomed into one of sports' greatest superstars."

FROM YANKEES MANAGER AARON BOONE:

"I know I say this often when meeting with our media throughout the season, but I don't ever want to become desensitized by the consistency and the enormity of his accomplishments. It's becoming increasingly difficult for me to use words to capture how good he is. He's just playing at a higher level, and has been for quite some time.

"It has been an absolute privilege to watch Aaron's ascension. He's already fashioned a career that matches up with the all-time greats. I see it every single day – and I think it's critical to acknowledge the work that Aaron puts in to maintain this inconceivable level of excellence as a player.

"While we are in awe of everything he does between the lines, he is beloved in our clubhouse for how he embraces his role as captain, prioritizing the needs and success of the team above himself. I am thrilled to see Aaron acknowledged again in this way. Congratulations AJ!"

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