ROUND 1 INTERVIEW: VIJAY SINGH

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Q. Open up with your thoughts on how it went out there today.

VIJAY SINGH: It was a rough day, very slow start. My iron play was very iffy. I had a lot of opportunities to get it close but I never did. I kind of hung in there, and a couple birdies at the last, two of the last three holes kind of helped me under par. So that's 3 under, that's okay, I guess.

Q. Vijay, you almost weren't playing here depending on the weather in West Virginia. What's it like to be here with the crowd and what did you think of the course today?

VIJAY SINGH: A lot of crowd. The golf course is really tough. I'm surprised they're scoring so low, but obviously they know the golf course better than me. You've got to drive the ball straight. If you drive the ball in play you have a lot of birdie opportunities. It's in great shape, and two more days to go and I'm in good position to get myself in there close by Sunday.

Q. Like you said, kind of got off to a slow start. How important was it to finish with a birdie right there?

VIJAY SINGH: I wanted to and I hit a good drive and pretty decent second shot close to the hole. Hit a nice putt. 3 under, it's always nice to shoot in the 60s. I think the leader is 7 under so there's a long ways to go.