ROUND 2 INTERVIEW August 18, 2018

MICHAEL BRADLEY (-11)



Q. How did it go for you?

MICHAEL BRADLEY: You know, pretty good round. Didn't drive it quite as well today as I did yesterday, still drove it pretty good. Limited my mistakes, hit some good shots, and I just kind of -- that old saying, I haven't really beaten myself the last couple days, which is rare for me. Looking forward to tomorrow. Hopefully, the weather's going to hold up and it'll be a good day. Try to put on a good show.

Q. (No microphone.)

MICHAEL BRADLEY: It's tough when you get delayed, delayed, delayed, the tee times get pushed back. That makes it tough because we're so kind of routine oriented. I feel like I'm going at this time, then it gets pushed back, then gets pushed back. So it kind of -- some deal with it better than others, but it kind of messes with you a little bit. It turned out okay.

Q. (No microphone.)

MICHAEL BRADLEY: It's very difficult even at our age. And it's supposed to be fun and easy and enjoyable, but we're all still competitive and we all want to play well and we all have nerves. You know, still have those little gremlins and demons sitting on your shoulder and running through your head. Yeah, just because we're older doesn't mean we still don't get nervous.

Q. What do you need to do to make sure you're in the same spot this time tomorrow night?

MICHAEL BRADLEY: I need to drive it well and I need to make some putts. If I drive it good tomorrow, I make a few putts, I might have a chance, simple as that.

Q. Did the course dry out pretty well for you?

MICHAEL BRADLEY: Yeah, the course dried out pretty well. The greens are obviously soft. Been hitting a lot of soft handed shots in there trying to keep the spin off it because they're spinning so much. But given Mother Nature, the course is great.

Q. What part of your game do you think you've been able to simplify the last two days to be able to be in the lead right now?

MICHAEL BRADLEY: Again, driving the ball well and not beating myself, making some

putts when I needed. I would say that was probably the combination so far. Usually we're always out there throwing shots away, three-putting, making a bogey from the middle of the fairway with a wedge, just something stupid. But I've limited my mistakes the first two days. Hopefully, I can do that for another day.

Q. Your last lead in the last round? Last time you led?

MICHAEL BRADLEY: Jeez, I don't know. Probably one of my last ones on Tour would be my guess.

Q. (No microphone.)

MICHAEL BRADLEY: Are we ever comfortable? We're all going to be -- we're going to be nervous, we're going to have butterflies. You want to play well, but at the end of the day just try to go out and try to execute. That's all you can do, just try to execute. It's not life or death. God, it would be great to win or have a good finish, but at the end of the day it's not life or death. Life's going to go on whether I shoot 65 or 82 tomorrow, life's going to go on.