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Posted by [weary flake](#) on Mon, 11 Aug 2014 16:14:30 GMT
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Subject: Re: closed captions added to XXX set
Posted by [Chris "Sampo"q](#) on Tue, 12 Aug 2014 09:08:49 GMT
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In article <2014081109143045098-wearyflake@hotmailcom>, weary flake <wearyflake@hotmail.com> wrote:

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Posted by [weary flake](#) on Wed, 13 Aug 2014 15:43:47 GMT
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On 2014-08-12 09:08:49 +0000, Chris \"Sampo\" Cornell said:

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Oh yeah, the DVD of The Movie is subtitled, I forgot about that.

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Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Sun, 16 Nov 2014 16:12:25 GMT
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Originally posted by: Andrew Morris

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It might actually just be Netflix obeying the law. If I read it correctly, there are new FCC rules coming out that say that anything that was previously broadcast more traditionally has to be captioned when it goes out on an Internet stream. Whether that strictly applies to MST3K, I don't know, but probably so.

Once it's been captioned for Internet streaming, it's probably harder to purge the captions than to just leave them in (as subtitles) when it's time to go to DVD. So, they go there, too. I wouldn't be at all surprised to see this coming up more and more over time.

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Andrew "Retro-Man" Morris
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Subject: Re: closed captions added to XXX set
Posted by [Anonymous](#) on Thu, 11 Feb 2016 21:33:22 GMT
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Originally posted by: SubBot

On Monday, August 11, 2014 at 12:14:30 PM UTC-4, weary flake wrote:

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Not sure if my previous post made it...

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