## ROUND 1 INTERVIEW September 18, 2019



## **CAMERON BECKMAN (-7)**

Q. Cameron, you had a fantastic start here, bogey-free 65 at Pebble Beach, your first round here at the PURE Insurance Company. Just your thoughts on how it went out there today?

**CAMERON BECKMAN:** Yeah, we had perfect -- obviously I teed off on the first group, the greens were perfect on the back nine. We started on 10. Made a couple nice putts early, made a nice par putt on 1 and then birdied the next two holes. When you get off to that kind of start at Pebble, those are tough holes in there, especially in the morning, and I made -- I hit a nice shot into 17, made a nice birdie. Just got off to a real nice start, just was really easy to be patient.

On the other nine, what did I do, I birdied the first three on the other nine. It was just one of those days everything was going real nice and smooth all day long.

Q. You got in through Tuesday qualifying here, but it was your third qualifier I guess in a row? Are you 3-3 on qualifiers this year; is that right?

**CAMERON BECKMAN:** Well, I did two before the COVID and missed the cut. Since COVID, since we've gotten back into it, yeah, I've gone 3-3 on qualifiers. I've just got a lot of desire right now to get out here with these guys. This tour is so awesome. I got a nice -- at the Ally, I really saw what it was like out here and how much fun it is. So I'm playing with a lot of desire and I really want to play out there with these guys. So I'm pretty focused, I guess is what you would say, to try to get out here.

Q. How much preparation did you do during COVID? Were you practicing much?

**CAMERON BECKMAN:** Yeah, we had a ton of it. I live in San Antonio and all the guys were home. We've got a lot of good players there, so we played a lot of golf. You know, I've been home a lot, so I just was ready to go. I just tried to get prepared and stay in decent shape. Like I said, I really want to get out here with these guys, so it's been a lot of fun preparing and there's just a little different focus for me right now.

Q. After a day like today, what are your expectations going into the weekend?

**CAMERON BECKMAN:** You know, for me to get out here, I've got to have great finishes, so my expectations are I don't play with a ton of them, I'm just kind of doing what I'm doing right now. I've been playing well, I know that, so I won't do it any differently. I'll just continue to play aggressive and I have to finish well, just keep cranking.