

**LEIKELI47 DROPS NEW SONG + VIDEO
“LL COOL J”
FROM FORTHCOMING ALBUM *SHAPE UP***

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Leikeli47 has released a new single + video “LL Cool J” from her forthcoming album *Shape Up*, out April 15th via Hardcover/RCA Records. The song name is an acronym for “ladies love cool jewelry” and as such the video is full of diamonds. The video includes a special cameo from South Central native, style consultant and brand Jordan designer Aleali May adorned in her signature Rolex ‘A’ chain and a custom reverse half matte grill. Further in the video, we see May swinging on her personal blinged-out Area crystal chair bag. The song marries 47’s love of Black culture with her deep knowledge as a rap historian using minimal beat kicks in, giving Leikeli

plenty of space to showcase her one-of-a-kind flow that she performs in a knowing half-whisper. It's playful but unendingly serious at the same time, a balancing act that confirms Leikeli as a technically brilliant MC.

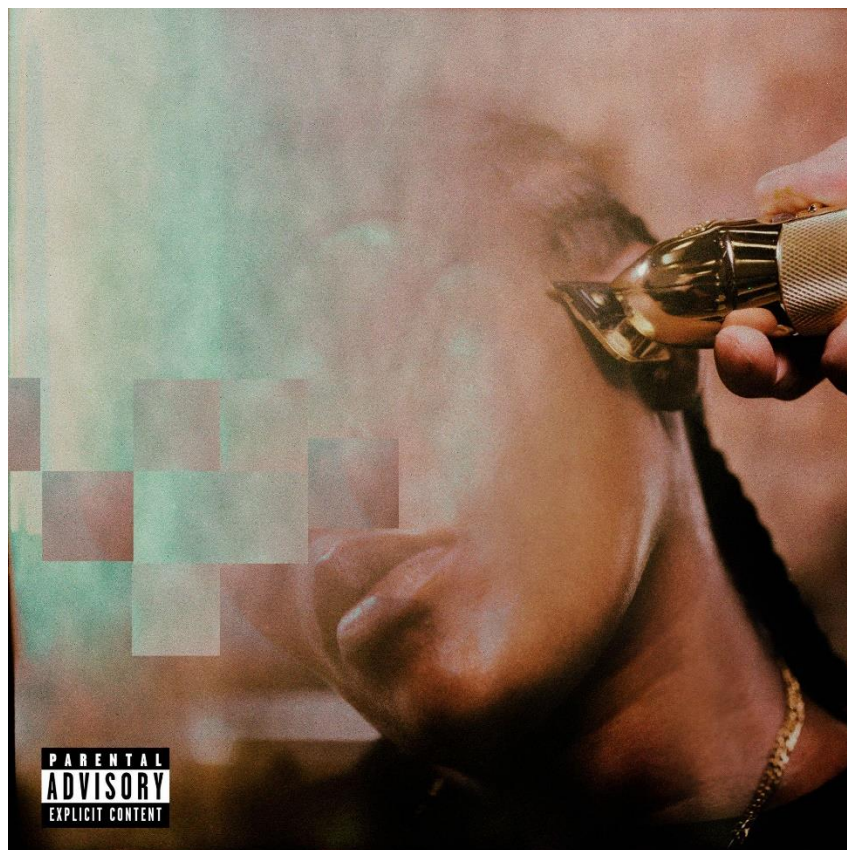
Shape Up serves as the finale to the trilogy that included her debut *Wash & Set* and the highly lauded 2018 *Acrylic*. *Shape Up* takes up many meanings for the LA-based multi-hyphenate; it's 47 as the best version of herself and, in her words, "*me finally walking into the confidence I always pretended to have.*" It represents the manifestation and execution of shaping up mentally, physically, and spiritually. She continues, "*I'm happy to say I'm here. It took work, it takes work, and that's what 'Shape Up' is about.*"

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