

U.S. Pop Star Billie Eilish Debuts Russian Remix of 'Bad Guy' on Russian TV

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American singer Billie Eilish has not only soared to the top of the charts, but also into the hearts of <u>Russia's youth</u> with her dark blend of electronic, hip-hop and pop music.

During her first visit to Russia — where she played sold-out shows in Moscow and St. Petersburg — the 17-year-old Generation Z icon made an appearance on the Russian latenight talk show "Evening Urgant" which aired Monday night.

The host invited Eilish to <u>perform</u> a Russian remix of her hit "Bad Guy" with the folk group "Repa & Poverye" ("Turnip & Belief"), who put a new spin on the song with traditional Russian instruments.

Her part consisted of only one word: "Duh." Or maybe it was "da," which means "yes" in Russian. You be the judge.

Eilish's Russian fans call themselves "belyash," a mashup of the singer's first and last names

that in the Russian language refers to a meat pie common in Tatar and Bashkir cuisines. As a gift, the host gave her a cookbook with recipes for the dish.

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