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Legacy of Michael Lives on at Marina Bay Sands

The King of Pop Comes to Singapore – Thriller Live

"AN EXUBERANT BLAST!" *Daily Mail*

Singapore (March 22, 2011)- Marina Bay Sands together with BASE entertainment, Flying Music and Lunchbox Theatrical Productions are rolling out the red carpet for the King of Pop come May 3, 2011. Moonwalking its way from London's West End to Singapore, comes the smash hit concert *THRILLER LIVE*, which celebrates the career of the undisputed King of Pop, Michael Jackson.

THRILLER LIVE opens at the spectacular Marina Bay Sands Grand Theater on May 3 2011 for a strictly limited run of 16 shows. Established in 2006, *THRILLER LIVE* arrived onto London's West End after three acclaimed UK tours with standing ovations across Europe. It opened at the Lyric Theatre in the West End on January 2009, six months before Michael Jackson's untimely death in June that year.

Bringing the stage to life with the distinctive high-energy dancing and pulsating sound of many of pop's greatest hits is a supremely talented international cast of 15 and a 6-piece live band. The dazzling dance moves were choreographed by award-winning director and choreographer Gary Lloyd. Gary has worked extensively with artists ranging from Robbie Williams to Leona Lewis to Shirley Bassey, on TV shows, stage shows and arena tours, and was nominated for Best Choreographer for his work on *THRILLER LIVE* by London's Whatsonstage.com last year.

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Now in its third year in the West End, the show pays homage to the world-class spectacle of Jackson's legendary live performances and is packed with over two hours of your favourite Michael Jackson and Jackson 5 hits, including *I Want You Back*, *ABC*, *Billie Jean*, *I'll Be There*, *Blame It On The Boogie*, *Can You Feel It*, *She's Out Of My Life*, *Rock With You*, *Bad*, *Off The Wall*, *The Way You Make Me Feel*, *Black or White* and of course *Thriller*, and many more.

THRILLER LIVE was specially created to celebrate the astonishing 40-year career of the world's greatest entertainer, and was originally conceived by Executive Director, Adrian Grant, an associate of Michael Jackson for more than 20 years, and author of 'Michael Jackson – The Visual Documentary'.

Producer James Cundall, CEO Lunchbox Theatrical Productions says, "We're thrilled to be bringing this Michael Jackson extravaganza to Singapore for the first time. The energy on stage and the audience's reaction to that, shows that *THRILLER LIVE* is a must-see."

The Marina Bay Sands Theaters are set to dazzle *THRILLER LIVE* audiences in a venue that boasts the latest state-of-the-art technology allowing a multitude of stage configurations and an efficient and seamless set-change for all theater performances. *THRILLER LIVE* is among the spectacular array of concerts and performances that has been planned to be held at the Marina Bay Sands Theaters.

TICKETING INFORMATION

Day/Times	VIP	A Reserve	B Reserve	C Reserve	FAMILY	STUDENT
Tues - Friday: 7:30pm Sat - Sun: 1:30pm & 7:30pm	\$170	\$130	\$110	\$90	\$400*	\$70*

Booking Fee of SGD\$3 applies per ticket

**Terms and Conditions apply*

FOR TICKET BOOKINGS:

- **THROUGH INTERNET** : www.MarinaBaySands.com/Ticketing
- **BY PHONE** : 6688 8826
- **BOOK IN PERSON AT** : Marina Bay Sands Box Offices (Museum, Theaters, SkyPark, Retail Mall and Hotel Tower 1 Lobby)

For more information please log onto our official website www.marinabaysands.com

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ABOUT MARINA BAY SANDS

Marina Bay Sands is the leading business, leisure and entertainment destination in Asia. It features large and flexible convention and exhibition facilities, 2,560 hotel rooms and suites, the rooftop Sands SkyPark, the best shopping mall in Asia, world-class celebrity chef restaurants, a casino, Paiza Club for premium players and an outdoor event plaza. Its two theaters showcase a range of leading entertainment acts and will include our resident performance, "The Lion King". Completing the line-up of attractions is the ArtScience Museum at Marina Bay Sands which will play host to permanent and marquee exhibitions. For more information, please visit www.marinabaysands.com.

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ABOUT BASE ENTERTAINMENT

BASE Entertainment specializes in the development, production, programming and management of live entertainment properties and theatre operations. BASE develops, produces and manages intellectual properties which reach audiences through various platforms, including live, digital, broadcast and licensing. BASE Entertainment founders include Brian Becker and Scott Zeiger, who have 45 years combined experience in the live entertainment industry. The company has offices in Singapore, New York, Las Vegas, and Houston.

ABOUT FLYING MUSIC

Entertaining the nation for over 25 years Flying Music have produced numerous nationwide tours and have presented a wide variety of world famous artists. Their innovative approach to creating conceptual brands has seen Flying Music seamlessly move into the world of theatre. Original shows created by the company include 'Hollywood and Broadway', 'The Magic of the Musicals', 'Salute to Sinatra', 'What A Feeling - The Rock 'n' Pop Musicals - In Concert', 'Sweet Soul Music', 'A Night at The Opera', 'Dancing in the Streets - Motown's Greatest Hits' and 'The Rat Pack Live From Las Vegas'. 'Thriller Live', is Flying Music's latest large scale production. Since making its West End debut at the Lyric Theatre, Shaftesbury Avenue in January 2009 to packed houses, Thriller Live has received rave reviews and standing ovations as well as the seal of approval of the eldest Jackson brother Tito, who attended the premier as very special guest of honour.

ABOUT LUNCHBOX THEATRICAL PRODUCTIONS

One of Australasia's leading producers; James Cundall heads Lunchbox Theatrical Productions, which has created a reputation for bringing top quality international productions to audiences across five continents. Since 1998, Lunchbox Theatrical Productions has brought a wide array of live entertainment to Singapore, including Riverdance, Cats, The Phantom of the Opera, We Will Rock You, Chicago, Miss Saigon, Saturday Night Fever, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, Stomp, ABBA Mania, Elaine Paige, Bryn Terfel, David Helfgott, as well as The Imperial Ice Stars productions of The Sleeping Beauty on Ice, Swan Lake on Ice and Cinderella on Ice.

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