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**Letter of Support**  
**The Ngin Karet Foundation for Cambodia Troupe Tour**  
**to the United States**

It is our distinct pleasure to extend our support to the Ngin Karet Foundation for Cambodia's Dance Troupe (NKFC) for the forthcoming performance tour to the United States from Spring to Fall 2013.

Given the successful creation of the *Conservatoire NKFC Preah Ream Buppha Devi* in a remote village of Banteay Srey District, Siem Reap, Cambodia, since 2007, we are very proud to see that the NKFC artistic activities, are nowadays not only contributing to the preservation and promotion of Cambodian Art of Dance and Music in Cambodia but also abroad.

As the forthcoming Tour will be covering many places of Khmer-Americans Communities in the US, it is expected that the event will be a special opportunity for the young performers connecting back the communities to their motherland culture as well as to present Khmer classical dance and traditional music to American audience.

We wish the performance tour the best of success.

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