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WANTED: A FEW GOOD DANCERS

The Miami-Dade County Fair to hold auditions for first time for local dancers in a show

MIAMI, FL – February 10, 2008 – From Salsa to Merengue, and anywhere in between, the search is on for a few good dancers who are ready to strut their Latin stuff as The Miami-Dade County Fair announces that it will be holding auditions for the all new show *¡Baile! A Tour Of Latin America Through Dance*. The new show will feature local dancers as part of the free live entertainment at The 2009 Fair. Auditions will be held at the Blue Ribbon Room at The Fair on February 10, 2009 from 10 a.m. – 4 p.m.

“This is the first time that a show at The Fair will be cast using local talent as part of its free live entertainment,” commented Phillip Clark, CEO of The Miami-Dade County Fair. “*¡Baile!* is expected to be one of the most popular shows at this year’s Fair. We think that the South Florida audience will be very receptive to this production that highlights Latin American dance.”

The Fair is looking for six female and six male highly qualified performers who can execute Latin dances. Performers must be willing to perform three times per day on weekdays and five times a day on weekends during the 2009 Fair to be held March 26 through April 12. Friday March 27 & April 10 there would be four performances due to early opening. All applicants must apply and audition in person.

Rehearsals for the selected dancers will be held from March 17 through opening day March 26th, for eight hours a day. All applicants must be prepared to participate in the rehearsals. An attractive compensation package will be provided.

¡**Baile!** a 30 minute live dance spectacular will take the audience on a tour of Latin America through dance. The live show, to be featured on the Main Street Stage at The Fair, will be choreographed by Myles Thoroughgood and written, produced and directed by Advanced Entertainment Group, Inc.

Presented by Miami-Dade Volkswagen Dealers, the 2009 Miami-Dade County Fair will be celebrating its 58th year beginning March 26th through April 12, 2009. Ranked the largest fair in Florida, The Fair is an 18-day event which includes rides, games, food and live entertainment. Close to 50,000 student and adult exhibits are showcased during The Fair. Admission to The Fair is \$9 for adults and children, free for children five years of age and younger. The Fair is located at Coral Way (SW 24th Street) and 112th Avenue in Southwest Miami. Gates are open from 3 p.m. to 10 p.m. on weekdays and noon to 10 p.m. on weekends, but rides remain open until Midnight. Special early noon openings on Friday, March 27 and April 10, 2009. For more information, call (305) 223-7060 or visit www.fairexpo.com.

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