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**THE PHANTOM'S LEADING LADIES**  
**TECHNICAL RIDER**

**NOTE:** All deviations from this rider must be approved.

**CONTACT:** Each presenter should receive a minimum of two telephone contacts before the arrival of the company. A representative of ARTIST should contact the local presenter and/or the Venue Tech Director approximately two weeks prior to the first engagement, the venue Tech Director, no later than two weeks before the scheduled performance and again approximately 24-48 hours before the performance to reconfirm. Please give us the most appropriate contact to discuss the technical details (lights, stage, facility, etc.)

**PRESENTER, PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:**

Tech Director (NAME) \_\_\_\_\_ PH:( ) \_\_\_\_\_ FX:( ) \_\_\_\_\_

**ARRIVAL TIME:** Upon initial contact, ARTIST to provide the actual arrival time.

**LOCAL PRESENTER/PURCHASER AGREES TO FURNISH AT OWN EXPENSE:**

**STAGE REQUIREMENTS:** Standard concert set-up. Stage should be swept clean and cleared of all equipment, debris, etc., prior to ARTIST'S arrival.

Number of people in touring company: 4  
Number of people performing on stage: 4

Presenter shall furnish three (3) identical backless black wooden stools, 29" in height.

**PIANO REQUIREMENTS:** One (1) Concert Grand or Baby Grand Piano, in excellent condition, to be tuned to "A-440" on the morning of the performance after the piano is set on stage is preferred. Any other "excellent" concert grand should be acceptable. One adjustable piano bench and one clip light or small lamp. Piano should be placed mid to downstage just right of center. (See diagram.)

**AUDIO REQUIREMENTS:** PRESENTER shall provide and pay for a suitable house-facing system and suitable stage monitor system with equalizer adequate to cover performance area. System shall include:

Mixing console / Effects:

- At least 24 channel professional mixing console with at least four sub masters and two auxiliary sends will be required.

- Console should also include a phase reverse and phantom power (48v) capability.
- Effects rack (1 reverb unit, equalizers, record equipment as necessary).

#### Microphones / Accessories

- Three (3) UHF HAND HELD (not lavalier) wireless microphones. Sennheiser Evolution G1 series (preferred), Shure UR2 series with Beta 58/87 or SM58 heads (alternate), or Shure ULX series (same heads as above) (minimum acceptable).
- Sufficient DA's, cabling and mics as required for the piano (High – SM57, Low – SM57)
- Three (3) identical round-base microphone stands with quick release microphone clips.
- CD player capable of running through system into the house.

#### Monitors

- Two (2) active floor monitors for artists (wedges splitting center at stage-front). Sufficient monitors for pianist), capable of at least three (3) mixes.
- Stage monitor console split from main PA-capable of at least three (3) different mixes.

**LIGHTING REQUIREMENTS:** PRESENTER shall provide and pay for adequate and professional stage lighting, including at least two (2) follow spots for performance space. (ARTISTS will provide lighting plot and stage plot plan within 30 days of the engagement.)

**LOCAL CREW REQUIREMENTS:** PRESENTER shall provide and pay for a competent sound technician, lighting technician and stage manager or tech director commencing with load-in through tech check, rehearsal and performance. PRESENTER shall provide and pay for at least two (2) competent spot operators commencing with tech check through rehearsal and performance.

#### **LOAD-IN CREW:**

Number needed for Load-in: 0 Load out: 0

How many hours prior to performance: N/A

**REHEARSAL REQUIREMENTS:** Auditorium and concert piano should be available for rehearsal for approximately two hours on the day of the performance, beginning four hours prior to performance.

- All technical requirements (including hanging and focusing of lights) to be completed prior to ARTISTS' arrival.
- ARTISTS will arrive by \_\_\_\_\_ pm on the day of the performance for rehearsal and sound check.
- ARTISTS shall be provided two (2) hours minimum for sound check with crew and sound designer/technician.

- ARTISTS shall require a two (2) hour break between sound check and performance.

**DRESSING ROOM REQUIREMENTS:** Two (2) private dressing rooms on the same floor and with easy access to the stage, furnished with chairs, table, lighted mirrors, full length mirror, clothing rack with adequate hangers, and wastebasket. The dressing rooms should have access to private bathrooms with hot and cold running water, adequately supplied with fresh soap, fresh towels, tissue, paper towels and should be adequately heated or cooled as necessary.

**HOSPITALITY:** Room-temperature bottled water  
Hot Water and assortment of Teas  
Diet sodas  
Honey and Lemon  
Fresh Fruit  
Cheese and Crackers  
Coffee  
Hot catered healthy meal for cast/musicians in between sound check and performance. *Preferred items are salad, pasta dishes (no cream sauce) and chicken.*

**RECEPTIONS:** The ARTIST will be happy to attend receptions; however, due to the rigorous tour schedule, sometimes the ARTIST may not be available. Before attending a reception, the company may also need to complete their touring duties and equipment load-out. Please clear all receptions in advance with the representative of the tour upon initial contact. The company will ALWAYS try to accommodate.

**MERCHANDISE:** The ARTIST may have merchandise for sale. Presenter agrees to provide one table and one/two volunteer(s) to sell recordings before the concert, at intermission and after the concert.

**COMPS:** The ARTIST will be given a minimum of eight (8) comp tickets for each performance.

**BILLING/PROGRAMS:** PRESENTER to only use approved materials for advertising and program copy. ARTIST to be billed as “**The Phantom’s Leading Ladies.**” ARTISTS will provide photos, press releases (as requested) and program copy within thirty (30) days of the engagement (or as needed).

**INDEMNITY:** PRESENTER shall indemnify ARTISTS and musicians and hold ARTISTS and musicians and each of the ARTISTS' employees, agents, representatives and attorneys harmless from and against any and all claims, demands, actions, damages and liabilities, costs and expenses arising out of or in connection with any bodily injury, death or loss of or damage to property, which occurs in connection with any performance rendered or to be rendered by ARTISTS during this engagement unless same is caused by the tortuous conduct of ARTISTS or any employees or agents of ARTISTS.

ACCEPTED:

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(Presenting Organization)

CITY/STATE:

BY: