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August 12, 2008

Emilio Vega
Arco Del Triunfo Productions
2002 W. Sunset Blvd, # 109
Los Angeles CA 90026

Subject: Broadway International Film Festival-LA (BIFF-LA)

Dear Mr. Vega:

I am writing to express my support for the Broadway International Film Festival-LA (BIFF-LA) in its inaugural launch from September 25 to September 28, 2008. The purpose of this festival will be to highlight the cultural and artistic diversity that downtown L.A. has to offer and thereby bringing together all these elements in one special event.

Along with Councilman Jose Huizar's "Bringing Back Broadway" initiative, it would draw thousands of people to Broadway, an area that is regaining its energy and vibrancy, befitting its rightful place in history as the center of entertainment for Los Angeles predating Hollywood.

I would also like to commend you on your tireless efforts and effective advocacy and your continued promotion of unique and exceptional events that not only highlights our diversity, but unifies our city as well.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Gilbert A. Cedillo".

Gilbert A. Cedillo
State Senator, 22nd District