



# KHALID'S HEADLINE 'FREE SPIRIT WORLD TOUR' TO MAKE INDIA DEBUT AS PART OF 2020 ASIA TOUR

12<sup>TH</sup> AND 14<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, MUMBAI & BANGALORE

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**India, December 3, 2019** - International multi-platinum selling pop artist Khalid has today announced nine Asia dates as part of his headline 'Khalid Free Spirit World Tour' with his first ever India performance on the list. His highly anticipated new album 'Free Spirit' is out now via Right Hand Music Group/RCA Records and Sony Music Entertainment.

**BookMyShow** and **AEG Presents** are bringing the six-time Grammy Award nominee and four-time American Music Awards winner for his India debut at the **Jio Garden, Mumbai on April 12**<sup>th</sup>, **2020** and **Ozone Urbana, Bangalore on April 14**<sup>th</sup>, **2020**.

'Khalid Free Spirit World Tour' for Asia will see the global superstar hit Bangkok, Singapore, Jakarta, Manila, Kuala Lumpur, Tokyo and Seoul before he arrives in Mumbai and Bangalore.

Khalid's Asia Tour comes just after the release of his new single, *Up All Night*. **Khalid says**, "*Up All Night'* is a song that I wrote while on tour. It's really special to me and I'm so excited that I am able to share it with my fans so quickly. I've been touring the world, and interacting with my fans each night has been really inspiring. I'm working hard on some more new music to share with you guys soon!"

Registrations for the India leg of the 'Khalid Free Spirit World Tour' are now live on www.bookmyshow.com

Since releasing his debut hit single 'Location' in 2016 which went on to go quadruple platinum, Khalid has continued to cement his global status as one of music's most promising breakout stars. Already accumulating a stellar array of awards and wins from the likes of MTV, Billboard and BET, his Asia tour offers his legion of loyal fans a chance to experience his latest musical offering.

#### 'Khalid Free Spirit World Tour' 2020 Asia Dates:

Tuesday, March 24	Bangkok	Impact Arena
Thursday, March 26	Singapore	Singapore Indoor Stadium
Saturday, March 28	Jakarta	Istora Senayan
Thursday, April 2	Manila	Mall of Asia Arena
Saturday, April 4	Kuala Lumpur	Malawati Stadium
Tuesday, April 7	Tokyo	Toyosu Pit
Thursday, April 9	Seoul	Olympic Hall
Sunday, April 12	Mumbai	Jio Garden
Tuesday, April 14	Bangalore	Ozone Urbana





#### **About Khalid**

Multi-platinum selling global superstar Khalid, who was recently named one of Time's Most Influential People of 2019, recently released his sophomore album Free Spirit which was declared a New York Times "Critic's Pick" and was called "superb" by the Associated Press. The album, which has been certified platinum by the RIAA, debuted at #1 on the Billboard Top 200 and features the multi-format #1 single "Talk". Khalid catapulted into massive worldwide success when he released his first single "Location" right before his high school graduation. The song's domination (5x platinum) led to Khalid's major label deal with Right Hand Music Group/RCA Records followed by the release of his debut album, the double platinum certified, American Teen. The album, which garnered Khalid 6 Grammy nominations (along with numerous other nominations) received mass critical acclaim with Rolling Stone calling Khalid a "pop prodigy" and TIME Magazine stating, "His thoughtful, relatable reflections on modern youth culture and the limitations of love are just as pitch-perfect as his soulful, measured delivery." American Teen shattered expectations, as it stayed in the Top 200 for 51 weeks, peaked at #4, and stayed in the Top 20 for 48 out of the 51 weeks it was in the Top 200. The singer-songwriter has won an American Music Award, a Billboard Music Award, a Teen Choice Award, a MTV Video Music Awards, an MTV's Woodie To Watch Award, and has been streamed over 10 billion times worldwide across all partners. Khalid has collaborated with some of music's biggest stars including his #1 singles "Love Lies" (with Normani), "Eastside" (with Halsey and Benny Blanco) as well as hits with artists such as Calvin Harris ("Rollin'"), Logic and Alessia Cara ("1-800-273-8255"), Marshmello ("Silence"), Billie Eilish ("Lovely"), Shawn Mendes ("Youth"), and more. The Mayor and Council of the City of El Paso honored him with a "Key To The City" marking September 13th, 2018 "Khalid Day." Khalid is currently on his "Free Spirit World Tour" which will take him to arenas all over the globe in 2019.

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### **About BookMyShow**

Launched in 2007, BookMyShow, owned and operated by Big Tree Entertainment Pvt Ltd (founded in 1999), is India's leading entertainment destination and the one-stop shop for every out-of-home entertainment need. The firm is present in over 650 towns and cities in India and works with partners across the industry to provide unmatched entertainment experiences to millions of customers. Over the years, the company has evolved from a purely online ticketing platform for movies across 6,000 screens, to end-to-end management of live entertainment events including music concerts, live performances, theatricals, sports and more, all accomplished at par with global standards.

BookMyShow has also built India's largest organic reviews and ratings engine for movies and has driven technology innovations, such as the m-ticket and Movie Mode, impacting tens of millions of users and the industry at large. With continued support from investors including TPG Growth, Stripes Group, SAIF Partners, Accel and Network18, BookMyShow is invested in providing the best user experience, whether on-ground or online. Demonstrating category leadership, BookMyShow has grown beyond India with operations in Dubai, Indonesia, Sri Lanka and Singapore amongst others. The Mumbai-headquartered company counts Ticket Green, Eventifier, Fantain, Masti Tickets, Townscript and Burrp amongst its key investments in the sector. BookMyShow is also committed to society at large, by way of its charity initiative BookASmile, which provides entertainment experiences to the underprivileged. For more information, please visit www.bookmyshow.com

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