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BOULEVARD CASINO PRESENTS
CHRIS CORNELL
LIVE AT THE RED ROBINSON SHOW THEATRE
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 6

Chris Cornell is a rock icon who thrives on contradictions ... an innovator who resists genre labels, he was nonetheless the chief architect of the 90's grunge movement. Frequently ranked as one of the best voices in music history. he has successfully maintained his own unique identity over more than two decades as a multi-Grammy Award winning musician and universally acclaimed singer, songwriter and lyricist. In 1984, the Seattle-born musician formed Soundgarden with Kim Thayil and Hiro Yamamoto and five years later, they became the first Seattle band to sign to a major label. Their sound continued to change and evolve over the course of five pioneering albums.

Celebrated side project, Temple of the Dog had already shown Cornell's more soulful side and introduced future Pearl Jam frontman Eddie Vedder to the world. Later Cornell shocked the business once again with his richly melodic, critically acclaimed solo album, *Euphoria Morning* ... swiftly recognized for its alienation and despair. And as the millennium turned, he joined with three other musical pioneers from rap-rock's Rage Against The Machine to create Audioslave ... a multi-platinum supergroup which lived to deny its detractors, producing three top-selling albums, touring the world and becoming the first American band to bring rock to Castro's Cuba.

Since then, Cornell has redefined his sound and vision to encompass new music, new collaborations and new activities. Having contributed solo songs to movie soundtracks from *Great Expectations* to *Mission Impossible II*, he became the first American male singer to write the theme song for the James Bond franchise in its most successful film to date, *Casino Royale*. His bold and bluesy reinvention of Michael Jackson's dance classic, "Billie Jean" courted controversy and attracted imitators. Always eclectic, always experimental, Cornell's new collaboration with super-producer Timbaland will take him into fresh territory, establishing a new sound and marking the creation of a masterpiece that breaks all musical boundaries. Only one thing's for sure ... Chris Cornell will continue to break rules, make history and challenge everyone's expectations.

TICKETS ON SALE FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10 @ 10:00 AM
DOORS: 7:00 PM SHOW: 8:00 PM

Tickets: Reg. \$59.50 & Golden Circle \$69.50 (+ Service Charge & Facility Fee)
Tickets available at all Ticketmaster Outlets or charge-by-phone (604) 280-4444 or order on-line at www.ticketmaster.ca .
Ages 19 years and over

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