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SMOKESCREEN

For Immediate Release
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"Raw, gritty and real, Smokescreen provides a thought provoking look inside one of today's hottest hot topics. Honest, funny and sometimes shockingly blunt, this show is a great show for anyone who ever used, refused, thought about or been touched by marijuana." – Laura Ruddock, Winnipeg SUN

Concrete Theatre kicks off their new season with the critically acclaimed play *Smokescreen* by **David S. Craig**, a cleverly written play that explores adolescent drug culture and the clash of values between teens and adults.

A timely and essential exploration of a drug for which we have laws but no values, *Smokescreen* is a play that examines the relationship between Jeff, a hard line father, and his charismatic but rebellious son Trent. Rayzee is the youth-care worker trying to negotiate between them. The drama's conflict centres on the teenager's use of marijuana and the impact it has on his life. *Smokescreen* is an ideal forum to encourage discussion of this controversial issue between teens and parents.

This award-winning play by celebrated Toronto playwright David S. Craig is directed by **Mieko Ouchi** and features **Ntara Curry** (Rayzee), **Mat Hulshof** (Trent) and **Troy O'Donnell** (Jeff) in a production designed by **David Fraser** with sound design by **Dave Clark**.

ABOUT | CONCRETE THEATRE is committed to creating, developing and producing artistically excellent and culturally diverse Theatre for Young Audiences that explores issues relevant to the lives of young people and their families.

PUBLIC PERFORMANCES AT C103 (formerly Catalyst Theatre)

8529 Gateway Boulevard

November 16, 2012 at 7:30 pm

November 17, 2012 at 2 pm (Pay-What-You-Can) and **7:30 pm**

Tickets available in advance at TIX on the Square www.tixonthesquare.ca (780) 420-1757 or by cash at the door

Adults \$19, Students/Seniors \$16

Group rates available through Concrete office at 780-439-3905

This production is suitable for ages 13 and up. Touring to Edmonton area Junior and High Schools November 12 to 24, 2012

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