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## GOTH ROCKER LIVAN ASKED TO JOIN LEGEND ALICE COOPER ON SECOND LEG OF "NO MORE MR. NICE GUY" TOUR

DATES RUN NOVEMBER 27 THROUGH DECEMBER 14

### LIVAN ALSO TO PERFORM FIVE SOLO DATES

(Los Angeles, CA . October 31, 2011) . LIVAN (pronounced Lievan), the Greek-born, London-bred Goth singer, has been personally asked by the legendary Alice Cooper to continue rocking as his opening act for the second leg of Cooper's No More Mr. Nice Guy+tour. LIVAN rejoins Cooper on November 27<sup>th</sup> in Huntington, WV, continuing through December 14<sup>th</sup> in Orlando, FL. About his opening performances, The Times Tribune (PA) has already declared, "LIVAN's London-based quintet delivered a hard-rocking set of hits including "King of the World," "Undead" and "Black Cherry" and even threw in a cover of the Velvet Underground's "Venus in Furs."

Along with the Cooper tour, LIVAN is set to perform five solo dates, starting on November 25<sup>th</sup> at the Prophet Bar in Dallas, with shows in Pittsburgh, Akron, Columbus and Jacksonville to follow. Following his previous U.S. tour, the Cleveland Free Press said LIVAN, "grabbed the crowd by their combat boots and delivered a +

LIVAN is an engaging study in contradictions- he has a Masters degree in Psychology; loves a myriad of musical artists from the Clash to Bauhaus, and cites Lord Byron as his favorite wordsmith. *Off the Grid*, LIVAN's third full-length release, is 11 tracks of dark, yet manically energetic post-punk rock. Captivating songs like "Little White Lies" and the wickedly propulsive "Undead," make *Off the Grid*, produced by LIVAN, at once raw, primal and polished, hearkening back to the darker-edged British bands of the mid- 70s to mid-90s.

*Off the Grid* is LIVAN's 4th release in three years, and the prolific writer and performer (who composes on bass, guitar and piano) has grown exponentially with each offering. 2008's political and fraught *Democracy* led to 2009's *Happy Returns*, which American radio embraced with the title track hitting #8 on the FMQB radio charts. Now, from *Off The Grid*, the track "Undead" has also landed at # 8 on the FMQB radio chart, bringing LIVAN's unique musical style to an even larger audience. This latest post-punk rock offering was produced by LIVAN and all songs were mixed by 2x Grammy Award winner Adrian Bushby (Foo Fighters, Muse), except for the track "Meet Me On The Other Side" mixed by Nat Chan.

LIVAN's current touring band has an impressive line-up from the alt-rock music scene, including guitarist Will Crewdson (Rachel Stamp, Malcolm McLaren, Johnette Napolitano, Adam & the Ants), bass player David Ryder (Rachel Stamp, Adam & the Ants) and drummer Seven Antonopoulos (Opiate for the Masses, Atrocity, Leave's Eyes). Crewdson and Ryder are also currently performing with Adam and the Ants.

#### **LIVAN On Tour With Alice Cooper:**

November 25	The Prophet Bar	Dallas, TX *
November 27	Albee Theater	Huntington, WV
November 29	Turning Stone Casino	Verona, NY
November 30	Palace Theater	Albany, NY
December 2	House of Blues	Atlantic City, NJ
December 3	Klein Memorial	Bridgeport, CT
December 6	Hard Rock Café	Pittsburgh, PA
December 7	Musica	Akron, OH *
December 8	The Basement	Columbus, OH *
December 9	Star Plaza Theater	Merill-ville, IN
December 10	Warner Theater	Erie, PA
December 11	Taft Theater	Cincinnati, OH
December 13	Cobb Energy Center	Atlanta, GA
December 14	Hard Rock	Orlando, FL
December 15	Jack Rabbits	Jacksonville, FL *

**\*Livan solo shows**

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