



October 2, 2015

Members
Coral Gables Cultural Development Board
Coral Gables, FL 33134

Dear Members:

The purpose of this letter is to request an extension for the grant awarded to Cuban Classical Ballet of Miami; the company's presentation is being planned for Friday October 16, Saturday October 17, or Sunday October 18, 2015 at the Biltmore Hotel.

Two major reasons necessitate this extension. In the first place, the unfortunate inability to reach an agreement with the Coral Gables Women's Club which required a rental fee that was beyond the organization's budget and the small grant allocation received from Coral Gables. As conversations dragged on, the date for the performance came too close to a major event from our sister organization, the Miami Hispanic Ballet which presented the XX International Ballet Festival of Miami from August 29 - September 13, 2015. Furthermore, the Cuban Classical Ballet of Miami had two performances scheduled for the Festival.

Please consider the organization's interest in fulfilling its obligations to the City of Coral Gables and grant this request.

Sincerely,

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Pedro Pablo Peña
Founder & Director

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Eriberto Jiménez
President