

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**IFLIX COMMISSIONS FIRST MALAYSIAN ORIGINAL DRAMA
SERIES *KL GANGSTER: UNDERWORLD***

The six-part drama series extends Skop Productions' hugely popular 'KL Gangster' franchise. This is iflix's second Asian drama series commissioned after Indonesia's 'Magic Hour'.

KUALA LUMPUR, 5 December 2017– iflix, the world's leading entertainment service for emerging markets, is thrilled to announce the imminent launch of its first-ever original drama series in Malaysia, *KL Gangster: Underworld*. The six-part drama series will be shot entirely in Malaysia and expands iflix's ever-growing portfolio of original content.

From the makers of box-office hit franchises *KL Gangster*, *Munafik* and *Abang Long Fadil*, ***KL Gangster: Underworld*** is a spinoff of Skop Productions' iconic films *KL Gangster 1* and *KL Gangster 2* and is helmed by established directors Syafiq Yusof (*Abang Long Fadil 1 & 2*) and Faisal Ishak (*Juvana*). Written by Nazri Vovinski Annuar and produced by Datuk Yusof Haslam and Syamin Yusof, *KL Gangster: Underworld* is scheduled to premier mid-2018 exclusively on iflix's platform globally.

The story begins soon after the events in *KL Gangster 1* - with feuding gangs in disarray, their ringleaders either behind bars or dead. In this power vacuum, one mysterious gang member decides to make a break from his life of crime, until shocking developments threaten to lure him back. Meanwhile, a new and powerful threat is emerging, one that could herald a new age for the KL Gangsters.

This ground-breaking iflix Original will bring together Skop's hallmark entertainment values, new and intriguing characters, high-octane action sequences and production value usually reserved for cinema screens.

iflix Global Director of Original Programming, Mark Francis said: "We are incredibly excited to partner with Malaysia's leading independent studio, Skop, creator of so many of the country's biggest box office hits. It is our aim to offer iflix viewers a new breed of local drama whilst

pushing creative boundaries through our Originals. The KL Gangster films set-up the perfect foundation for the series to launch from, with fresh twists and surprises for both fans and newcomers alike...expect to see edgier, grittier action sequences, more realistic true crime themes such as human trafficking, and of course, more larger-than life characters!”

Skop Productions Group Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Datuk Yusof Haslam said: “We are proud to have this opportunity to collaborate with iflix in creating quality local content such as *KL Gangster: Underworld*, iflix’s first drama series in Malaysia. This collaboration is a much-needed catalyst in exploring new avenues for the Malaysian film industry.”

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