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LETTER OF SUPPORT

This is to certify that Jakarta has the full support from the National Library of Indonesia to be nominated in the nomination of City of Literature from United Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) will be held 2021.

There have been several programs held by the government of DKI Jakarta Province such as Jakarta Reading Movement, Lit beat- Literacy Festival, Jakarta International Literacy Festival 2019 as well as the choice of Abang None Buku as role models to increase reading interest which is in line with act 43 year 2007 about Library, as well as a mean in building synergy with National Library of Indonesia.

Meanwhile, National Library of Indonesia has also carried out some programs that strengthen the program held by the government of DKI Jakarta province named library with social inclusion base that has benefits for society in increasing life quality and prosperity. This program has succeeded in taking library users to be more independent, productive and entrepreneur by using library collections.

The new building of national library on Jalan Merdeka Selatan No 11 becomes one of supporting object that's strengthen Jakarta to be nominated as city of literature by UNESCO. The number of visitors has increased ten times since it has opened. The building has been a public area for all societies in doing activities and also exhibitons. National Library of Indonesia has also developed digital library by applications : IPUSNAS, INDONESIA ONE SEARCH (IOS), E-RESOURCES as well as other online references to help Indonesian society, especially people of DKI Jakarta, to get information faster and easier.

The National Library of Indonesia submits this letter to be taken into a consideration of the submission of Jakarta for the nomination of UNESCO City of Literature.

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