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Travel back to the Victorian era at this year's Comedy Festival

Independent Sydney company Bambina Borracha Productions brings its latest offering to the 2009 Melbourne International Comedy Festival. **Queen Victoria's Secret Catalogue** is a sketch comedy with a dash of storytelling, pantomime and the old fashioned radio plays of yesteryear.

Taking as their cue the adage, 'Old is the new new', the Messrs Cunningham and Sutton invite you to a curious hour of original comedy, set entirely in the 19th century.

Convinced he is descended from the British royal line, soon-to-be-dead Mr Cunningham asks his family and nurse to travel back in time to discover the identity of his father and a few other historical mysteries: Who invented steam? Just what is a pantaloons? And most importantly, just what is Queen Victoria keeping secret behind her mourning dress?

All these questions and more will be asked and, perhaps, occasionally answered in **Queen Victoria's Secret Catalogue**.

The show marks the Melbourne for independent Sydney company Bambina Borracha Productions, who, since their inception last year have won over audiences in Sydney and Adelaide.

Queen Victoria's Secret Catalogue is a cornucopia of absurd delights and hilarity and definitely not to be missed.

Tickets

Previews: 1st – 3rd April
Season: 4th - 26th April

Tues-Sat 6.30pm
Sunday 5.30pm
(No Show Easter Sunday)

\$18+b/f Concession
\$23+b/f Adult
\$15+b/f Preview
\$15+b/f Tight-Arse Tuesdays
\$15+b/f Group 4 or more (pp)

Tickets from Ticketmaster (1300 660 013), the venue (03 9662 9966) or at the door.
For further enquires, images, complimentary tickets or interview requests please contact Leith Thomas or either 0411 055 299 or leith.thomas@gmail.com.

About Bambina Borracha

Bambina Borracha Productions is a vibrant Sydney based production company with a unique mission: to unearth exciting emerging artists and propel them into the professional arena.

Projects include film, cross media, theatre, comedy and gallery exhibitions and the artists include award-winning filmmakers and artists, some of Sydney's hottest playwrights and comedians in addition to a score of wonderful actors.

As well as new works, Bambina Borracha Productions runs a creative development program offering emerging artists the opportunity to collaborate with creative partners and mentors in the early stages of their projects.