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Pornography has undergone quite a few changes over the past few decades. Once relegated to being nothing more than stag films, gentleman's magazines such as Playboy would give the stigma surrounding nudity to slight moral boost. Then in the 70's the world of hardcore porn became mainstream, playing in theaters and actually gaining the attention of the mainstream. Then things changed, the industry was underground to some extent, but the 90's changed this all again and when the Internet came along, porn showed that it could make more money that anyone though imaginable.

*Behind the XXX* is a documentary about the porn industry . . . at least that's what it's touted as. In reality, this is much more of a behind-the-scenes and not a documentary in the least. Instead of some hard hitting questions, stories about why various people got involved in the industry, how things have changed over the years or anything of that nature. Instead this is simply raw, on set scenes with barely a trace of any real, intelligent question and answer sessions.

Ever wonder what it would be like to be on the set of a photo shoot or an adult film when you're not directly involved in the action? I didn't think so, and that's about how interesting *Behind the XXX* is. It's so much fun listening to the camera man tell the actress how he wants her to pose or trying to help them get into character for a scene. Honestly, no one really cares about characters. This isn't Shakespeare and while you might see the more playful side of some of them outside of the norm, that being moaning, screaming, and dirty talk, it's really not terribly interesting.

Keep in mind though that while this might be a look "behind the scenes" of the porn industry, it's not actually a porn film. There is plenty of nudity and glimpses at sex acts but as far as full penetration, that remains unseen. It's almost like watching something that was done for the Playboy Channel, though not quite as high class. Most of the actresses in the film aren't exactly the most well known in the industry either. Jada Fire was about the only name that I recognized.

There are no special features found on the disc at all, just trailers for a couple of other movies from the same studio, one of them trying to cash in on the vampire craze.

*Behind the XXX* definitely is a far cry from begin a documentary and is more like a compilation of home movie clips; the quality and entertainment value is about the same. I guess I could edit together all of the footage I have from Japan and market it as a documentary, which it isn't. If you're hoping to get a more indepth look at the industry this isn't going to provide it. *Behind the XXX* would have been better left as additional material for the movies that these sequences where shot at, not marketed as something that it

isn't.

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DVD Features: Aspect RatioL 1.33:1 Audio English Dolby Digital 2.0

Directed by: Tyler Brookland

Cast: Egypt Zayda Cletus Van Damm Tana Jada Fire Raquel Devine Berlin Tina Tammy Kristen Amber Chase

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