

## THE SECRET'S OUT!

**Filming is now underway on the second season of feel-good drama, THE SECRET DAUGHTER, with Jessica Mauboy.**

(22 May 2017) Filming is now underway in Sydney on a second season of **THE SECRET DAUGHTER**, Channel Seven's feel-good hit of 2016 starring ARIA and AACTA Award-winner, **Jessica Mauboy**.

Mauboy reprises her Logie-nominated role of Billie Carter, the part-time country pub singer whose life was changed forever after a chance meeting with wealthy city hotelier Jack Norton (**Colin Friels**).

The story picks up after Billie has turned her back on the Nortons and a record deal and is left wondering who she is and where she belongs. So begins Billie's journey of self-discovery... family and friendship, rich and poor, career and love – can Billie have it all? Only time will tell...

Also returning to the popular family drama for Season 2 are **Matt Levett** (*A Place To Call Home, Devil's Playground*), **David Field** (*Catching Milat, No Activity*), **Rachel Gordon** (*Winter, The Moodys*), **Bonnie Sveen** (*Home and Away*), **Jared Turner** (*The Shannara Chronicles, The Almighty Johnsons*), **Jordan Hare** (*EMO the Musical*), **Terry Serio** (*Janet King*) and **J.R. Reyne** (*Neighbours*).

They'll be joined by new cast members including **James Sweeny** (*Molly, Neighbours*) and **Rachael Maza** (*Radiance*).

THE SECRET DAUGHTER is a Screentime, a Banijay Group company, production for Channel Seven produced with the financial assistance of Screen Australia and Screen NSW.

Season 2 is Executive Produced by Rory Callaghan for Screentime and Julie McGauran for Seven, with Producers Kerrie Mainwaring and Lauren Edwards, and Directors Paul Maloney, Geoff Bennett and Catriona McKenzie.

Season 1 of THE SECRET DAUGHTER was the #2 Australian drama of 2016 (behind Seven's WANTED), with a combined average audience of 1.645 million viewers.

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