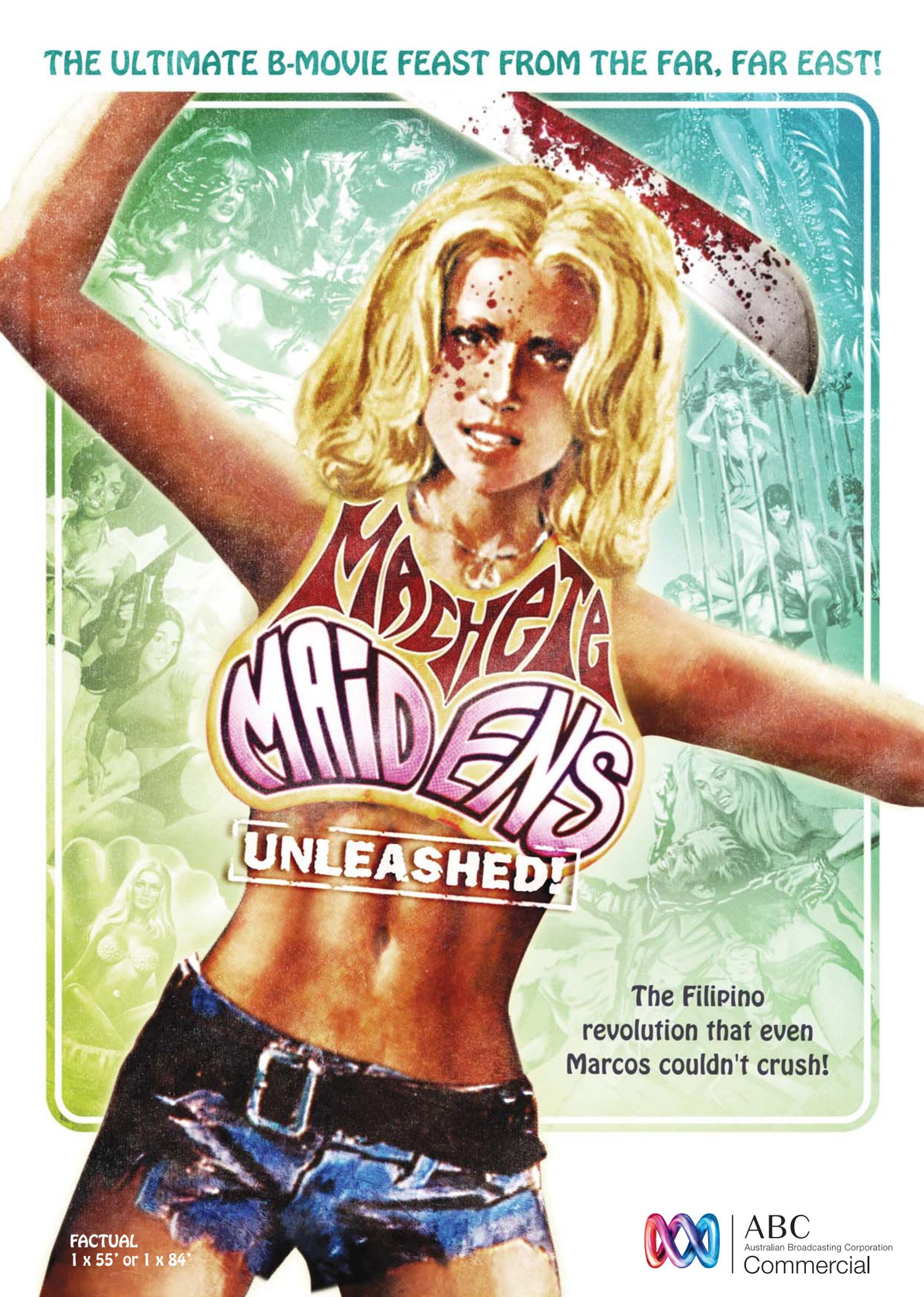


THE ULTIMATE B-MOVIE FEAST FROM THE FAR, FAR EAST!



# MACHETA MAIDENS

UNLEASHED!

The Filipino  
revolution that even  
Marcos couldn't crush!

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**Karate-kickin' midgets! Paper-mâché monsters! Busty babes with blades!  
Filipino genre films of the '70s and '80s had it all.**



**At last, the all-too-often-overlooked world of drive-in filler from Manila gets the Mark Hartley (NOT QUITE HOLLYWOOD) treatment in MACHETE MAIDENS UNLEASHED! This is the ultimate insiders' account of a faraway backlot where stunt men came cheap, plot was obsolete and the make-up guy was packin' heat!**

Boasting cheap labour, exotic scenery and non-existent health and safety regulations, the Philippines was a dreamland for exploitation filmmakers whose renegade productions were soon engulfing drive-in screens around the globe like a tidal schlock-wave!

MACHETE MAIDENS UNLEASHED! features interviews with cult movie icons Roger Corman, Joe Dante, John Landis, Sid Haig, Eddie Romero and a large assembly of cast, crew and critics, each with a jaw-dropping story to tell about filmmaking with no budget, no scruples, no boundaries and – more often than not – no clothes.

**Strap yourselves in – and join us for a non-stop Filipino femme-fest, all the way from the jungles of the Pacific via the trash cans of the critics!**

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PRODUCER Veronica Fury  
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