



B8 SERVICES CASE STUDY

Project: Slayers

ENGAGEMENT DETAILS

The Buchwald Agency approached Buffalo 8 with the script and director attached. B8 reviewed before pitching the project to sales agent Film Mode Entertainment to assist in co-developing the script for marketability and cast-value targets. As the screenplay underwent rewrites, Malin Akerman (*Chick Fight, Billions*) and her husband Jack Donnelly (*Friendsgiving, Atlantis*) were the first cast members to jump on board, even offering EP support to get the packaging momentum going. This was enough for B8 Services to start prepping in Albuquerque, New Mexico taking advantage of the state's tax rebate program and working closely with the Film Office to ensure a COVID-safe production.

While Buffalo 8's Santa Monica team finalized the remaining cast, Film Mode obtained sufficient worldwide distribution offers for the film to cover the budget. This catalyzed financing from BondIt Media Capital, effectively greenlighting *Slayers* for production. *Slayers* wrapped production without interruption, handed over assets to Buffalo 8 Post-Production, and successfully delivered the film to its end-distributor, The Avenue, on schedule.



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“We’re disrupting the slow-paced, low-energy sub-genre and bringing a new high-octane, stylish vampire thriller to the screen!”

- K Asher Levine, Director