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AURORA THEATRE COMPANY PRESENTS BAY AREA PREMIERE OF DRY POWDER BY SARAH BURGESS

June 22- July 22 (Opens: June 28)

BERKELEY, Calif. (April 17, 2018) -- Aurora Theatre Company presents the Bay Area premiere of the recent New York hit DRY POWDER by Sarah Burgess, directed by Jennifer King. The cast features Aldo Billingslea, Emily Brown, Jeremy Kahn and Kevin Kemp.

After throwing himself a lavish engagement party in the same week that his private equity firm forced job cuts at a national retailer, Rick is facing a PR disaster complete with angry protesters and scathing editorials. Luckily one of his managing directors, Seth, has the ideal fix: a cheap buyout of an American manufacturer that will grow jobs and save face. But Jenny, another of the firm’s partners, favors a cutthroat strategy that will maximize profit at any cost.

DRY POWDER is a razor-sharp and whip-smart comedy that skewers the world of high finance. (Dry powder, a slang term, refers to marketable securities that are highly liquid and considered cash-like.)

Time Out New York called the 2016 production at New York’s Public Theatre that starred Claire Danes “...lacerating...nuanced...extraordinarily timely.”

DRY POWDER runs June 22- July 22 (Opens: June 28).

Previews:
Friday 6/22 and Saturday 6/23 at 8 pm; Sunday, 6/24, at 2 pm only.
Tuesday, 6/26 and Wednesday, 6/27, at 7 pm.

Opens: Thursday, June 28
Performances: Tuesday and Wednesday at 7pm; Thursday through Saturday at 8pm; Sunday at 2pm, 7pm

Where: Aurora Theatre Company, 2081 Addison Street, Berkeley, CA

Tickets: For single tickets ($33-$65) or subscriptions ($99-$360), the public can call (510) 843-4822 or visit auroratheatre.org


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