Blen Bottle Blues

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INSTRUMENTATION

- 1 Conductor
- 8 Flute (Water Bottle)
- 1 Oboe
- 5 Clarinet 1
- 5 Clarinet 2
- 2 Bass Clarinet *
- 4 Alto Saxophone
- 2 Tenor Saxophone
- 1 Baritone Saxophone *
- 4 Trumpet 1
- 4 Trumpet 2
- 2 F Horn
- 6 Trombone/Baritone B.C./Bassoon *
- 2 Baritone T.C. *
- 2 Tuba *
- 1 Drum Kit
- 1 Suspended Cymbal
- 1 Bass Drum
- 1 Timpani
- 1 Keyboard Percussion

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^{*} Any one or more of these instruments will provide an adequate Bass part.



GREG BUTCHER IS A REPRESENTED AUSTRALIAN COMPOSER OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUSIC CENTRE, SYDNEY. AS A COMPOSER, ARRANGER, TEACHER AND CONDUCTOR, HE HAS WRITTEN ON COMMISSION FOR SOLO INSTRUMENTAL TO FULL SYMPHONIC WIND BAND AND ORCHESTRAL SETTINGS AT STATE AND NATIONAL A-GRADE CONTEST LEVELS. HE IS A FELLOW OF TRINITY COLLEGE LONDON (UK) IN COMPOSITION, HOLDS A LICENTIATE DIPLOMA FROM THE AUSTRALIAN SOCIETY OF MUSICOLOGY & COMPOSITION AND IS A MEMBER OF THE FELLOWSHIP OF AUSTRALIAN COMPOSERS.

WITH OVER 20 YEARS EXPERIENCE AS A MUSICIAN WITH THE AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE FORCES, HE WAS REGULARLY UTILISED FOR HIS SKILLS, WRITING FOR A VARIETY OF ENSEMBLE GROUPS. THESE WERE OFTEN CUSTOMISED FOR INTERNATIONAL ARTISTS, TELEVISED OR PERFORMED OVERSEAS.

A GRADUATE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW ENGLAND, HE COMPLETED A BACHELOR OF ARTS (MUSIC) DEGREE. HE HAS OVER 25 YEARS OF PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE AS A SESSION PLAYER PERFORMING WITH JAZZ, WIND AND ORCHESTRAL ENSEMBLES.

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