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Lingerie's Coming Out Party

(NAPSA)—Undergarments have gone over the top. The latest trend in lingerie is to pair favorite pieces with a ready-to-wear garment, allowing women to show off certain types of lingerie that they couldn't—or wouldn't—show in the past.

You probably don't need to be a fashion historian to know that this trend marks a change in fashion rules dating back for decades. Yet stylists say it's an idea whose time has come—and one that's truly taking off.

For instance, Spiegel Brands Inc. recently launched Cami Intimate®—a line that features five collections of sexy, stylish lingerie that's just “too pretty to hide.” Each collection is paired with a coordinating sweater or cardigan that allows the lingerie to tastefully “peek out.” Here's a closer look:

- The Flirty Collection features chic, ultimately comfortable, seamless mesh lingerie embellished with gorgeous floral embroidery. All pieces are designed with nylon and spandex to provide comfort and a perfect fit.

- The Chic Collection includes seamless bras, panties and camisoles that are designed like a second skin to eliminate panty lines or lingerie seams. A special process constructs each piece to create a smooth look under lightweight, body-conscious fabrics and knits. These sleek, sophisticated styles provide comfortable support.

- The Sexy Collection consists of exquisitely detailed mesh lingerie with overlays of scalloped lace. Each piece is made from soft,



Just “Too Pretty To Hide”—New lingerie line is meant to be shown off.

seamless nylon, with rayon for shimmer and spandex for a great fit and comfort.

- The Beautiful Collection features classically beautiful lingerie embellished with extravagantly scalloped stretch lace trim. All pieces are designed from soft, seamless nylon with spandex for fit and comfort.

- The Glamorous Collection consists of beautifully embroidered satin lingerie in soft, expressive colors for a vintage appeal. Each piece is constructed from smooth nylon with Lycra for a better fit and control.

The line, priced from \$8 to \$59, is available through Newport News and Spiegel catalogs, as well as the Web sites www.newport-news.com and www.spiegel.com.