

SAMPLE 1:

Two brief scenes from a SUCCESSION season 2 spec. While KENDALL tries to keep his ex's new love interest out of his kids' lives, GERRI, FRANK and KAROLINA need to deal with LOGAN's outburst towards an intern who might sue.

EXT. COFFEE SHOP. DAY

Kendall steps outside with COLIN, drinks in hand. They keep their voices low as they walk towards a street corner.

KENDALL

Find anything useful?

COLIN

Honestly? The guy's pretty clean. Average, compared to your family. He doesn't have a record, or any secret children, or a wife.

KENDALL

Shit. Nothing at all?

COLIN

Afraid not. He lives in Brooklyn, Park Slope. Nice enough place. Works at an art gallery. The first time he went to Rava's place was about six months back. Seems like it's a regular thing now.

KENDALL

Fuck. All right. Keep me updated on his whereabouts, okay? I'll figure something out.

The lights at the intersection change and Colin walks across the street while Kendall stays put, his wheels turning.

INT. WAYSTAR ROYCO - BRIEFING ROOM. DAY

Gerri and Karolina flag down FRANK as he walks by, and the three of them sit down to talk.

GERRI

He's been worse than usual today, don't you think?

KAROLINA

I got the intern to sign an NDA.
She's an executive assistant now,
by the way. Fourth floor.

FRANK

How about Kendall? Couldn't he get
through to Logan?

KAROLINA

He's dealing with "a family issue."

FRANK

The kids?

KAROLINA

(nods)

I'll have Jess reach out, see if he
can come in, but it sounds like
he's out for a while.

GERRI

We may have to involve Shiv and
Marcia if he keeps this up. They're
having a family dinner tonight so--

Logan walks in, eyeing them suspiciously.

LOGAN

Scheming, are we?

FRANK

We were just talking about setting
up a press conference about
whichever pitch you choose.

LOGAN

I'm sure. Okay, then. Get me a
draft by tomorrow morning.

GERRI

You haven't even picked one yet.

LOGAN

I don't give a shit. I'm not paying
you to sit around. Get it done.

He gives them all another wary look before leaving.

KAROLINA

I'll call Marcia.

GERRI

I've got Shiv.