

The New Drug

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THE SCORE

SETTING IN BRIEF

The same old thing, over and over and over again. The city's pretty used to the same old things looping again and again but something's is about to burst that bubble wide open. A new drug that just about to hit the streets. Something totally different and full of possibilities. Everyone's hearing different bits of information, but nobody's really had a chance to use it or even actually see it. Everyone's excited, either for a way out of their old habits, a new way to make money, or payback to the longstanding dealers. You're about to get in, but will you be able to get out?

MOVIE NIGHT

Robocop 2, Limitless, Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas, Adaptation, Formula 51, Naked Lunch, 51st State, A Scanner Darkly, Pineapple Express

RELATIONSHIPS...

■ FAMILY

- Parent-in-law and son/daughter-in-law
- Cousins, aunt/uncle and niece/nephew
- ▣ Siblings
- ▣ Parent and (step/adopted) child
- ▣ Grandparent and grandchild
- ▣ Distant, weird, or practically family

■ WORK

- Former co-workers
- Current co-workers
- ▣ Supervisor-Employee
- ▣ Tradesman-Client
- ▣ Salesman-Client
- ▣ Professional-Client

■ THE PAST

- Criminal-Detective
- Friends from way back
- ▣ Partners in crime
- ▣ Rivals
- ▣ Share something in common (spouse, secret, etc)
- ▣ Bad blood

ROMANCE

- ▣ Former spouses
- ▢ Current spouses
- ▣ Lifelong crush/lust and object
- ▣ One-time fling
- ▣ Current lovers
- ▣ Former lovers

CRIME

- ▣ Corrupt Official/Crime Lord and wannabe/toadie
- ▢ Gambler-bookie
- ▣ Drug creators
- ▣ Drug dealer and subordinate
- ▣ Petty criminals/thugs
- ▣ Drug dealer and addict

COMMUNITY

- ▣ Elected Officials (councilmen, mayor, judge)
- ▢ Society (lodge members, historical society, DAR)
- ▣ Church (deacons, missionaries, outreach workers)
- ▣ Recreation (coaches, chess clubs, team mates)
- ▣ Government (tax collector, inspector, bureaucrat)
- ▣ Law (cop and sex offender, parole officer)

...IN THE SHADOWS OF THE CITY

NEEDS...

■ TO GET OUT

- ... of the town
- ... of a previous addiction
- ▣ ... of a relationship
- ▤ ... of a dull and monotonous job
- ▥ ... of debt
- ▧ ... of your gang

■ TO GET EVEN

- ... by helping others
- ... with the other dealers
- ▣ ... with your parents
- ▤ ... with your significant other
- ▥ ... with your boss
- ▧ ... by ruining the life of others

■ TO GET RICH

- ... by making/selling the new drug
- ... by selling something
- ▣ ... by stealing something
- ▤ ... and make a name for yourself
- ▥ ... by framing someone
- ▧ ... and using it for a good cause

TO GET RESPECT

- ▣ ... from the ones you despise
- ▣ ... from the ones you love
- ▣ ... from the ones who pull the strings
- ▣ ... by getting back what's yours
- ▣ ... by changing sides
- ▣ ... by making an example

TO GET HIGH

- ▣ ... and destroying stuff
- ▣ ... in the ranks of the elite
- ▣ ... one last time
- ▣ ... and get others to do the same
- ▣ ... to get some information
- ▣ ... alleviate the pain

TO START

- ▣ ... a rivalry
- ▣ ... a new church
- ▣ ... a new relationship
- ▣ ... an investigation
- ▣ ... a career
- ▣ ... over again

...IN THE SHADOWS OF THE CITY

LOCATIONS...

■ THE NICE PART OF TOWN

- ... In the library break room
- ▣ ... The dog park
- ▤ ... The new designer spa
- ▥ ... The auto dealership
- ▦ ... The exclusive hipster bar
- ▧ ... The high-class bakery







■ THE BUSINESS PART OF TOWN

- ... An ad agency
- ▣ ... An accounting firm
- ▤ ... A successful lawyer firm
- ▥ ... In a 5-star restaurant
- ▦ ... A UPS / Fedex store
- ▧ ... A government agency







■ THE POOR PART OF TOWN

- ... The rundown community center
- ▣ ... The Salvation Army
- ▤ ... The unemployment office
- ▥ ... The Church
- ▦ ... The neighborhood bargain grocery
- ▧ ... the worst apartment complex







THE BAD PART OF TOWN

-  ... The worst watering hole ever
-  ... The car “repair” shop
-  ... The sweat shop factories
-  ... Under the bridge / port
-  ... The peepshow
-  ... The gun shop

THE INSTITUTIONS

-  ... The local high school
-  ... The Mayor's office
-  ... The police department
-  ... The Bank
-  ... The hospital
-  ... The local asylum

RESIDENCES

-  ... A local dealer's penthouse
-  ... The pastor's bungalow
-  ... The city's hottest stripper's bathroom
-  ... A friend's apartment
-  ... Grandparents' house
-  ... Orphanage

...IN THE SHADOWS OF THE CITY

OBJECTS...

■ PERSONAL

- ... A briefcase full of underwear
- ... A broken picture frame
- ▣ ... A vintage necklace
- ▤ ... A statue of buddha
- ▥ ... A pink backpack
- ▧ ... A wedding ring

■ TRANSPORTATION

- ... An unmarked white van
- ... An Audi RS8
- ▣ ... A Reliant K
- ▤ ... A motorcycle
- ▥ ... A fixed gear bike
- ▧ ... A skateboard

■ WEAPONS

- ... A crowbar
- ... A .50 Magnum
- ▣ ... A chainsaw
- ▤ ... A rocket launcher
- ▥ ... A samurai sword
- ▧ ... A case of C4 explosives

INFORMATION

- ▣ ... A cellphone full pictures and contacts
- ▣ ... A hitman's hitlist
- ▣ ... About a flight/boat/train/bus
- ▣ ... A username and password
- ▣ ... An envelop full of documents
- ▣ ... The name of the mole

DRUGS

- ▣ ... An amazing glass Bong
- ▣ ... A bag of low quality crystal meth
- ▣ ... A key to the pharmacy's back door
- ▣ ... An ridiculous amount of steroids/amphetamines
- ▣ ... A pinata full of heroin
- ▣ ... a bottle of 40 year old Scotch

VALUABLE

- ▣ ... 4 gold ingots
- ▣ ... The first batch of the “new drug”
- ▣ ... A diamond ring and assorted earrings
- ▣ ... 2000\$ worth of Magic The Gathering cards
- ▣ ... A kidnapped baby girl
- ▣ ... A painting done by Jackson Pollock

...IN THE SHADOWS OF THE CITY

A SHADOWY INSTA★SETUP

RELATIONSHIPS IN YOUR SETTING

For three players...

- ★ The new “cook” and his brother-in-law
- ★ The recently divorced who wants out of the town
- ★ The ex-cop who wants revenge on his ex-boss

For four and five players, add...

- ★ the high school principal who needs a student as a dealer

NEEDS IN YOUR SETTING

For three players...

- ★ **To Get Even:** to get back something you left in a bad place

For four and five players, add...

- ★ the pastor who needs his followers for a one-time hit to start a new church

OBJECTS IN YOUR SETTING

For three or four players...

- ★ **Drugs:** a canoe full of “Angel Dust”

For five players, add...

- ★ **Personal:** a collection of handcrafted paper origamis

LOCATIONS IN YOUR SETTING

For three, four, or five players...

- ★ A recording studio