## **UNTITLED SCREENPLAY**

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My Name Here

COOKIES

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FADE IN

INT. HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - DAY

SUMA(17) is watching television sitting on a couch. She is home alone.

Her phone rings besides her. Its from her mom. She answers it.

MOM (OS)

Hi sweetie. Everything ok.

SUMA

Yep. Not to worry.

MOM (OS)

Sorry had to leave so urgently. You know your aunt's got badly injured.

SUMA

Don't worry. Take your time and say get well soon to her on my behalf.

MOM (OS)

Of course. We will be there in an hour. Bye.

SUMA

Bye.

Call ends.

## SOME TIME LATER

She checks on her phone and it is over an hour now and her parents are not yet home.

Little worried, she calls them. But neither of them answers.

The doorbell rings and SUMA rushes to open it.

INT. HOUSE - DOORWAY - CONTINUOUS

On the doorsteps she sees AKITA(60s) with grey hair.

AKITA

Hey dear. I'm AKITA from the next door. Welcome to our society. Brought you some home-made cookies.

SUMA takes the cookies.

SUMA

Thanks.

AKITA

Welcome darling. Where are your parents?

CUT TO

INT. COMMERCIAL BUILDING - OFFICE - DAY

A MAN(40) and a WOMAN(35) are seen working on their desktops in hurry.

MAN

Damn we should have been there by now.

WOMAN

Yep. But we must finish what we have been told first.

MAN

She must have taken her medicines right?

The WOMAN didn't answer.

CUT TO

INT. HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

AKITA and SUMA are sitting on the couch. SUMA is looking scared.

AKITA

How long they have been gone?

SUMA

Its been hour and half now. They are not picking up the phone.

AKITA

Try them again.

SUMA dials again. But no answer.

CUT TO

INT. COMMERCIAL BUILDING - OFFICE - CONTINUOUS

The WOMAN looks at her phone.

WOMAN

Hey I got missed calls from her.

MAN

I also got them.

WOMAN

Lets get it done and get going. I almost done. You?

MAN

Just in a minute.

CUT TO

INT. HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

AKITA

Don't worry dear. They will be back soon ok.

SUMA

OK

SUMA touches her head as it begins to hurt.

AKITA

What happen dear?

SUMA

I am having a headache.

AKITA

Should I call the doctor?

SUMA

No. I have my medication.

SUMA takes her medicines.

CUT TO

INT/EXT. CAR - ROAD - CONTINUOUS

The MAN and the WOMAN are in the car driving to their home. They seem panicked.

CUT TO

INT. HOUSE - LIVING ROOM - CONTINUOUS

AKITA

Are you alright?

SUMA

Yes.

AKITA

You need to relax dear?

SUMA

Yes. I am really feeling sleepy.

AKITA

Come let me take you to your room.

Helping her, AKITA takes her to her parent's bedroom.

INT. HOUSE - BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

SUMA hits on the bed and falls asleep within seconds.

Suddenly, sound of a car approaching the driveway is heard.

CUT TO

INT. HOUSE - DOORWAY - CONTINUOUS

AKITA goes to the door and sees a couple getting out.

They immediately open the door and it was unlocked.

MAN

SHIT! The door is unlocked.

The WOMAN seems concerned.

They rush through the house ignoring AKITA.

MAN

SUMA.. SUMA..

WOMAN

She in here OM. In our bedroom.

MO

GOOD GOD!

INT. HOUSE - BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

MO

Is she ok? SIMI.

SIMI

No she is having a fever.

MO

I'll call the doctor.

INT. HOUSE - BEDROOM - SOME TIME LATER

A doctor is seen examining SUMA.

Both OM and SIMI are standing beside SUMA worried.

DOCTOR

She is having a fever.

SIMI breaks down. OM soothes her.

**DOCTOR** 

How is she behaving?

SIMI

She is behaving very oddly.

MO

She seems confused and losted. She doesn't talks much. Not with us as well as her friends.

SIMI

We don't get to spent time either. We both have to work to make our ends meets.

MO

She seems to talk to somebody all the time. Someone only she sees. She even talks on a dead phone. The DOCTOR sighs. And he gestures them to a corner of the room.

DOCTOR

You brought her to the hospital last week. We examined her thoroughly and ran some tests. I afraid to inform you that...

OM

What DOCTOR?

SIMI (STILL SOBBING)

Please tell us.

DOCTOR

We have concluded that your daughter is suffering through a severe case of SCHIZOPHRENIA.

Dead silence in the room.

SIMI breaks down again. OM's eyes also well up.

DOCTOR

Don't worry. We will try are best. Can you bring her to the hospital tomorrow morning?

OM

Definitely.

SIMI

Yes.

DOCTOR

Ok. I'll give prescribe some meds for today. Give her when she wakes up ok.

SIMI

Ok. Thank you DOCTOR.

OM

Thank you DOCTOR.

DOCTOR

Take care.

INT. HOUSE - DOORWAY - CONTINUOUS

OM and SIMI look as the DOCTOR leaves.

OM comforts her wife as she cries.

INT. HOUSE - BEDROOM - CONTINUOUS

We see SUMA's hand twitch.

REVEAL- AKITA standing beside her bed with her home-made cookies, waiting for her to wake up.

THE END