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EXT. PARK - EARLY MORNING

TROY TAYLOR, early 30s with boy next door looks, peruses his newspaper. A sweaty JOHN BROWN, late 30s and darkly attractive, jogs up to his bench to catch his breath.

BROWN

Time, man?

Troy lifts up his wrist, shakes his head with a smile.

BROWN (CONT'D) Well, you do have a cell phone, don't you?

Troy smiles again and reaches for his cell, but Brown reaches over him. Troy freezes until Brown pulls away with some of his newspaper.

> BROWN (CONT'D) Wall Street Journal. Republican?

> > TROY

Libertarian.

Brown gives Troy a more thorough scan this time-- smiles. Dazzling. He pulls off his sweat stained muscle shirt.

BROWN

Man, I should've wore cotton. I think I'm overheating.

Troy swallows hard. Brown smiles -- he's got him. He slides onto the bench next to Troy, closes his eyes and leans back. He is indeed hot.

Troy can't help looking at the man. He checks to see if anyone else is around. The coast is clear. Brown could almost be sleeping. Hands trembling, Troy reaches for his newspaper, which is right besides Brown.

A gentle hand stops him. The dancing brown eyes are open now, smiling. Troy leaves his hand underneath Brown's longer than he should before pulling back.

> BROWN (CONT'D) So... do you have the time?

Troy reaches for his cell but Brown's faster, offering his hand.

BROWN (CONT'D) John Brown.

Is that your real name?

Brown passes him a business card. Troy scans it, offers his hand.

TROY (CONT'D)

Troy Taylor.

The men shake a little longer than they should. Brown's knee touches Troy's. Troy doesn't pull back. His cell buzzes. He gives Brown his back to answer.

TROY (CONT'D) Yeah, hi honey. Fine. I can't talk now. I'll give you a call in five. Me too.

BROWN You have a slight accent. East?

TROY (rising)

Connecticut.

Brown, his eyes inviting, nods his head in the direction of where Troy should sit back down.

BROWN Stay a bit. C'mon.

TROY No. I'm sorry. You got me wrong.

Brown's eyebrows go up.

BROWN Well, if you want to get it right. You got my number. KATE GARRISON, 50s and well-groomed, looks up from her desk at a suited JOHN BROWN. Her desk is as immaculate as her suit, and her eyes as clear as her voice is comforting.

KATE

You're an excellent operative, John. ERA's best. But... is it possible you pushed too hard? Can we lose him?

BROWN We won't. I'm definitely his type.

KATE And Taylor? Is Taylor your type?

BROWN Everyone in pants is my type. (smiling gently) Except present company, of course.

KATE

Of course.

Kate allows herself a brief smile. One point -- John.

KATE (CONT'D) (leaning back) I think... Taylor is your type. Closeted Christian. Emotionally unavailable.

John makes a show of sitting down.

BROWN I'm waiting for the punch-line.

KATE

John. You do have a history of self-sabotage. When it comes to relationships, of course. And--

Brown paints a false smile. One point -- Kate.

BROWN Maybe you should save the psychology stuff for your clients.

Checks his watch and offers an exaggerated sigh.

KATE Well, since you're in such a rush. Report.

BROWN Fine. I baited. Taylor resisted. Nice ass, though. I'll get him. No worries.

Kate leans over, maternal-like.

KATE

Now don't get defensive, John.

BROWN

But...

KATE

As White Cell's team leader... in your professional opinion-- besides Taylor's nice ass-- remind me why we need him. Don't you have a contact already inside? The intel. about Taylor was accurate.

BROWN

... We're running into some... challenges hacking Hallelujah's system. And I don't want my contact aware of our intentions.

Kate's eyebrows go up.

KATE

Challenges? Your man set up their computer network.

BROWN I'll be all over him tomorrow.

KATE

You'll be all over him tonight. (realizing her mistake) So we need Taylor because...

BROWN We need a mole inside Hallelujah.

We really don't know what's going on there.

KATE The whole fucking elephant pack agenda, man.