

SCENE I

EXT. SUPERMARKET PARKING LOT - DAY

There is a well-dressed, confident, and energetic POLITICIAN, 38, on stage speaking. She invigorates the audience.

POLITICIAN
(into microphone)
Imagine a world full of certainty.
One, where the intentions and
safety of others is predicated on
goodwill.

Jared joins the ASSEMBLY; somewhere towards the back.

POLITICIAN
Not a world where privacy is
compromised, but a world where we
can identify and correct the
instability of irrational behavior.
We will not suffer our children to
live in a world suffocated by fear.

The Assembly CHEERS! Jared looks down; distracted.

POLITICIAN
It's time to enjoy this long-
awaited freedom. Every last gun, in
every last home, has been
registered to only law-abiding
citizens... possessing certifiable
levels of servitude and stability.

Jared spots an open WALLET on the ground.

POLITICIAN
We can now bask in the serenity of
peace... for we have preserved our
humanity... through the enforcement
of stricter gun laws and tighter
controls.

The Assembly ROARS!