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Tyson was stopped unexpectedly and that put him in a foul mood. He couldn't help gazing at the woman indifferently, checking her up and down.

The woman appeared to be about the same age as Celia, and she was dressed in designer clothes. Her hair was long and curly, and beautifully maintained. Her face was unblemished and oval in shape. Her facial features were exquisite. Furthermore, her delicate skin had a faint blush. She was a stunning beauty.

But it didn't matter how beautiful she was. In Tyson's eyes, she was just a strange, unknown woman, so he asked coldly, "Who are you?"

The woman smiled from ear to ear, and got straight to the point. "Mr. Reyes, I am Nora Aston, the daughter of the owner of the Aston Group, and I want to go out with you."

The Aston Group was also an established company in Hosworth, and the size of the business was not small. Although it was not large enough to be compared with the top giants like the Shaw Group and the Evans Group, it could easily match up to the current Semshy Group.

When Tyson didn't speak, Nora continued, "Mr. Reyes, I know it's probably a bit forward to say this, but I fell in love with you when I first met you at a party a few months ago. I really like your heartless attitude. I find it a bit of a challenge and it makes me want to win you over. I hope you can take the time to get to know me, and by doing so, give the Aston Group and Semshy Group an opportunity to

work together."

Finally, Tyson understood what her intentions were, but he didn't even look at her. He pushed straight past her and got into the car.

Nora was not deterred by this and simply shouted from behind the car, "Mr. Reyes, it doesn't matter if you turn me down now. I just wanted you to know that one day I will become Mrs. Reyes!"

Seeing Tyson's glum expression, Briar sped up quickly and drove away.

While driving, he thought that Nora's dream would never come true in a million years. The position of Mrs. Reyes had been taken long ago.

Briar was still thinking about it when Tyson suddenly said, "Don't let my wife know about what just happened."

Nodding repeatedly, Briar's expression showed that he understood completely. For all intents and purposes, their CEO was a kept man.

This beautiful lady had no chance at all.

By the time Tyson returned to the office, it was almost the end of the work day. He changed his clothes, put on his mask, and drove the Volkswagen to pick up Celia as he always did.

As Celia filled him in about the show, he listened with a knowing smile.

Returning home, he cooked and washed the dishes as usual. Then he fell asleep, tenderly holding Celia in his arms.

He enjoyed this way of life, and he was even willing to pay any price to be able to live like this day after day, year after

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The next morning, as soon as Celia arrived at work, she knocked on the director's office door, holding the evidence of Kiley's crimes.

She wanted to bring the matter of Kiley to a formal conclusion.

This time, she would take the lead.

She handed over the evidence to Shirley. "I hope you can punish Kiley severely for stealing my design. If it wasn't because I had a deep suspicion of her, and I was always on guard and cautious around her, I think my design would have been stolen and used already. You also saw what Livia was wearing at the show yesterday, right? Well, that was my first draft. If I hadn't been careful and changed the design, I'm afraid Semshy Group and I would be in the headlines today, and countless people would be accusing us of plagiarism."

Shirley clicked on the surveillance footage that she had been given and read the first draft of the design submitted by Celia. Her face darkened with anger.

After some length, she raised her head and said to Celia, "Cece, I am aware of the situation now. You go back to your desk and continue with your work. I will handle Kiley."

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It was exactly the same time Kiley arrived at the company that Celia walked out of Shirley's office.

Livia had not just given Kiley a talking-to the previous day, she had also asked her to pay back the money she had paid her. This made her morose.

She thought that everything was going according to plan. Not once did it cross her mind that Celia might not be telling her the truth. As a result, Livia ended up losing to Vida in the show because of the useless design draft Kiley gave her.

How on earth was she supposed to repay the money to Livia? She had already given it to her parents.

Anger seethed within Kiley. So as soon as she saw Celia, her emotions got the better of her. "You told me you did not change your draft, didn't you? Why then did Vida wear an entirely different dress to the show yesterday? You've been lying to me!"

"Why did my changing the draft matter to you so much?" Celia asked with a smile on her face. "It's definitely because you have been plagiarizing my design, isn't it?"

Celia's questions caught Kiley unawares.

While both of them were going back and forth, several other colleagues of theirs who were already at work heard them. In no time, all eyes were on Kiley. They began to discuss among themselves in hushed tones.

"Did she really plagiarize? Is that why they are exchanging

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words? How can that be? Kiley hasn't been in charge of any project of late, has she?"

"Well, I don't know for sure. But why was she so interested in Celia's design of Vida's dress?"

"Did you not watch the show yesterday? Was it just a coincidence that Livia wore a similar dress to Vida's? I prefer to think that Kiley had something to do with it. Recently, I saw her drawing the draft secretly."

Almost everyone had one thing or the other to say.

Finally, Kiley was sick and tired of listening to their murmurings. She was about to say something to every single one of them when she heard the sound of someone walking high heels.

It was none other than Shirley. She was holding a document in her hand.

After sauntering towards Kiley, she said with a serious look on her face. "You are fired!"

"Me?" Kiley was stunned. Although, she knew in her mind that there were more than enough reasons for her to be sacked. "I don't get it. Why?"

"This company does not tolerate any form of plagiarism. You've gone against that rule," Shirley replied sternly.

"I can't believe this!" Kiley tried to feign innocence, in an attempt to deny having any knowledge of what was leveled against her. "Miss Carter, Celia's accusations are nothing but lies. My designs are safely kept in the company's file. I haven't taken over a new project since she joined us. So how could I have possibly plagiarized her work?"

"Let me make something clear to you, Kiley. If you think I'm one to go about slandering people like you, then you are

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wrong!" Celia said before showing her the flash drive. "I asked to be transferred to a seat under surveillance in order to get the evidence of your plagiarism. Here is the video. Miss Carter has seen it."

To further buttress her point, she didn't just stop there. "That's not all. You drugged me during the dinner party of our department, and it's easy for me to find evidence. You'd better not be too stubborn and leave, or I will find more evidence to testify against you."

The expression on Kiley's face changed. She began to feel uneasy.

"Since it has come to this, if you still refuse to admit that you plagiarized and stole Celia's design draft, then our company will send someone to ask Livia," Shirley said. "You made her lose face. So I don't think she has any reason to not tell the truth. Just so you know, the company has the right to check the records in your computer."

At this juncture, Kiley became very scared.

She had no idea that her crimes would be exposed, so there was still evidence of plagiarism in the computer.

She had no choice but to come clean. "Actually, I... I admit that I plagiarized her design," she stuttered. "But I have good reasons to do so. It wasn't my intention to go against the company's policy. I just wanted to vent my anger."

Tears rolled down her cheeks while she spoke. "I'm sorry, Cece. I know I was wrong. Kindly accept my apology. I promise not to do anything wrong to you again!"

In the past, Celia would have been touched by Kiley's plea. But a lot had changed about her after being harmed so many times. She was no longer as softhearted as she used to be.

"Don't beg me. It is not in my place to make any decision pertaining to your staying or leaving the company."

"Miss Carter, please forgive me. Kindly think about how long I have been working as your subordinate." She turned to Shirley. "I'm the breadwinner of my family. It is extremely important that I keep this job. It's okay if you deduct my salary and bonus. But please don't fire me."

Shirley didn't change her mind. "The Semshy Group doesn't need an employee like you. Pack up your things as soon as possible and go to the human resources department to handle your resignation procedures."

It became clear to Kiley that she wouldn't continue to work with the company anymore. Things could even get worse for her if she stayed much longer. So she looked at Celia angrily, packed up her things and left.