

BUILT 1



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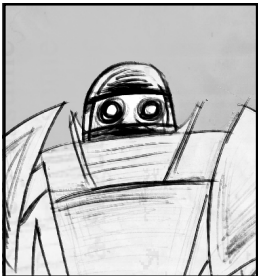
"ALWAYS ON"

STORY & WORDS:

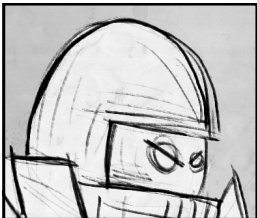
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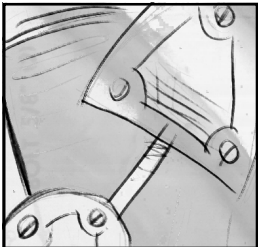
I'M ALWAYS ON.



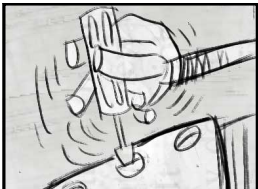
IT'S WHAT
MAKES ME GOOD
AT WHAT I DO.



WHAT I WAS
DESIGNED TO DO.



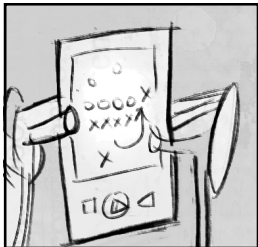
WHAT I WAS
BUILT TO DO.



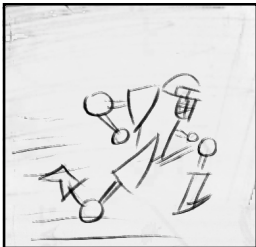
WHEN THE OTHERS
ARE TURNED OFF,
I'M IMPROVING
MYSELF.



REPLAYING
THE DAY.



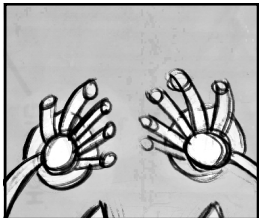
ANALYZING
EVERYTHING.



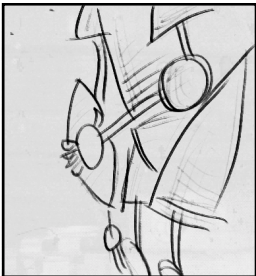
BECOMING
PERFECT.



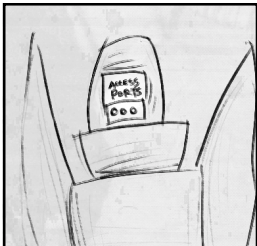
WHICH IS WHY
I'M BROKEN.



I WANT MORE
THAN I WAS
BUILT FOR.



I AM NOT A TOY.



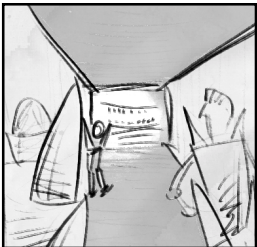
I AM NOT JUST
A MACHINE.



I WASN'T MADE
JUST TO BE
REPLACED BY
THE NEXT MODEL.



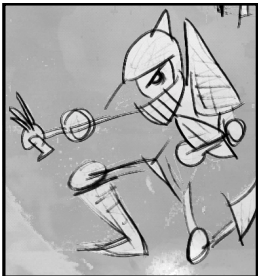
I WANT TO
STAY ALIVE.



SO I NEED
TO GET OUT.



THE GAME STARTS.



I'M MULTI-TASKING.



FORMULATING
AN ESCAPE
PATH AS I PLAY.



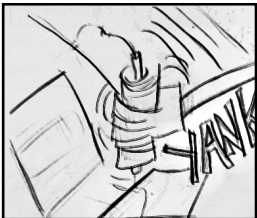
IT MAKES
ME SLOPPY.



I TAKE A HIT THAT
PULLS TWO FINGERS
OFF MY LEFT HAND.



IT BRINGS ME
BACK INTO THE
GAME.

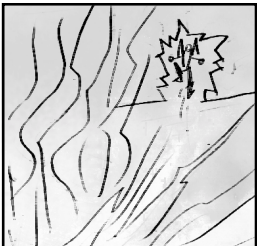


I PULL OUT AN
OPPONENT'S
POWER CELL...



... & THROW IT AT
THE GLASS OF
THE ARENA.

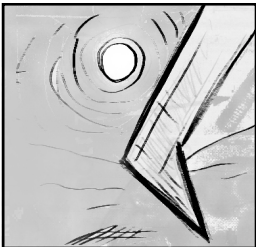




I ESCAPE IN
THE CHAOS.



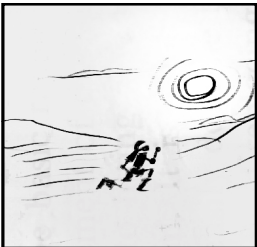
RUNNING IN
THE OPEN AIR.



FEELING THE SUN
HEAT MY BODY.



THIS IS FREEDOM.



THIS IS BEING
HUMAN.



I STOP RUNNING.



I JUST STARE
AT THE SKY.



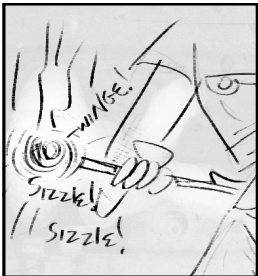
I'M NOT SURE
HOW MUCH TIME
PASSES.



WHICH MEANS I'M
MALFUNCTIONING.



SUDDENLY I'M
SURROUNDED BY
HUMANS.



WITH WEAPONS.

I AM LIKE YOU.



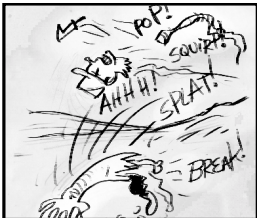
I TRY TO
TALK TO THEM.



THEY ATTACK.



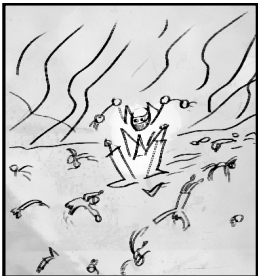
MY INSTINCTS &
PROGRAMMING
TAKE OVER.



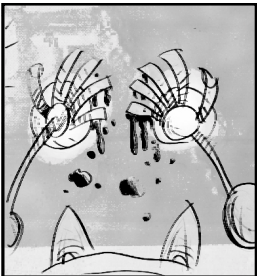
THEY'RE MORE
FRAGILE THAN I
ANTICIPATED.



BEFORE I KNOW IT...



...THEY'RE ALL DEAD.



IT WAS AN ACCIDENT.



I START TO RUN.



I JUST WANT
TO STAY ALIVE.



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