

DIEM SCRIPT SAMPLE

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GRIFFIN

This is a disaster! How could you botch a first contact so badly? You realize, Vicus, this was our actual first contact with alien intelligence!

DIEM

Sir, I was in charge. It's my fault. The alien acted aggressively, the team was in danger. I gave the order. I take the blame.

VICUS

Ma'am, all due respect. It was the creature's fault! It attacked you and Rotam! I fired before--

DIEM

That may be the case, Vicus, but I do not need you to come to my defense here. You did so admirably on the alien ship. All of you did. We acted as one unit, a team. But I led the team up there and I'll thank you to allow me to do the same down here! Stand down, Vicus.

GRIFFIN

We will be examining the tapes and your reports. You will be under more scrutiny because this was our first contact.

DIEM

I know. I will accept any conclusion you come to. Just know, it was my judgement call, not Vicus' itchy trigger finger. And if I was wrong, I'll take full responsibility.