**Newsroom**

MAN 1 - You think we got her out of bed?

LEONA - You did not get me out of bed. I just paid $1,000 to see Skyfall and attend a party at the Museum of Modern Art. The proceeds are going to the Tribeca Film Festival. You know why?

MAN 1 - To support the arts?

LEONA - To meet Daniel Craig.

MAN 1 - Did you?

LEONA - Hurricane Sandy and the airports.

MAN - He wasn't there?

LEONA - He was not there. You look like Daniel Craig. Get up. Oh, you look less like him now. Sit back down. And what about you? Why so glum, sugarplum?

MAN - We're gonna resign, Leona. It's what has to happen now. Elliot Hirsch, Sloan Sabbith, Terry Smith, Dayside ACN, ACN.We understand the integrity of the news is more important--

LEONA - Than one individual. That is beautiful. Not as beautiful as Daniel Craig.

MAN - Leona.

LEONA- I'd have sent my plane. I'd have sent my plane.

MAN - We're not fucking around.

LEONA - You will resign when I fire you out of petty malice and not before.

MAN - Our trust numbers are—

LEONA - Yeah, they're bad.

MAN - They're fatal.

MAN 2 - Firing Jerry was obviously the right thing to do, but it wasn't enough and we've known that for two months. Charlie and I have to go.

LEONA - And Twiggy over here?

WOMAN 2 - It was my fault.

LEONA - McMac. Can I call you McMac? Doesn't matter, I'm gonna anyway, McMac. Your head's up your ass.

WOMAN 2 - Mrs. Lansing.

LEONA - Guy comes in here into my hizzy-- guy comes in here, cooks an interview, no remorse. It goes on air. You, I don't know what you'd do to Sherlock Holmes this thing. I wouldn't be able to figure it out and I'm the smartest person in the room.

MAN - Well, I wouldn't go that

LEONA - Oh, shut the fuck up, you Daniel Craig wannabe.

MAN - I don't want to be Daniel Craig.

LEONA- Well, you should want to be Daniel Craig. Everybody should.

MAN 2 - Leona, are you stoned?

LEONA - You know, my makeup lasts a long time.

MAN 2 - Oh, jeez.

WOMAN 2 - Mrs. Lansing.

LEONA - No, no, please, call me-- Continue to call me Mrs. Lansing.

MAN – Leona.

LEONA - Guy comes into my house which I love. Which I bet you guys didn't know.
But I love it. I love ACN. You don't make me a nickel and you cause headaches for the divisions that do, but you make me-- You make me so proud. God, guy comes in here, cooks an interview, and this ends up with-- 'Cause he's unemployable he gets a $5 million settlement and the three of you leave? Oh, I don't think so. And McMac. That's a name that's really starting to grow on me. She doesn't have to go. Nobody's ever heard of her.
But she's going to do the honorable thing. And what's expected of me, huh? Not to do the honorable thing? What's expected of me? No, I do not accept your resignations.
And Jerry Dantana's not gonna get one fucking dollar. I got some kick-ass courtroom outfits.

MAN - You have to accept our resignations and you have to settle. He'll take it to trial and win. There was an institutional failure and he was the only one fired.

BECCA - Then you'll need a good lawyer. Lee, don't accept their resignations.

LEONA- I already wasn't accepting their resignations, Becca. Don't horn in on my honorable thing. God, I mean, can't a lady have

MAN 2 - Leona, we don't have the trust of the public anymore.

LEONA- Get it back!