**SESSION THREE: Facilitator Information: NARRATIVE**

Beth is really looking forward to the party on Friday night. She is well up for getting drunk with the girls, well apart from Elisha who refuses to chill out and get as drunk as everyone else. Harry will be there, she is slightly worried that he may try and take advantage of her at the house party.

**Should Beth:**

**A – Still plan on getting wasted and worry about the consequences later**

**OR**

**B – Think about being more in control like Elisha and enjoy the party without drinking too much alcohol**

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Beth would really like Elisha to get drunk with her and the rest of the girls so she can have a laugh at her expense. Beth is thinking of spiking Elisha’s drink with lots of vodka whilst at the party she thinks it will be a laugh to see Elisha drunk.

**Should Beth:**

**A - Spike her best friend’s drink, she’s being a good friend to Elisha by helping her relax, chill out at the party, making Elisha ‘one of the gang’**

**B –Respect her best friend’s choice, Elisha does have an important judo competition in the morning, Beth will just have to drink without Elisha**

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Beth has been steadily drinking vodka and is getting drunk. One of her friends bumps into her and Beth gets quite aggressive and gets into an argument. Elisha suggests that maybe Beth should stop drinking for a while.

**Should Beth:**

**A – Take Elisha’s advice, she is a good friend always looking out for her, and have soft drinks and no more alcohol**

**B – Find Harry and score a bit of bubble to help sober her up! (common assumption that mephedrone will do this)**

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Beth continues to drink and begins to flirt with some of Nick’s mates. Harry notices and is really angry with her he grabs her arm and drags her away and is quite abusive to her. He demands that she leave the party with him, by this point Beth can barely stand up straight and isn’t really aware of what is going on.

**Should Beth:**

1. **Go with Harry, she doesn’t want to make him any angrier than he already is, it’s just easier in her condition to let someone else make the decisions for her**
2. **Stay at the party ignore Harry hoping that he won’t get even more aggressive and hope that her best mate Elisha will look out for her**

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Tom is enjoying the party he is not drinking as he is driving home and he doesn’t want to risk being caught by the police driving over the limit. He knows the police are always out on the lead up to Christmas. Harry has decided that it’s time for him and Beth to leave and go back to his house even though Beth is supposed to be staying over at the party with Elisha. Beth is looking ‘well out of it’. Harry puts pressure on Tom to leave the party and drive him and Beth back to his house.

**Should Tom:**

1. **Tell Harry that he can’t drive him home but that Harry should take Beth home as she doesn’t look well and might need Elisha to look after her**
2. **Do as Harry says, as he is used to getting his own way, people don’t generally stand up to him and hope that Harry will look after Beth**

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Tom is reluctantly driving a drunken Harry and Beth back to Harry’s place; they have had to stop several times for Beth to be sick as Harry insists on smoking in the car. The car gets pulled over by the police and although he has not been drinking the police search the car as they can smell cannabis. They find some bubble under the passenger seat and as bubble looks like a Class A drug the incident is taken extremely seriously. Tom is questioned by the police about the bubble which he knows nothing about at all.

**Should Tom:**

1. **Tell the police it has nothing to do with him and that the bubble must be Harry’s**
2. **Take the blame as he is scared of what Harry will do to him if he gets him into trouble with the police**

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