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### Script Analysis

Star & Tez- Hey guys it's Star & Tez and the movie we will be analyzing today is Spencer Confidential

Tez- This is not just a movie about good cop/bad cop it holds the incentive of the leveled hierarchy and the unjustly power our system holds. This crime action film directed by Peter Berg and produced by Mark Wahlberg gives us insight on what happens behind the blue and red flashing lights.

Star- Spencer Confidential is about a former ex-con cop Spencer who is charged with assault on his colleague Captain John Boylan. Whilst in the midst of Spencer just being released from his five year sentence, Captain John Boylan is led into a set up leading to his death and his "supposed" killer detective Terrence Graham. Given the intense history of Captain Boylan and Spencer he is at the top of the list of suspects he is then confronted by his former colleague alongside another detective about his whereabouts the morning after late captain boyles death.

Tez- In this scene Spencer and his colleague begin to fight. You can see the anger in Spencer's face due to all of the stuff they put him through, he even begins to black out and starts to have flashbacks to when he fought Captain Boylan. On his last swing you can see him pause and decide to do the right thing and make a citizen's arrest. The FBI then pulls around to the scene and sees enough evidence to make an arrest.

Star- After the FBI made an official arrest, news stations got word of this scandalous arrest; it was in no time that the case was being broadcasted on every news channel. Clips start to fade into multiple flashbacks of the dirty work these cops were doing behind the scenes from hiding evidence, moving drugs, and associating with local vigilantes along with corruption, violence, and murder cover ups.

Star & Tez- These cops are looking at a long sentence.

Tez- As the scene continues into a close up shot of late detective Terrence Graham the news reporters have confirmed The Boston Police Department has released an official apology to Graham's family and that his name is now cleared of all charges related to the unsettling death of Captain John Boylan followed with his official fallen hero Boston PD burial with full honors. In all this craziness Police Officer Terrence Graham's young son Rowan is granted a scholarship.

Star- After a very intense but yet impactful scene there's a wide shot of Spencer and his dog on the beach, which in a sense he seems at peace, now weather the peace is from the justice he has bought to his city and the residents there or the closure he was able to help the Grahams receive we may never know. But in our belief it may have been all and then some.

Star- Spencer Confidential brings what we only imagine happens behind closed doors to a somewhat reality in film form. Peter Berg conducted this film thoroughly through the public's imagination and the media's influences. This movie relates to our everyday problems just starting off with the simple fact that our justice system is flawed. Police officers are one of society's biggest law enforced organizations put in place to keep our communities safe and keep peace in the streets. In a turn of unfortunate events that isn't always the case, police brutality increases every year with minimum punishment, drug and evidence tampering isn't anything new to them, and the corruption within the co-workers can be a toxic lead.

Tez- IMDb has a rating of 6.2/10 for Spencer Confidential. Us personally we think it deserves a 9/10 it executed the plot well which was to unravel a murder conspiracy and police corruption. I Can understand where some people may find a disconnect within the movie because although it is good for entertainment purposes it can be controversial depending on the audience. We definitely recommend you guys to watch it.