

THE JUMPER

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- 4 Actors, Crowd of looky-loo extras
- 1 location (building with roof ledge)
- 1 bullhorn, 2 cop cars, barricades, uniforms

EXT. TALL BUILDING - DAY

A cop car barrels around a police barricade.

FROM LEDGE: OTS of our JUMPER we see down to the street as the cop car races up. Down below there is also another cop car with a cop standing with a bullhorn. A large crowd has gathered to watch.

BACK TO GROUND LEVEL: The cop car barks to a stop and COP 1 and the WIFE jump out and race to the cop with the bullhorn.

COP 1

I've got the wife!

BULLHORN COP

Sir! We have your wife here!

WIFE

GET YOURSELF DOWN HERE THIS SECOND!

BULLHORN COP

Ma'am, please! Sir, your wife is here and is pleading--

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I'VE ALREADY TOLD YOU, NO COLONOSCOPY!

BULLHORN COP

... What the?  
(to wife)  
What'd he say?

WIFE

He doesn't want to have a colonoscopy.

BULLHORN COP

(accidentally through  
horn)  
You gotta be sh ...  
(back through bullhorn)  
SIR! Please step back off the ledge. You  
don't have to have a colonoscopy!

THE ENTIRE CROWD TURNS TO THE COP AND GASPS! ... Silence.

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The cop looks left and right.

BULLHORN COP (CONT'D)

Well, sure, you should, but you don't ...

(looks around again)

Have you tried Gastro Associates? That's where I go. They're great.

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NO! You have to drink that stuff, and then, and then ...

COP 1

(to bullhorn cop)

You know they do a pill now. Piece of cake.

BULLHORN COP

Listen, they do a pill now. Drink some water. Piece of cake.

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They serve cake? ...

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