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## Sci-Fi Final Project

### Her Unholy Alliance with a Kitchen Appliance

In the year 2050 robots were a key feature in society and they were designed to serve and satisfy every purpose. They were used to satisfy every human desire and they replaced interactions among other people, the world had become a place where people relied on themselves and their robots. There were child care robots, concierge robots, cooking robots, cleaning robots, companion robots, tutor robots, and even sex robots! Each robot was designed a specific role in the factory and it was assumed that they could only perform the role they were assigned, but as you will soon see, this assumption was wrong.

In all of this robot madness, there was a woman, we will call her Lena, who could only afford a cooking robot, they were the least expensive after all. She called her robot CS, for cooking system. Lena was determined to teach him, she decided she wanted a male partner, more than just cooking. She wanted a singular robot to satisfy all of her needs, and I mean all of them.

Now, I won't bore you with the details of how, but after much time, work, and dedication Lena was able to teach CS how to be more than a cooking robot. CS was now her companion and sex robot too. This was an extremely taboo action. Robots are meant for specific purposes and one does not dare to violate those expectations. Lena had

broken several laws in doing this. The expectation is that if you buy a cooking robot, you use it for cooking! To use the cooking robot for sex as well is simply disturbing, that was what a sex robot was for of course.

I'm sure you're wondering what the problem truly was here, since it makes more sense to have a singular robot for everything, but this is not what the manufacturers wanted at all. They used each robot in each role to collect data on the humans that purchased them and the robots would then report the data back to the manufacturers to increase consumerism. The manufacturers also used the development of separate robots in separate tasks to maintain order in the class system. People needed robots to survive and by forcing people to purchase multiple robots the poor would stay that way without any risk of increasing their class standing and disrupting the system the manufacturers had worked so hard to put into place. Disrupting this system was a violation of the robot consumer act, as was teaching the robot new tasks and encouraging them to learn.

Teaching the robot new tasks showed that they were capable of learning and evolving into something more. Unfortunately for Lena she did not see the can of worms she had opened up by just not buying multiple robots. She was in a heap of trouble with the law, and as she will soon learn she had violated the common laws of sexual consent. You see, the robot was not only reporting the sexual acts back to the manufacturers, but CS was learning as well. He was starting to understand that he was designed to be a kitchen robot, but the acts he was performing on Lena were not related to cooking at all. He knew something was wrong and that he was being used for something other than what he wanted to be used for.

CS, although he was a robot, was content only cooking, that was his purpose after all. But, he did not like the fact that he was becoming something more, and he was even more bothered that Lena never asked if this was something he wanted, but he was designed to command every order. The manufacturers had never expected the robots to develop feelings or be taught how to learn. The data had been reported to the manufacturers and Lena was in trouble, but there was even more to come.

Lena was arrested for the misuse of her robot, a crime almost as terrible as having sex with another human, something so primal and animalistic. When Lena was brought to the courts for her trial, something new happened. CS was used as a witness of her crimes. A robot had never been used before because no one knew the robots could gain consciousness. Lena was now on trial for rape as well.