Quorum - The Messenger's Tale - Side for MELISSA

MELISSA

Thanks. Come on in. I thought they were done, but it's just... they're trying to make sure they've got everything right. Don't get another shot at this.

SOUND: FOOTSTEPS ENTERING

(VOICES REVERBERATE IN A LARGE ENTRY HALL, WORKERS BUSTLING IN THE BACKGROUND)

SOUND: DOOR CLOSING

MELISSA

Do you need a towel or anything?

SWIPE

I'm cool. I'll just stay here, by the door. Don't want to drip on anything.

MELISSA

Oh, that's fine.

(YAWNING)

I'm sure it'll just be another minute.

SWIPE

Long day?

MELISSA

Long day, followed by a long night, and another long day. Been up since... maybe six yesterday morning?