

**SIDE B**

**VERUCA  
MR. SALT**

**SCENE 6: VERUCA**

**PHINEOUS TROUT**

Ladies and Gentlemen, the worldwide rush for Wonka Bars is getting bigger by the minute. It seems a second Golden Ticket has been found.

*(WONKA gestures for Veruca's Golden Ticket to light.  
#10 – GOLDEN TICKET LIGHT BOX 2 begins, then  
#11 – NEWS FLASH UNDERSCORE begins.)*

**(PHINEOUS TROUT)**

We're off to our live remote in São Paulo, Brazil, where things are "sweet" for Veronica Salt.

**START**

*(VERUCA and MR. SALT, her father, enter.)*

**VERUCA**

That's Veruca, you imbecile! Veruca, Veruca, Veruca!

**PHINEOUS TROUT**

*(purposefully ignoring VERUCA)*

So, Mr. Salt, I understand you "sweetened" Veruca's chances with a little assistance?

**MR. SALT**

As soon as my little girl told me that she simply had to have one of those Golden Tickets, I bought hundreds of thousands of Wonka Bars. I'm in the nut business – peanuts, cashews, but mainly Brazil nuts. So I had my factory girls stop shelling Brazil nuts and start shelling wrappers.

**VERUCA**

Daddy, that hideous reporter said my name wrong, on live television! Can't you get him fired?

**MR. SALT**

For you dear, anything... anyway... after days of shelling chocolate, one of my factory gals finally found the blasted Golden Ticket. I let her take the lucky piece of chocolate home to her seventeen kids...

**PHINEOUS TROUT**

*(sarcastically)*

How generous!

**VERUCA**

Daddy, now he's being sarcastic! I want him fired. Fired! You hear me? Fired, fired, fired!

*(#12 – NEWS FLASH (PLAYOFF) begins.)*

**STOP**