




**A BLUE  
WARNING?!**

**WE HAVEN'T  
SEEN A BLUE  
WARNING FLARE  
FOR A FEW  
DECADES!**



**COMMANDER  
WAN, AN  
INCOMING  
CALL FROM  
SQUAD 3!**


**HAND IT  
TO ME.**





COMMANDER...  
COMMANDER WAN,

WE HAVE BEEN  
BESIEGED BY BEASTS,  
EVEN THE LIGHTNING  
MAGE DIED IN THE  
LINE OF DUTY!



THE LIGHTNING  
MAGE FROM SQUAD  
3 WAS UNABLE TO  
RELEASE.....





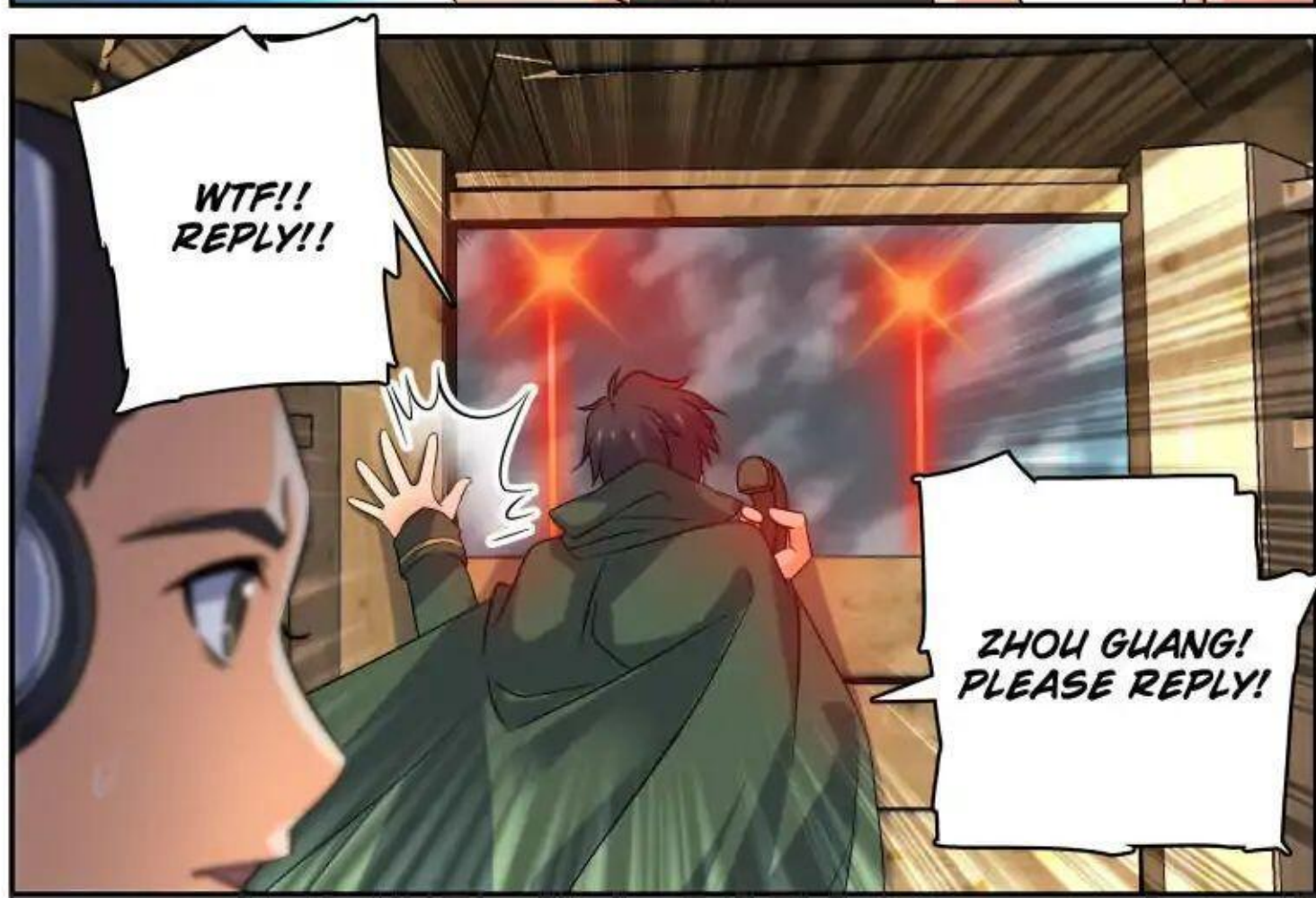




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CHUGHH CHUGHH  
CHUGHHH ———



**WTF!!  
REPLY!!**

**ZHOU GUANG!  
PLEASE REPLY!**





.....COMMANDER  
WAN?

The panel shows two characters in a control room. On the left, a girl with short dark hair and a black choker looks concerned. On the right, a boy with spiky dark hair and a headset looks serious. The background consists of dark, angular panels.

WHAT SHOULD  
WE DO NOW?



ACTIVATE THE  
CRIMSON WARNING  
FLARE!!

A close-up of a character with dark hair and a determined expression. The background is a bright blue light with radiating lines.





**CRIMSON  
WARNING  
FLARE?!**

**THAT  
MEANS THERE  
ARE MORE THAN A  
THOUSAND BEASTS  
SURROUNDING THE  
CITY!**



**COMMANDER  
WAN, YOU'RE NOT  
JOKING, RIGHT?**

**ENOUGH!!**

**JUST OBEY  
MY ORDERS!**







**CAPTAIN!**

**IT'S THE  
CRIMSON  
WARNING  
FLARE!**



HOW IS THIS  
POSSIBLE?  
WE HAVEN'T  
ENCOUNTERED EVEN  
A SINGLE STRAND OF  
BEAST HAIR ON  
OUR PATROLS!





GROWL

WTF?!



