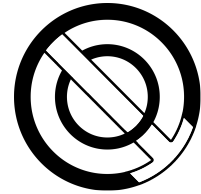


Anomalous Entity Report

"Piano man"



Subject - 0029¹

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1 Specification

S-0029 is a Steinway model B classic grand piano. S-0029's surface is that of a polished black material with occasional gold plated ornamental pieces in its design. S-0029 unusually weighs 320 pounds, which is just under half of what its real counterpart would weigh. S-0029 stands at 6' 11" tall and has a width of 58". S-0029 can be mistaken for a completely normal grand piano due to its almost perfect disguise, however, S-0029 is able to open its front area into a mouth-like shape when aggravated, losing most of its piano-like form. In this state, the keys of the piano become S-0029's main tool for chewing, taking the appearance of a set of teeth. It is unknown whether S-0029 possesses any other forms of ingurgitation.



Fig. 1. S-0029 as seen in Facility 28 recreational suite.

2 Containment Procedures

S-0029 can be kept in a minimal security containment cell. The only containment procedure is that no instruments or other sources of music should be brought near S-0029. S-0029 is

permitted to be played by stressed personnel given the right clearance and an assessment of musical abilities. I must note that the research team has not advised this arrangement for future facilities.

3 Behaviour

S-0029 can only communicate with piano keys and thus musical expressions. It has no other method of communication that could be intelligible to a human. S-0029 hates any other type of music and instruments. If not played (well) then it will begin to show signs of distress, such as low discordant sounds emanating from deep within S-0029. S-0029 has been observed to even crush Category-Cs, or alternatively [REDACTED] and swallowed them whole. It can play itself, and often does to communicate its mood. It seems to play music corresponding to certain events, such as playing Toccata and Fugue in D minor by J. S. Bach during the the major breach of Facility 14, which eventually prompted its relocation. When played satisfactorily, the mood of the player is often elevated with most reporting a euphoric feeling shortly after playing. It is believed S-0029 is also able to alter its dimensions freely, but this has not been observed since S-0029's procurement.

4 Origination

During a concert in [REDACTED] opera house loacted in Sweden, S-0029 was being played by a master pianist. After the pianist finished the opening piece, S-0029 [REDACTED] him when the rest of the orchestra kicked in. It then began to enlarge to double its size and [REDACTED] 10 more people. The authorities passed it off as a mass shooting as the corporation started their investigation. S-0029 was discovered to be an anomalous entity when Agent Myers was attacked whilst jokingly playing around with a violin he found at the crime scene. He survived with grave injuries [See addendum 1] and S-0029 was apprehended and shipped off the the nearest facility.

5 Postscript

5.1 Addendum 1

Agent Myers was quickly rushed to Facility 14 (See figure 2). Agent Myers after the attack was left with 80% of his upper body intact and functional. The other 20%, mostly his lower body, was either surgically removed or were removed by S-0029 during the attack. Multiple splinters of sizes varying from millimetres to centimetres were extracted from Myers' body. Myers was placed in an induced coma at this point and required extensive medical care. He currently remains on life support with the expected expiry date being on [REDACTED].



Fig. 2. David Myers in Facility 14's infirmary.