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## The Picture Agent

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and despite repeated warnings be duped by them. When they call at a residence, they represent that
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