71 CONTD.

STOKER

(calling)
Where's the girl?

RUSSELL thumbs at him, and STOKER hurries past into the wings and hustles her into a corner.

ANGIE

(partly OC)
Stoker ... I thought you'd never ask.

71A (ex. Sc. 69) INT. GRANADA - DANIELS' TABLE. NIGHT. 71A
An awkward silence.

DANIELS

(cautiously)
Can I get you a drink?

HARDING

Ta. Large Scotch.

HARDING invites his HEAVIES to the same. They both nod.

HARDING

Three.

DANIELS' face falls. He snaps his fingers at the GIRL serving behind the bar.

DANIELS

(calling)

Three large whisky's, luv.

HARDING

Not having one yourself?

DANIELS

(fingering his milkshake)
No, I er ... I never mix.

HARDING raises his eye-brows.

STOKER

Now before we get started, the Management's requested me to sniff out the owner of these ...