**THE PROM** Audition Side # 3 – Emma and Alyssa

EMMA's phone rings. Lights back up on the real prom. ALYSSA is on her phone.

EMMA

Alyssa?

# ALYSSA

I swear, I had no idea.

# EMMA

How could you not know? You were on the prom committee.

# ALYSSA

It was Kaylee and Shelby. They figured out we were together, and they made sure I didn't find out. They didn't want me to tell you.

#### EMMA

I don't believe you.

ALYSSA

Do you think I would do something like this to you?

# EMMA

Then come meet me.

ALYSSA

I can't.

You can't or won't.

ALYSSA

EMMA

(Crying.) My mom is here.

EMMA

Well, leave her.

ALYSSA

She's watching me every second.

#### EMMA

Then tell her you're gay! Tell her we're in love! That was the plan, right?

## ALYSSA

I can't. It's bad enough that Kaylee and Shelby know.

# EMMA

Bad enough?

# ALYSSA

I mean it's not like I thought it would be. I'm sorry.

# EMMA

You're sorry. Great. That fixes everything. Have fun at the normal person's prom!

She hangs up.

ALYSSA

Emma? Emma?