

Signature drink: The BE-37 Special, aka BE3tlejuice.

In the far reaches of the ISD-II Hammer, in a disused and forgotten corner of its cargo bays, lays a conspicuous storage container. It would be hard to miss the faint red glow coming from that particular crate. A viscous fluid was always oozing out the sides of the crate. This was true no matter how many times the cleaning droids wiped down the area; more would always seem to appear.

From time to time this storage crate would have a visitor. A KX-Series security droid could be seen sneaking around the crate. This particular droid would open the crate, scoop out a decent amount of the red substance, then leave as clumsy as he came.

This red slop was none other than the Lambda private reserve cargo-container-aged beet juice. This turned out to be the secret ingredient in the BE-37 special. The BE-37 Special was invented by the eponymous bartender/droid erotica author droid, and occasional test proctor BE-37.

The taste of the drink wasn't discussed much, probably because it was radioactive fermented beet juice, but the effects were. Rarely were the effects described the same way twice. They were a very personal experience for anyone who took a drink. There was some conjecture everyone who had a drink of it was making up a cool story about it to fit in. In fact, the consumer of a BE37 Special (also known as BE3tlejuice) - could not be remembered. It also proved to be a potent amnesiac. These effects were then discovered by Imperial Security. They were then immediately used for enhanced interrogation techniques.

It became the signature drink (or so BE thought) of the Bastion because BE-37 would push it on people. These people then wouldn't remember, only to keep drinking more of it later. Longer term hallucinogenic effects were unknown (except for perhaps Imperial Security). Some of the heaviest consumers of the beverage were in Lambda Squadron, and several even went AWOL after prolonged exposure. It could be inferred complete loss of memory or worse was possible. The crate of fermented beets has been dwindling in stock of late, and it could be on its final leg as a beverage at all.

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