

## BrainDagger Films Announces Screenplay Development of Moe Taylor's 2003 Cult Novel, 'The Viral Limit'

Film Adaptation Titled "Take Warning" Explores a Darker Thread in Moe Taylor's Cinematic Cosmos, In Stark Contrast to His 2021 Flagship Film, "As Organism"

CLEVELAND, OH, UNITED STATES, July 12, 2025 /EINPresswire.com/ -- <u>BrainDagger Films</u> has officially announced the screenplay adaptation of Moe Taylor's 2003 cult novel <u>The Viral Limit</u>. The feature film, retitled Take Warning, is now in active development with a screenplay underway — marking a stark thematic pivot from the filmmaker's more recent work. Taylor has tasked long-time colleague, Mike Ede (JACK'D, Bah Humbug, Adam and Me) as screenwriter.

Written by Moe Taylor during a time of profound internal conflict while serving overseas in the military, The Viral Limit is a psychological survival narrative cloaked in apocalyptic dread. The upcoming adaptation will preserve the novel's original intensity while offering a cinematic exploration of how perception can turn the universe into either a savior... or a storm.



Poster art for the film adaptation of The Viral Limit (renamed Take Warning for film)

"In 2003, I saw the universe as something that wanted to

kill me," says Taylor. "By 2021, I saw it as something I was part of. This film revisits the moment before I understood that."

## A Journey from Warning to Wonder

The development of Take Warning follows Taylor's 2021 documentary <u>As Organism</u>, a critically praised meditation on cosmic harmony and interconnectedness. While As Organism offered audiences a path toward unity, Take Warning takes them down a darker road — one carved from paranoia, trauma, and the fear of collapse.

"It's the inverse of As Organism," Taylor explains. "This is the film I wrote before I healed. It's

about surviving a world that feels like it's coming for you. And in that sense, it's honest."

Together, the two films form a metaphysical diptych — bookends to a 20-year transformation in the filmmaker's worldview.

## 🛛 About the Story

In Take Warning, two mountain climbers are caught in a vicious storm that begins to take on a life of its own. As they fight to descend back to civilization, they discover that the clouds above are more than weather — they're a force, a consciousness, maybe even a reckoning.

The film invites audiences to ask: What happens when the storm isn't just outside you, but inside you too?

In Development Now
Title: Take Warning (adapted from the novel The Viral Limit)

Written by: Moe Taylor (novel), screenplay in development

Produced by: BrainDagger Films

Projected release: TBD

Stage: Book-to-screenplay adaptation underway

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As Organism Movie Poster

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