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Greg Bates — 04 Jan 2010, 19:08

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Lane Haygood — 04 Jan 2010, 19:17 · in reply to Greg Bates

That seems fairly blatant to me.

Sent from my iPhone

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Matthew Keeley — 04 Jan 2010, 20:21 · in reply to Greg Bates

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Greg Bates — 05 Jan 2010, 04:27 · in reply to Matthew Keeley

Sent. Never found Terminus Est in SotN - maybe it's time for a 2nd run. I'll keep my eyes peeled for any two-headed bosses in Killzone, too.

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