To Get to Sleep

British Sea Power

Took a pill last night

Just to get to sleep

Put me on my back

Not on my feet

Propylene across your eyes

To take me to the land of sighsHad a drink last night

Just to get to sleep

Put me on my back

Knocked me off my feet

Filled my skin with ethylnol

To find some peace, to let it fallEight hours a day

Call it twenty years

There's a place you can go

Free of lust, cupidity and fearOh, it left my heart broken

It took my breath away

A little lesson open

A little more each dayA little eyesore

A little Nytol

A little heartache

A little soothe-allMelatonin, a little dose

Takes things to a peaceful close

Commerce runs through your veins

And takes you from this waking plane

Industry on your side

To do what you do

When you get tiredEight hours a day

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