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MOBILE EXHIBITIONS 3
October 16, 2008 • 12-8 PM

Trucks 7, 8 and 9
“10-20” Garfield Park Conservatory Parking Lot

The duration of this exhibition is short. For eight hours on October 16, 2008 the Garfield Park Conservatory’s parking lot will be the site of Mobile Exhibitions 3. The three trucks join with their location to form one concept. Images, forms and light are carefully constructed to explore the evolving role of cultural institutions, perceptions of space, and themes of civic systems in the urban landscape. Color drapes the parking lot from streamers and used car lot propaganda. Truck 7 plays with the aesthetic of hot ticket museum events. Truck 8 carries the rapture of dark and light in contest with one another. Truck 9 ponders its purpose and worth.

Mobile Exhibitions is an ongoing series of art installations in rented moving trucks. Since 2006, six trucks have been displayed, three each year. Mobile Exhibitions creates a unique artistic concept by using trucks as a venue. Not only are the installations housed in urban artifacts, they are able to move with the rhythm of the city and to mimic its cycles of commerce. This makes each Mobile Exhibition a temporary public art sculpture on the move. In it the urban landscape is shown to be in constant transition. The work exemplifies temporality and the impact of individual movement.

MOBILE EXHIBITIONS SCHEDULE
Available online at www.riesproductions.com

Trucks 7, 8 & 9
Thursday, October 16, 2008
12 – 8 PM
The Garfield Park Conservatory
300 N. Central Park Ave, Chicago, IL, 60624
CTA Green Line Conservatory/Central Park Stop

ABOUT MOBILE EXHIBITIONS

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