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MARTIN JOHNSON AT PHYLLIS KIND

Martin Johnson will exhibit new work in the lower gallery at Phyllis Kind, 136 Greene Street New York from January 17 through February 7, 1987.

Mr. Johnson's floor to ceiling, wall to wall installation of new work will consist of found paintings and reproductions which have been appropriated and altered by the artist. Every current style, every type of image, every kind of surface and rhythm is apparent in Johnson's inexhaustible mixture of high art and kitsch. These fast-paced punning works are semantic manipulations, obsessed with the plasticity of language and meaning--in Mr. Johnson's own words, "a visual Jazz . . . stretching and testing the limits of meaningfulness."

Gallery hours are 10am to 6pm Tuesday through Saturday. For further information and photographs please call (212) 925.1200.

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