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### **DAVID MCDONALD: *Borrowed Scenery***

The Remba Gallery is pleased to present an exhibition by Los Angeles-based artist David McDonald. The exhibition will be held at the gallery at 462 North Robertson Boulevard in West Hollywood from June 20 through July 25, 1998. An opening reception for the artist will take place Saturday, June 20 from 6-9 p.m.

The exhibition, *Borrowed Scenery*, will include floor sculptures and two-dimensional pieces. The sculptures, which are made from hydrocal, emulsion and plaster, are drilled out creating a cavity. This cavity is then filled with acrylic color, which is added over a period of many months. The acrylic color slowly penetrates the porous sculpture, changing its color, and giving it a very natural aged appearance. The two dimensional pieces are set into the wall of the gallery. This creates a figure ground relationship with the piece and the wall and liberates them from the traditional confines of a painting. McDonald's art works integrate themselves with the surrounding space and use this "Borrowed Scenery" to create an installation that transcends the boundaries of the gallery.

McDonald has had solo shows in the Los Angeles area with the Tom Solomon gallery and Dan Bernier gallery. He has also exhibited extensively outside of Los Angeles with recent solo shows at the Bentley Gallery in Scottsdale, Arizona, Charlotte Jackson Fine Arts in Santa Fe, New Mexico, and a two person exhibition at Four Walls in San Francisco. McDonald is also scheduled for a solo exhibition at Jenn Joy Gallery in San Francisco next year.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Friday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday 11:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and by appointment.