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12.12.09 > 10.01.10 GALLERY OPEN: SATURDAY > SUNDAY 1PM - 6PM **PREVIEW**: FRIDAY 11.12.09 6PM - 9PM

GALLERY CLOSED OVER CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR: 21/12/09 > 08/01/10

Paintings on paper made from photographic images of animals now extinct.

Quagga, Equus quagga quagga, 12 August 1883 Tarpan, Equus ferus ferus, 1887 Bubal Hartebeest, Alcelaphus buselaphus buselaphus, 9 November 1923 Syrian Wild Ass, Equus hemionus hemippus, 1928 Tasmanian Tiger, Thylacinus cynocephalus, 7 September 1936 Schomburgk's Deer, Cervus schomburgki, 1938 Caribbean Monk Seal, Monachus tropicalis, 1952

To make Covenant with bruit Beasts, is impossible; because not understanding our speech, they understand not, nor accept any translation of Right; not can translate any Right to another; and without mutuall acceptation, there is no Covenant.

Hobbes, Leviathan, p.77.