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## GEORGE BILLIS GALLERY

## CAROL INEZ CHARNEY

APRIL 20 - MAY 22, 2010

Artist **Carol Inez Charney** will exhibit a series of work at the **George Billis Gallery**, on the 2nd Floor of **555 West 25th Street**, between 10th and 11th Avenue, from **April 20 to May 22, 2010**. An artist's reception will be held at the gallery on **Thursday, April 22, from 6-8 PM**. Gallery hours are Tuesday through Saturday, 11 AM - 6 PM.

Carol Charney's series of photographs, "Interior Landscape," utilizes the effects of common, natural distortions to completely transform the architectural landscape which dominates her work. Through a glass lens covered by a random pattern of moisture, Charney photographs her subject in a way that makes it appear almost painterly, as an abstraction of color and form. She herself states that, "while focusing on the most minute det-



CB 9, 2009, Digital Chromogenic Print

ails of these natural distortions, we generate a space for quiet contemplation-breaking old, rigid view patterns and allowing for a new external and internal vision to occur."

Carol Charney received her BFA in painting from the University of California, Santa Cruz and later received her MFA in photography from San Jose State University. Her work has been featured in the collections of Reese Witherspoon, Chapman University, and IndyMac Bank, and has been published in California Home & Design and The San Francisco Chronicle, among others. Charney has taken part in both solo and group exhibitions throughout New York and California, this show marking her fourth solo show with the George Billis Gallery.

The George Billis Gallery marks its fourteenth year in the Chelsea art district and recently opened a second gallery in the burgeoning

art district of Culver City in Los Angeles. For more information, please contact the gallery via e-mail at gallery@georgebillis.com or visit our website at www.georgebillis.com.

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