



Royal Station Sofia

Kazichene 23.06 13:00 hrs

Water Tower Art Fest

19.06 - 23.06 2013

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With kind regards of

H.M. SIMEON II OF BULGARIA,

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The Royal Station Sofia Kazichene has turned into a ruin. It was a beautiful building in its best days and surely very meaningful for the connection of Bulgaria with other other European countries, represented by royal families and other Principals of State.

To bring the building alive again we will 'close' the windows with glass and put a layer of glass on the steel structure which marks the main entrance.

Outside the buiding the glass windows will create a stronger relationship to the surrounding landscape and the remains of the abandoned railway tracks by its reflections.

In the inside of the building the glass will improve the climate and create a more protective environment to show pieces of art, photographs or installations, made by various artists.

Acoording to this glass installation Jan Doms created a soundpiece which bring history and possible future of the abandoned station alive during the Water Tower Art Fest 2013.

Sound collage 'Royal Station Sofia Kazichene'

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Steam trains The Duke Dogs | Entrada Inauguration

Willem Alexander and Maxima The Netherlands |

Bulgarian State Television Female Vocal Choir -

Unmarried old man | Paul van Kemenade Quintet - Ja, Ja,

Ja, (part one) | Chirping | Howling | Raining | Coaches |

Two Horses Trotting | Inge's alarmclocks.