# RADIO ATHÈNES

### For Immediate Release

Radio Athènes and Akwa Ibom announce the simultaneous opening of two exhibitions by Marietta Mavrokordatou:

TOUR LIFE opens Thursday 24 October at Radio Athènes from 7:30—9:00 pm

THE ALREADY PICTURES opens on the same day at Akwa Ibom from 6:00—7:30 pm

October 24—December 18, 2024

We will start at Akwa Ibom and then head together to Radio Athènes. Feel free to join us for the full tour or at any point along the way.

Five archival pigment prints, 53 x 80 cm each, in white wooden frames hang in the two Radio Athènes rooms. The tall, off-white curtains obstruct the view to the pedestrian street and lend an air of intimacy and poise to these photographs, which are otherwise explosive. Immaculate and weird in their indecipherability and painterliness, on the verge of being misrecognized as capitalizing on the indistinct luxuriousness of colour and refraction, they instead assimilate specific objects—vital for operating in normal, daily life, at least for some—in photography's own tropes and materials.

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Born in 1996, in Cyprus, Marietta Mavrokordatou lives and works in London. She explores the potential forms of the photographic medium. By redefining autobiographical elements, which she uses as points of reference, a new way of perceiving is presented through her own eyes.

Selected solo exhibitions: Brunette Coleman, London (upcoming), *Scenario*, wieoftnoch, Karlsruhe (2024); *Girl*, Thkio Ppalies, Nicosia (2023); *Our Misfortune*, A Thousand Julys, Nicosia (2022). Selected group exhibitions: *KM S/S 2024*, curated by Maya Tounta, Akwa Ibom, Athens; *Ah, This!*, curated by Helena Papadopoulos, Felix Gaudlitz, Vienna (2023), and *Homotopy Type Theory*, curated by Eric Schmid, Centralbanken, Oslo (2023).

### List of works:

#### Room I

Marietta Mavrokordatou 2:00, 2024 Archival pigment print 53 x 80 cm 3 plus 1AP

Marietta Mavrokordatou 5:00, 2024 Archival pigment print 53 x 80 cm 3 plus 1AP

### Room II

Marietta Mavrokordatou 21:00 1, 2024 Archival pigment print 53 x 80 cm 3 plus 1AP

Marietta Mavrokordatou 12:00, 2024 Archival pigment print 53 x 80 cm 3 plus 1AP

Marietta Mavrokordatou 8:00, 2024 Archival pigment print 53 x 80 cm 3 plus 1AP