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JUSTIN BENNETT - THE CITY AMPLIFIED (book by Stroom)

By now, Justin Bennett, in his mid forties, is recognized as a serious, prize winning artist. Recently he was awarded the Ouborg prize, which is a prize for a groundbreaking artist from the city of Den Haag, where Bennett lives since leaving Sheffield. Part of that prize is having a publication out, and surprisingly its not a CD or a piece of vinyl, but a book. Two pieces on his work, that largely deals with Bennett's interest in sounds from the city, more than from the rural life. Then there is a bunch of drawings that deal with the city and an a leparello of great photos of BMB con, a trio that involves with performance on specific sounds and in which are curiously, according to the photos sometimes to be found in the country side. Informative book, a delight to watch. A pity there is no CD I thought, but you can choose from a wide collection of works already out there. (FdW)

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