ART TALK

“Jay Mark Johnson’s remarkable photographs of waves possess the same insistent energy and drama that I find in the great seascapes of J.M.W. Turner currently on view at the Getty Museum.”

-- Christopher Finch

“Johnson’s work applies the methods of modular repetition associated with ‘minimalist’ composers such as Philip Glass and Steve Reich to photographic imagery -- with the same fluid grace and delight in patterning found in that music.”

-- Peter Frank

CHRISTOPHER FINCH    PETER FRANK    JAY MARK JOHNSON

TWO CRITICS EXPLORE THE ARTIST’S WAVE LENGTHS EXHIBITION

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PETER FRANK

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