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ANNOUNCEMENT

The **Greek National Opera** and **NEON** are proud to announce the start of a new short film production in Greece by Yorgos Lanthimos, with Emma Stone and Damien Bonnard, the second commission in the series *The Artist on the Composer*. The program is a co-production of the Greek National Opera and NEON.

The production is made possible by a grant from the Stavros Niarchos Foundation (SNF) to enhance the Greek National Opera's artistic outreach.

The film will be presented as part of an installation, accompanied by live orchestral ensembles, on 22, 23 and 27 May 2020, at the Stavros Niarchos Hall of the Greek National Opera at SNFCC.

The programme *The Artist on the Composer* is a three-year collaboration between the Greek National Opera and NEON Organization for Culture and Development (www.neon.org.gr) which connects cutting-edge contemporary visual artists, composers and/or film producers with "live" performances of orchestral music.

Main Cast & Crew:

Director, Scriptwriter & Producer **Yorgos Lanthimos**

Cast **Emma Stone & Damien Bonnard**

Set Designer **Anna Georgiadou**

Costume Designer **Angelos Mentis**

Director of Photography **Thodoris Mihopoulos**

Film Editor **Yorgos Mavropsaridis**

Executive Producer in Greece **Eleni Kossyfidou**

Executive Producer **Rebecca Skinner-Superprime Films**

The Artist on the Composer is curated by **Giorgos Koumendakis (Artistic Director, Greek National Opera)** and **Elina Kountouri (Director, NEON)**.

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