



This will not be Pretty

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Primary Maker

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Medium

Found object, living plant & ceramic pot

Description

This piece incorporates found furniture and large cactus plant and gold fabric. The original gold carpet was over 10 metres long in the installation, so this seat as an individual piece would come with a smaller version of gold carpet. In response to an unprecedented wave of domestic violence and in collaboration with r.a.g.e.

Collective I created This will not be Pretty, a multi-faceted project with many dimensions, which was then re-imagined for It's still not pretty. The later was in association with Domestic Violence Network Cork and represented '16 Days of Action Against Gender Based Violence' for their annual international awareness campaign. This work aims to reflect on the experience many domestic violence victims have and brings attention to the countless barriers they face in securing their safety. The red phone chair, cactus and gold carpet was part of a larger installation originally and was reconfigured in 3 different semblances but is also a standalone piece.

Dimensions

120 × 92 × 45 cm (120 × 92 × 45 cm)