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NGC 1977 - Running Man Nebula

Date/time: 18.12.2008 23:05 to 18.12.2008 23:36 Az./Alt. positions: 30° / 81° to 337° / 81° Ambient conditions: ?, transparency 5/5, seeing 3/5, 1 /2 Moon, Moonrise at 23:20 Location: Salvador, Brazil

Equipment:

Telescope: C 11 with Hyperstar Mount: Skywatcher Eq 6 PRO guided through a

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PowerSeeker 80mm F/9 and Starshoot Autoguider Camera: SVX-H9C Filters: IDAS LPS P2

Acquisition:

Software: Nebulosity 2 FOV, Image scale: 40.8 x 54.6 arcmin, 2.35 arcs/pixel Sub-exposures: 31.5 min (9 x 3.5min) light frames no darks, no flats

Processing:

Calibration, stacking and DDP in Images Plus 3.0 and 3.75, curves and levels adjustments in CS3, noise reduction with Carbonis Actions, color enhancement using Gabany method under CS3, green cast elimination in Pixinsight LE 1.0

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