## **Open PTE Projects**

**1.** When PicturesToExe is installed (or updated) the user is offered some options:

Select Additional Tasks Which additional tasks should be performed?			
Select the additional tasks you would like Set PicturesToExe 8.0.14, then click Next.	up to perform (	while installing	
Additional icons:			
Create a desktop icon			
Associate PicturesToExe with the .pte fi	e extension	1	
Associate VideoBuilder with the .ptv file			
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	< <u>B</u> ack	Next >	Cancel

If these options are left ticked then the File Association should be created for both ".pte" and ".ptv" files and Projects should open automatically from Windows Explorer/ Desktop etc.

2. In Settings/Preferences/Projects the user can tick "Load last (saved) project on startup".

Preferences		×
Editions	Save and recovery	8
Project	Auto save project file every 7 immutes	
System	Project file	
Timeline	✓ Load last project on startup	
Toolbars	Hold time points after changes in the Slide list Show full slide duration	
Editor		
Templates	Default options for new slides	
	Scale key frames in objects (on time change)	
	Optimization of video clips	2
	Always convert	
	Executable files for PC and Mac	8
	Encrypt images, videos and audio against extracting	
	Allow modification of slideshow EXE file	
	OK Cancel	

This ensures that an "ongoing" project is automatically loaded for further editing each time that PicturesToExe is closed and re-opened.

**3.** With PicturesToExe open clicking on File/Open allows the user to browse for a ".pte" file and "Open".

**4.** Clicking on File/Open Recent Project opens a list of recently opened/saved projects to choose from. Click on the required Project to open it.

**5.** If a project is saved as a Template in a designated Templates Folder then clicking on File/Templates brings up a list of ALL Templates saved and the user can choose the required Project from the List.

• See more on Templates

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