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PHILLIPS de PURY & COMPANY'S LONDON CONTEMPORARY ART EVENING AND DAY SALE AUCTIONS TOTAL £11,896,563/$18,721,501

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London – Phillips de Pury & Company's Contemporary Art Evening and Day sale auctions total £11,896,563 /$18,721,501 (including premium): selling 72% by value and 67% by lot.

The Contemporary Art Day sale totaled £3,632,863/$5,699,962 (including premium): selling 65% by value and 67% by lot.

"The Phillips de Pury & Company Day sale saw the establishment of new records for artists such as Seth Price, Klara Lidén, Rebecca Warren and Maria Nepomuceno alongside strong results throughout the sale for both young and established artists." George O' Dell, Head of Contemporary Art Day Sale, London Phillips de Pury & Company.

Contemporary Art Day Sale Top Ten Lots

GEORGE CONDO, Ballet Gris, £265,250/$416,177
ANSELM REYLE, Untitled, £99,650/$156,351
WADE GUYTON, Untitled, £97,250/$152,585
JOHN BALDESSARI, Space between glad hands, £97,250/$152,585
YANG SHAOBIN, Hunting, £85,250/$133,757
ANATOLIY KRYVOLAP, Horse. Night, £79,250/$124,343
ANSELM REYLE, Untitled (Purple Foil), £79,250/$124,343
TATSUO MIYAJIMA, Untitled, £67,250/$105,515
YOSHITOMO NARA, Dogs From Your Childhood, £67,250/$105,515
FRANCIS ALYS, Untitled (Man with Parrot), £67,250/$105,515

Contemporary Art Day Sale Artist World Records
RALF KASPERS, Luzhniki Stadium, Moscow, £58,850/$92,336
ANATOLIY KRYVOLAP, Horse. Night, £79,250/$124,343
JAMES RIELLY, Sensible Ways, £25,000/$39,225
SETH PRICE, Gold Key (Blue 1), £30,000/$47,070
KLARA LIDÉN, Untitled (Poster Painting), £25,000/$39,225
REBECCA WARREN, Agapé, £25,000/$39,225
MARIA NEPOMUCENO, Untitled, £15,000/$23,535
FRIEDRICH KUNATH, Untitled "All my favourite painters couldn't paint", £16,250/$25,496
PHILIPPE DECRAUZAT, Atopia, £22,500/$35,303

Phillips de Pury & Company's Contemporary London Contemporary Art Evening auction totaled £8,249,950 /$12,960,671 (including premium): selling 75% by value and 66% by lot.

"We are pleased with our strong results for young emerging contemporary artists where two new world records were set. The sale showed there is still an appetite for good quality works from blue-chip artists." Peter Sumner, Head of Contemporary Sales, London Phillips de Pury & Company.

Contemporary Art Evening Sale Top Ten Lots

JEFF KOONS, Seal Walrus Trashcans, £2,113,250/$3,319,916
DAMIEN HIRST, Observation – The Crown of Justice, £780,450/$1,226,087
DAMIEN HIRST, 5-Aminouracil, £690,850/$1,085,325
ANSELM KIEFER, Die Argonauten, £601,250/$944,564
RICHARD PRINCE, My Life as a Weapon, £541,250/$850,304
THOMAS SCHÜTTE, United Enemy, £481,250/$756,044
CECILY BROWN, Park, £421,250/$661,784
MAURIZIO CATTELAN, Turisti, £385,250/$605,228
STEVEN PARRINO, Creeping Eye, £361,250/$567,524
CECILY BROWN, The Torment of St. Anthony, £265,250/$416,708

Contemporary Art Evening Sale Artist World Records

WALEAD BESHTY, 20-inch Copper (FedEx® Large Kraft Box© 2005 FEDEX 330508) ... £46,850/$73,601
TAUBA AUERBACH, CMY 5, £49,250/$77,372

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