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Masterpieces from the Zimmerman Family Collection

Masterpieces of Himalayan Bronzes

Indian and Southeast Asian Art

New York – September 15 & 16, 2008

Sale no: 2126, 2248, & 2024 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

<b>Sold:</b>	<b>\$14,146,688</b>	£7,903,178	€9,962,456
Lots Sold: 157	Lots Offered: 293	Sold by \$: 71%	
Exchange Rate: £ = \$1.79 / € = \$1.42			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
18	An Important and Monumental Gilt Bronze Figure of Buddha, Tibet, 14 <sup>th</sup> Century WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR TIBETAN BRONZE	Estimate on Request	\$3,666,500 £2,050,959 €2,586,594	Anonymous
13	An Important and Large Gilt Bronze Figure of Avalokiteshvara, Kashmir School in Western Tibet, 9 <sup>th</sup> /10 <sup>th</sup> Century	1,250,000- 1,750,000	\$1,538,500 £860,603 € 1,085,360	US Private
5	A Highly Important Thangka with scenes from the life of the Buddha Shakyamuni Central Tibet, 12 <sup>th</sup> Century	600,000- 800,000	\$662,500 £370,587 €467,371	US Private
321	A large gray schist figure of a standing Buddha Gandhara, 2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Century	400,000- 600,000	\$602,500 £336,592 € 424,296	US Private
7	An Important Thangka of Bhaishajyaguru Central Tibet, 14 <sup>th</sup> Century	250,000- 350,000	\$314,500 £175,924 € 221,869	US Private
412	A black granite figure of Nandi South India, Chola Period, 13 <sup>th</sup> Century	200,000- 300,000	\$386,500 £215,921 €272,183	Indian Trade
450	Nainsukh of Guler Raja Balwant Dev Singh on a lion shikaar India, Jasrota, Circa 1750	80,000- 100,000	\$338,500 £189,106 €238,380	Anonymous
488	A picchvai of the Shri Nathji Temple Complex India, Rajasthan, 19 <sup>th</sup> Century	20,000- 30,000	\$314,500 £175,698 €222,183	Indian Trade
1	A Gilt Copper Figure of Avalokiteshvara, Nepal, 14 <sup>th</sup> Century	250,000- 350,000	\$242,500 £135,649 € 171,075	Anonymous
6	An Important Thangka of the Akshobya Vajra Guhyasamaja Mandala, Central Tibet, Late 14 <sup>th</sup> Century	250,000- 350,000	\$242,500 £135,649 € 171,075	Anonymous

**Hugo Weihe, International Director, International Specialist Head of Indian and Southeast Asian Art**, comments: "This afternoon's session of Indian and Southeast Asian Art and yesterday's Masterpieces sale inspired bidding from an international audience. We were gratified to see quality works performing well and delighted to find classical Indian art as a continuing trend for collectors worldwide. Highlights spanned a broad range of interests, including Himalayan bronzes, miniatures, and picchvais including the gilt bronze Tibetan figure of Buddha, which realized \$3,666,500, achieving a world auction record."

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Date and Location of Next Sale	Hong Kong, November 30, 2008