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Sale no: 1950 – Top Ten

Sold:	\$5,068,438	£2,509,128	€3,594,636.88
Lots Sold: 106	Lots Offered: 107	Sold by Lot: 99%	Sold by £: 99%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$2.02 / € = \$1.41			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
29	Paul Dupre-Lafon – A parchment, stained oak and brass desk, circa 1935.	\$150,000-200,000	\$601,000 £297,525 € 426,241	Anonymous
15	Alberto Giacometti – A pair of gilt-bronze andirons, designed 1936.	\$180,000-220,000	\$385,000 £190,594 €273,050	U.S. Private
20	Paul Dupre-Lafon – A limed-oak, parchment, leather and brass low table, circa 1935.	\$150,000-200,000	\$301,000 £149,010 €213,475	U.S. Private
104	Carlo Mollino – A set of eight oak side chairs for the Casa del Sole, 1953.	\$130,000-180,000	\$289,000 £143,069 €204,965	Anonymous
112	Yonell Lebovici – “Les Dessous de Table”, a polished and brushed aluminum and glass dining table and chairs, 1992.	\$40,000-50,000	\$289,000 £143,069 €204,965	Private
45	Paul Dupre-Lafon – A pair of limestone and iron low tables, circa 1940.	\$250,000-350,000	\$265,000 £131,188 €187,943	U.S. Private
30	Alberto Giacometti – A patinated bronze “A l’Etoile” floor lamp, designed 1936.	\$100,000-120,000	\$181,000 £89,604 €128,369	Anonymous
31	Alberto Giacometti – A patinated bronze “A l’Etoile” floor lamp, designed 1936.	\$100,000-120,000	\$157,000 £77,723 €111,348	Anonymous
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Comment

Carina Villinger, Head of Sale: “The market once again confirmed its incredible strength and depth, with many of the top lots far exceeding our highest pre-sale expectations. Mid-20th Century design continues its remarkable growth in the international markets, and Christie’s New York is delighted to play a central role in this development.”

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