

SALE RESULTS | HONG KONG | 28 NOVEMBER 2017 | FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

HONG KONG JEWELLERY AUTUMN SALES TOTAL HK\$731 MILLION / US\$94 MILLION THE PINK PROMISE fetches HK\$ 250 million / US\$ 32 million

Matching the World Record Price Per Carat Achieved for a Pink Diamond The Most Expensive Jewel Sold by Christie's in Asia



Christie's Hong Kong Autumn Sales of Magnificent Jewels realised HK\$ 731,147,500 / US\$ 94,122,787

THE PINK PROMISE sold for HK\$249,850,000 / US\$32,163,932, matching the world record price per carat of US\$2.15m.

The sale attracted 140 buyers from 12 countries across 4 continents.

A special collection of Jewels by Wallace Chan was 100% sold.

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Vickie Sek, Deputy Chairman and Director of Jewellery Asia, commented: "At US\$2.15m, The Pink Promise matched the world record price per carat for a pink diamond that was last set at Christie's Hong Kong in 2009. The fact that this time around it was for a diamond three times larger, speaks to the evolution of the market and collectors appetite at the highest level."

Please find attached a top ten, as well as the record list.

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