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Total: £1,390,380 Lots Offered: 208 Lots Sold: 178 Sale No: 5008
\$2,444,288 Sold by Lot: 86% Sold by £: 92% \$ 1.758 / € 1.430
€1,988,243

Comment: Gower Williams and Deborah Park, specialists in charge of the sale:

“We are delighted with today's result, particularly the prices for artists from Central and Eastern Europe such as Nicolai Kalmakoff's *Terpsichore*, which realised £84,000, and Hugó Scheiber's *The Ball* which realised £48,000. A packed saleroom included many clients who had travelled from these countries to bid and this is a market which we are continuing to grow at Christie's South Kensington. We look forward to tomorrow's sale of Post-War and Contemporary Art at 1pm.”

LOTS	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
137	£84,000	\$147,672	\$120,120	£8,000-12,000	French/Russian Private
Nicolai Kalmakoff (1875-1958) <i>Terpsichore</i>					
87	£50,400	\$88,603	\$72,072	£20,000-30,000	German Private
Georg Kolbe (1877-1947) <i>Kniendes Menschenpaar</i>					
78	£48,000	\$84,384	\$68,640	£20,000-30,000	Hungarian Private
Hugó Scheiber (1873-1950) <i>The Ball</i>					
225	£48,000	\$84,384	\$68,640	£15,000-20,000	Eykyn Maclean LLC
Fernando Botero (b. 1932) <i>La Danza</i>					