

CHRISTIE'S

Fine Photobooks From an Important Private Collection

New York – Thursday, April 10, 2008

Sale no: 2110 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$2,602,450	£1,307,764	€1,636,761
Lots Sold: 183	Lots Offered: 199	Sold by Lot: 92%	Sold by \$: 96%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$1.99 / € = \$1.59			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
37	Jindrich Styrsky, <i>Emilie prichází ka mne ve snu, (Emily Comes to Me in a Dream)</i> , 1933	60,000-90,000	\$193,000 £96,985 €121,384	Anonymous
109	Ed Ruscha, A complete set of artist's books, 1963-1978	60,000-90,000	\$121,000 £60,804 €76,101	Anonymous
77	Hans Bellmer, <i>Les jeux de la poupée (The Games of the Doll)</i> , 1949	60,000-80,000	\$115,000 £57,789 €72,327	Anonymous

Sven Becker, Specialist in charge of the sale, comments: "Our inaugural auction in New York in the hotly-collected field of Photobooks saw highly competitive bidding from determined American and international buyers in a busy room and on numerous phones. The enthusiastic support of Photographs collectors and the strong results reflect a deepening appreciation of Photobooks as not only reference, but as significant works of art in their own right. The superb presentation of this remarkable collection, and the record prices achieved for a number of artists have consolidated Christie's position as the preferred forum for quality Photobooks."

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Date and Location of Next Sale	Photographs, King Street, London - May 15, 2008		