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Lalique Glass Wednesday 24 May 2006

Total: £230,736 Lots Offered: 133 Lots Sold: 125 Sale No: 4926 \$432,630 Sold by Lot: 94% Sold by £: 97% \$1.875/€1.465

€ 338,028

Comment: Fiona Baker, Specialist in charge of the sale:

"Today's saleroom was packed to standing room only, with buyers from the UK and continental Europe, Japan, USA and South Africa. Bidding was fierce for the varied cross-section of Lalique on offer; from ashtrays, scent bottles and paperweights to plates, bowls, glasses. The private collection of car mascots attracted particular attention and a significant amount of clients new to Christie's. My thanks go to Rupert Banner, and the South Kensington Decorative Arts team, and we look forward to our next Lalique sale on 2nd November 2006."

LOTS	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
57 "Oran"	£,14,400 ' no. 999; a clear,		€21,096 cent vase	£10,000-15,000	Anonymous
75 "Oisean	\sim $^{\prime}$			£15,000-20,000 d "surtout de table".	Private
24 "Victor	£12,600 ire" no. 1147; an i		€18,459 ar and frosted car	\sim .	Trade
37 "Côte a	£8,400 l'Azur"; a clear an	\$15,750 and frosted glass sta		£7,000-9,000	Private