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Oriental Rugs and Carpets

New York – Tuesday, June 3, 2008

Sale no: 2006 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$6,016,500	£3,069,643	€3,881,290
Lots Sold: 85	Lots Offered: 122	Sold by Lot: 70%	Sold by \$: 93%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$1.96 / € = \$1.55			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
37	A Silk Isfahan Rug, Central Persia, Circa 1600 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR ANY EUROPEAN AND ORIENTAL CARPET	\$1,000,000-1,500,000	\$4,450,500 £2,270,408 €2,870,967	Anonymous
39	An Isfahan Carpet, Central Persia, First Quarter of 17 th Century	\$120,000-180,000	\$116,500 £59,439 €75,161	Moshe Tabibnia
31	A Portuguese Armorial Carpet, Early 17 th Century	\$20,000-30,000	\$80,500 £41,071 €51,936	Moshe Tabibnia
38	An Agra Carpet, North India, Last Quarter 19 th Century	\$10,000-15,000	\$80,500 £41,071 €51,936	US Trade
74	A Sarouk Fereghan Carpet, Central Persia, Last Quarter 19 th Century	\$50,000-80,000	\$61,250 £31,250 €39,516	US Trade
30	An Amritsar Carpet, North India, Circa 1900	\$6,000-8,000	\$57,500 £29,337 €37,097	US Trade
8	A Heriz Carpet, Northwest Persia, Last Quarter 19 th Century	\$25,000-40,000	\$56,250 £28,699 €36,290	US Private
32	A Silk Yarkand Carpet, East Turkestan, 18 th Century	\$12,000-18,000	\$56,250 £28,699 €36,290	Moshe Tabibnia
1	A Yomut Asmalyk, West Turkmenistan, Mid 19 th Century	\$8,000-12,000	\$50,000 £25,510 €32,258	European Trade
89	A Sarouk Fereghan Carpet, Central Persia, Circa 1900	\$30,000-50,000	\$37,500 £19,133 €24,194	US Trade

Elisabeth Parker, Head of Rugs and Carpets, comments, “We are delighted with the success of today’s sale making it the highest valued Rugs & Carpets sale in New York. The 11 lots from The Doris Duke Collection and the Newport Restoration Foundation exceeded the pre-sale estimates, with active bidding from the room, the phones and Christie’s LIVE™. Leading the Doris Duke Collection was the silk Isfahan rug realizing \$4.4 million making it a world auction record for any European and Oriental carpet.”

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Date and Location of Next Sale	New York, December 8, 2008