

# CHRISTIE'S

## 20<sup>th</sup> CENTURY FASHION AND ACCESSORIES

London – 7 June 2007

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold: **£ 229,872**      \$456,296      €339,521      Sale No: 5282  
Lots Sold: 281      Lots Offered: 379      Sold by Lot: 74%      Sold by £: 89%  
£: \$ 1.985      £: € 1.477

Lot	Price			Estimate	Buyer
1132	<b>£36,000</b>	\$71,460	€53,172	£8,000-10,000	Anonymous
Hermès, a cherry red crocodile Birkin bag <b>NEW WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A HERMÈS BIRKIN BAG</b>					
1131	<b>£10,200</b>	\$20,247	€15,065	£3,500-5,000	UK Private
Hermès, a gold fjord naturel Birkin					
1133	<b>£7,200</b>	\$14,292	€10,634	£1,000-2,000	US Private
Hermès, an apple red fjord Kelly bag					

“Quality and rarity were once again pursued by private clients and collectors alike to new heights with Hermès handbags at the top of the results lists. Accessories by major houses such as Chanel were also in demand. We were also pleased to see that pre-war Couture by Madeleine Vionnet and Balenciaga also tripled pre-sale estimates. We look forward to our new category of 20<sup>th</sup> Century Fashion sales – The Wardrobe Sale – to be held on 25 July 2007,” said **Pat Frost, Director of Textile Department.**

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