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Important European Furniture, Sculpture and Tapestries, including Reflected Glory: A Private Collection of Magnificent Mirrors Thursday, 6 July 2006

Total: £5,413,000	Lots Offered: 258	Lots Sold: 170	Sale No: 7252
\$9,434,859	Sold by Lot: 66%	Sold by £: 71%	\$:1.743/ €:1.433
€7,756,829			

Comment: Amjad Rauf, Director of European Furniture and Donald Johnston, Director of Sculpture: "Today's sale attracted a busy and international audience, and showed that the market is buoyant for the best examples of 18th century French furniture, sculpture and works of art. This is well illustrated by the top lots of the sale including the Louis XV commode by Leleu, which sold for £590,400, the pair of carved marble figures of Venus and Mercury which sold for £310,400 and the Louis XV rhinoceros mantle clock which realised £232,000. An exceptional feature of the auction was the exquisite collection of mirrors which realised a total of £553,800."

LOTS	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
150	£590,400	\$1,029,067	€846,043	£250,000 - 400,000	European Private
A late Louis XV ormolu-mounted tulipwood, amaranth, marquetry and parquetry commode, by Jean-François Leleu, <i>circa</i> 1764-65					
220	£310,400	\$541,027	€444,803	£300,000 - 500,000	European Trade
A pair of carved marble figures of Venus and Mercury, by Jean-Baptiste Pigalle (1714-1785), <i>circa</i> 1750					
10	£232,000	\$404,376	€332,456	£200,000 - 400,000	European Trade
A pair of Russian ormolu-mounted Jasper vases, <i>circa</i> 1790					
151	£232,000	\$404,376	€332,456	£200,000 - 300,000	European Private
A Louis XV ormolu, patinated bronze and brass-inlaid corne verte musical rhinoceros mantel clock, the movement by Jean-Baptiste Dutertre, the case attributed to Jean- Joseph de Saint-Germain, <i>circa</i> 1745-1749					
78	£209,600	\$365,332	€300,356	£40,000 - 60,000	European Trade
A bronze group of Nessus and Deianira cast after the model by Giambologna or Antonio Susini, 17th century					
200	£209,600	\$365,332	€300,356	£200,000 - 300,000	US Private
A Regency ormolu-mounted ebony and brass-inlaid Boulle marquetry bureau plat attributed to Andre-Charles Boulle, <i>circa</i> 1710-20					
100	£153,600	\$267,724	€220,108	£50,000 - 80,000	European Private
A set of eight carved marble busts of men, attributed to Orazio Marinali (1643-1720), <i>circa</i> 1690-1710					
230	£120,000	\$209,160	€171,960	£100,000 - 200,000	European Private
A late Louis XV ormolu-mounted tulipwood, sycamore and amaranth suite of Furniture, <i>circa</i> 1765, by Jacques Dautriche					
178	£108,000	\$188,244	€154,764	£120,000 - 180,000	European Private
A pair of South Italian coral and enamel-mounted gilt-bronze mirrors Trapani, Sicily, mid-17th century					

86	£96,000	\$167,328	€137,568	£80,000 - 120,000	European Private
A pair of Louis XV1 ormolu four-light candelabra, <i>circa</i> 1775					