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Le Goût Steinitz I

Location – Friday, October 19, 2007

Sale no: 1887 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$5,501,713	£2,696,918	€3,847,352
Lots Sold: 79	Lots Offered: 113	Sold by Lot: 77%	Sold by \$: 70%
Exchange Rate: \$ = £2.04 / € 1.43			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
70	A Pair of French Giltwood Console Tables with 18 th Century Gilt-Bronze-Mounted Roman Marble Tops	250,000-400,000	\$409,000 £200,490 €286,014	European Private
30	A Chinese Export black and Gilt-Lacquer Bureau Cabinet, circa 1760	150,000-250,000	\$301,000 £147,549 €210,490	US Advisor
96	A North European Ormolu Eight-Branch Chandelier, Second Quarter 19 th Century	150,000-250,000	\$265,000 £129,902 €185,315	Anonymous
20	A North German Ormolu and Alabastro Fiorito Gueridon, Probably Berlin or Potsdam, circa 1800	80,000-120,000	\$229,000 £112,255 €160,140	US Private
50	A Louis XVI Ormolu-Mounted Mahogany Bureau Plat, by David Roentgen, circa 1784-1790	150,000-250,000	\$223,000 £109,314 €155,944	US Private
99	Juan Patricio Morlete Ruiz (1713-1772) - <i>Première Vue De Bayonne</i> and <i>Vue de Bayonne de L'Allée des Boufflers</i> – oil on canvas, a pair	70,000-100,000	\$217,000 £106,373 €151,748	Anonymous
97	Juan Patricio Morlete Ruiz (1713-1772) – <i>Toulon, Vue de la Ville at de la Rade</i> and <i>Toulon, Vue de Vieux Port</i> – oil on canvas, a pair	70,000-100,000	\$193,000 £94,608 €134,965	Anonymous
81	A Set of Four Louis XV Ormolu Three Branch Wall Lights, Circa 1750	150,000-300,000	\$181,000 £88,725 €126,573	US Private
98	Juan Patricio Morlete Ruiz (1713-1772) – <i>Le Port d'Antibes</i> and <i>Le Port de Sète</i> – oil on canvas, a pair	70,000-100,000	\$181,000 £88,725 €126,573	Anonymous
52	A Pair of Louis XVI Ormolu-Mounted Mahogany Consoles, Attributed to Adam Weisweiler, circa 1785	150,000-250,000	\$181,000 £88,725 €126,573	US Private

Comment: “Christie’s is proud to have been chosen by Steinitz to collaborate on this unique series of sales. We carefully selected the pieces for the New York sale that would appeal to the American market and we were delighted to see such strong participation from American buyers who bought 8 of the top 10 lots,” said **Will Strafford**, **Specialist Head of the European Furniture and Decorative Arts Department in New York.**

Benjamin Steinitz continued, “I was thrilled to see the efforts of the Christie’s team rewarded today, as well as how warmly we were supported by our friends around the world. We are now looking forward to continued success in London and Paris.”

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Next Sale Date: *Le Goût Steinitz II* will take place in Paris on 14 November; *Le Goût Steinitz III* will take place in London on 6 December.

