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THE MANOLO MARCH COLLECTION

From Son Galceran, Mallorca

London – Thursday, 29 October 2009

Sale no: 7817 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	£5,352,975	\$8,751,412	€5,952,508
Lots Sold: 567	Lots Offered: 639	Sold by Lot: 89%	Sold by £: 97%
Exchange Rate £: = \$1.641 / €1.112			

Lot	Description	Estimate (£)	Purchase Price	Buyer
368	Joaquin Mir i Trinxet (Spanish, 1873-1940), <i>Tarragona, Spain</i>	150,000-250,000	£301,250 \$494,351 €334,990	European Private
50	A pair of German parcel-gilt, black and polychrome Japanned and mother-of-pearl inlaid mirrors, <i>circa</i> 1700, probably Berlin, possibly by Gerhard Dagly	200,000-400,000	£289,250 \$474,659 €321,646	Advisor
335	A pair of Italian carved marble groups of a lion attacking a bull and a lion attacking a horse 18 th century, after the antique	70,000-100,000	£217,250 \$356,507 €241,582	Trade
152	An Italian armillary sphere, 17 th century	30,000-50,000	£187,250 \$307,277 €208,222	Advisor
380	John Singer Sargent, R.A., R.W.S., H.R.S.A. (1856-1925), <i>A view of Mallorca, Spain</i>	120,000-180,000	£133,250 \$218,663 €148,174	European Private
160	An Austrian carved giltwood multi-dialled astronomical table clock, <i>circa</i> 1790, Vienna	20,000-30,000	£109,250 \$179,279 €121,486	Anonymous
447	A large Russian jewelled silver kovsh, marked Fabergé, with the Imperial warrant, Moscow, 1896-1908, with scratched inventory number 12799	25,000-35,000	£85,250 \$139,895 €94,798	Anonymous
71	A sea shell and coral-painted three section table, <i>circa</i> 1962, supplied by Pierre Delbée of Maison Jansen	10,000-20,000	£79,250 \$130,049 €88,126	European Private
82	A large Agra carpet, <i>circa</i> 1880, North India	30,000-50,000	£79,250 \$130,049 €88,126	Advisor
286	A pair of Italian parcel-gilt and brown-painted side tables, <i>circa</i> 1730 and adapted	15,000-25,000	£73,250 \$120,203 €81,454	European Private

Comment: Pedro Girao, *Chairman of Christie's European Advisory Board*, and Orlando Rock, *Director & Head of House Sales Department*: “We are delighted with the excellent results achieved by the two day auction of the sophisticated collection of Manuel March, which doubled pre-sale expectations. During the days preceding the sale, a huge number of visitors paid their tribute to the taste and style of Mr. March, enjoying the spectacular *mise en scène* so brilliantly recreated by the porters in the King Street saleroom. This eclectic collection - spanning over 500 years of rare works of art in every collecting category - created the unforgettable atmosphere of the Son Galceran villa. It was met with incredible enthusiasm by a truly international audience, who demonstrated a hunger for both traditional and modern - and underlined yet again the brilliance of Maison Jansen, an unrepeatable creative adventure. We look forward to “Spanish Splendour - The Collection of a Spanish Marqués” on sale in King Street on November 5, a further expression of the most glamorous and aristocratic European lifestyle”.

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Next Sale Date: “Spanish Splendour - The Collection of a Spanish Marqués” will be held on 5 November at Christie's King Street.