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**Teddy Bears**

**Christie's South Kensington**

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Total: £218,356	Lots Offered: 369	Lots Sold: 270
\$418,152	Sold by Lot: 73%	Sold by £: 78%
€313,559	Sale No: 5501	Exchange Rate: \$1.915/€1.436

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**Top Lots**

Lot	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
30	£28,680	\$54,922	€41,184	On request	UK Private
'Will,' a rare Steiff centre-seam teddy bear, <i>circa</i> 1908					
369	£14,340	\$27,461	€20,592	£6,000-8,000	Ydessa Hendeles Art Foundation
A fine Steiff centre-seam teddy bear, <i>circa</i> 1905/6					
370	£11,950	\$22,884	€17,160	£7,000-10,000	Anonymous
A fine large Steiff teddy bear, <i>circa</i> 1910					

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**Comment: Daniel Agnew, Head of Teddy Bear Department, Christie's South Kensington:**

“Strong prices were achieved across the board for all subjects of teddy bear collecting, but by far the strongest prices were for Steiff bears. We are thrilled that ‘Will’ achieved such a good price and this is testament to the place that Pam Hebbs has in the world of teddy bear collecting.”