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INTERIORS: A NEW GLOBAL FEATURE AT CHRISTIE'S



New York, London, Paris – A new global offering is announced today at Christie's, the world's leading art business. *Christie's Interiors* is a new sale feature that will stretch across the New York, London and Paris salerooms beginning in 2008, and will encompass what were previously known as House Sales in New York, Intérieurs in Paris, and Interiors in London. The multi-category sales will present decorators, collectors and new comers with a unique opportunity to acquire one-of-a-kind objects and collectibles in virtually every style from classic to contemporary.

As a new global sale feature, *Christie's Interiors* will continue to bring clients the finest in attractively-priced quality home décor. Christie's specialists from New York, London and Paris will continue to work closely, further developing a sale concept that has proved hugely popular since its 2002 launch.

“From Newlyweds to top decorators, from Manhattan to St. Germain, those in the know decorate their homes at our Interiors sales. With our 2008 enhanced Christie’s Interiors offering, shoppers and decorators both new and old will have an even more fantastic retail alternative when looking to complete their homes with stylish works that will hold their value. We encourage clients both new and old to come in to Christie’s and have a look around, have a chat with our specialists who can provide expertise, friendly advice and help you buy or sell at auction,” say Stefan Kist, Nic McElhatton and Lionel Gosset, New York, London and Paris Heads of Christie’s Interiors.

The regular sales across all three sites, all accessible with the online bidding feature Christie’s LIVE™, builds on the successes of these auctions that truly boast something to suit every individual’s taste. With attractive price points and an ever-changing repertoire of fine and decorative art, *Christie’s Interiors* offers a retail alternative for shoppers and decorators seeking unique and well-priced objects that tend to hold their value. Full details of this 2008 initiative are now online at <http://www.christies.com/interiorsny1>

THE THEATRE OF THE AUCTION

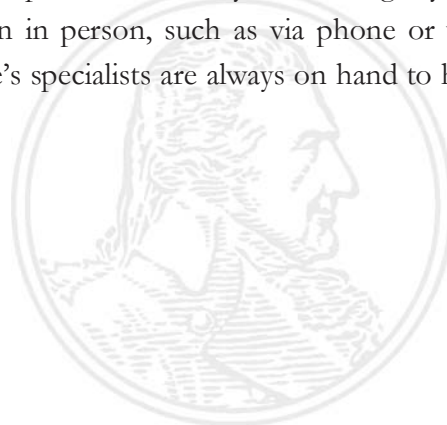


Christie’s Interiors leads the way with the most exciting approach to buying and selling art and home furnishings. Whether just watching in the auction room, bidding in actual sale, or clicking over the Internet, buying at a *Christie’s Interiors* auction is easy and fun.

HOW TO GO ABOUT IT



Every *Christie’s Interiors* lot is beautifully illustrated in a large scale magazine-style catalogue, ideal for browsing when looking for that unique and chic, modern or antique piece of furniture. Each catalogue also explains fully the process of buying at auction for those new to the experience, and ways of bidding if you are unable to attend the auction in person, such as via phone or via the Internet with Christie’s LIVE™. And of course, Christie’s specialists are always on hand to help clients with any and all enquiries.



About Christie's

Christie's is the world's leading art business with global auction sales in 2006 that totalled £2.51 billion / \$4.67 billion. Worldwide sales for the first half of 2007 totalled £1.63 billion / \$3.25 billion, an increase of 32% by £ and 45% by \$ from the same period last year and highest half year sales ever in art market history. Christie's is a name and place that speaks of extraordinary art, unparalleled service, and international glamour. Founded in 1766 by James Christie, Christie's conducted the greatest auctions of the 18th, 19th and 20th centuries, and today remains a popular showcase for the unique and the beautiful. Christie's offers over 600 sales annually in over 80 categories, including all areas of fine and decorative arts, jewellery, photographs, collectibles, wine, and more. Prices range from \$600 to over \$80 million. Christie's has 85 offices in 43 countries and 14 salerooms around the world including London, New York, Los Angeles, Paris, Geneva, Milan, Amsterdam, Tel Aviv, Dubai and Hong Kong. Most recently, Christie's has led the market with expanded initiatives in emerging markets such as China, India and the United Arab Emirates, with successful sales and exhibitions in Beijing, Dubai, Mumbai and Russia. Christie's also offers its clients worldwide access to its sales through Christie's LIVE™, its unique, real-time online bidding service.

*Estimates do not include buyer's premium

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More information about Christie's sale of xxx can be found on www.christies.com. All lots from the sale can be viewed online along with full catalogue descriptions on Lotfinder®, which also allows clients to leave absentee bids. www.christies.com provides information on more than 80 sale categories, buying and selling at auction, complete auction results, and Christie's international auction calendar.

