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AUCTION RESULTS
15th Tehran Auction – Contemporary Iranian Art
14 January 2022 – Tehran, Iran

Tehran Auction held its 15th auction, allocated to modern Iranian art at the Azadi Hotel, Tehran, Iran. The event was held under strict safety requirements-- mask wearing and social distancing.

In spite of the global concerns with the pandemic and the turbulent economic times, 200 enthusiastic art lovers and collectors were present and a total sale of 6,355,600 USD was achieved. The auction offered 80 works by 60 artists consisting of 59 paintings, 8 sculptures, and 13 calligraphies, which all were sold. There were 115 registered bidders, of which about 23% were first time buyers.

The works of several artists set their national records, including Parviz Tanavoli's Seated Poet, Monir Farmanfarmaian's Shiraz, Sohrab Sepehri's untitled, and Hossein Zenderoudi's LA-LA-SAR. In addition, Farideh Lashai and Koorosh Shishegaran achieved new international records.

We are proud and thankful that under the current challenging situations, art enthusiasts made this auction another remarkable success. The auctioneer was Mr. Hossein Pakdel. The top 10 sales were as follows:

| Lot | Artist | Title | Hammer Price USD |
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| 60 | Parviz Tanavoli | Seated Poet | 584,000 |
| 33 | Monir Farmanfarmaian | Shiraz (Drawing in Glass) | 520,000 |
| 53 | Sohrab Sepehri | Untitled | 472,000 |
| 14 | Hossein Zenderoudi | LA-LA-SAR | 440,000 |
| 26 | Sohrab Sepehri | Untitled | 240,000 |
| 72 | Bahman Mohassess | Untitled | 224,000 |
| 40 | Koorosh Shishegaran | Untitled | 200,000 |
| 44 | Mansour Ghandriz | Composition | 192,000 |
| 50 | Farideh Lashai | Untitled | 168,000 |
| 63 | Mohammad Ehsai | Dandelion | 160,000 |

1 USD equals 250,000 IRR

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