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PHILLIPS INAUGURAL CONTEMPORARY ART AUCTIONS AT 30 BERKELEY SQUARE TOTAL £19.9 / \$31.7 / €24.7 MILLION

EVENING SALE AUCTION RECORDS FOR TAUBA AUERBACH, KAWS AND DANH VÕ



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LONDON - 16 OCTOBER 2014 - The inaugural auctions at 30 Berkeley Square, Phillips European Headquarters, totalled £19,946,275 / \$31,714,577 / €24,733,381 selling 77% by value and 72% by lot.

Phillips London October Contemporary Evening Auction totalled £14,862,500 / \$23,631,375 / €18,578,125 selling 80% by lot and 77% by value.

The Contemporary Art Day Sale totalled £5,101,275 / \$8,111,027 / €6,325,581 selling 74% by value and 70% by lot.

“At the starting line of an extensive fall season we are very pleased to have launched our European Headquarters with an Evening Auction which took place in a packed sale room and which saw many strong prices. Since the opening of our space at 30 Berkeley Square last week we have seen early signs of great promise ahead having welcomed an average of 1,000 visitors a day to our exhibitions and with almost a third of this evening’s bidders being fresh to Phillips.” **Michael McGinnis, President, Phillips.**

“With records for **Tauba Auerbach, Danh Võ, and KAWS** we have once again started the week of Frieze auctions with real energy. The animated bidding in the room that saw strong prices for **Banksy, Anselm Kiefer** and **Alex Israel** was a continuation of the momentum we have felt all week with the opening of our European Headquarters.” **Peter Sumner, President, London.**

“We are pleased to have achieved solid results for artists across the board in our Day Sale and to have experienced a continuous flow of new buyers into the marketplace. We saw fierce competition on every level from **Mark Bradford** and **Julian Schanbel** to **Keith Haring** and **Tauba Auerbach.**” **Henry Highley, Head of Day Sale.**

### Evening Sale Top Ten Lots:

- 6 **Christopher Wool** *Untitled*, 1990 £2,098,500 / \$3,336,615 / €2,623,125  
4 **Tauba Auerbach** *Untitled (Fold)*, 2010 £1,142,500 / \$1,816,575 / €1,428,125  
7 **Jeff Koons** *Jim Beam - Observation Car*, 1986 £962,500 / \$1,530,375 / €1,203,125  
21 **Anselm Kiefer** *Für Paul Celan*, 2004 £818,500 / \$1,301,415 / €1,023,125  
13 **Martin Kippenberger** *Untitled (from the series Krieg Böse / War Wicked)*, 1991 £782,500 / \$1,244,175 / €978,125  
16 **Banksy** *Submerged Phone Booth*, 2006 £722,500 / \$1,148,775 / €903,125  
17 **Keith Haring** *Untitled*, 1988 £602,500 / \$957,975 / €753,125  
27 **Damien Hirst** *5-Fluorotryptamine*, 2007 £578,500 / \$919,815 / €723,125  
20 **Barry Flanagan** *Left Handed Drummer*, 1997 £506,500 / \$805,335 / €633,125  
15 **Anish Kapoor** *Untitled*, 2000 £506,500 / \$805,335 / €633,125

### Evening Sale Auction Records:

- 4 **Tauba Auerbach** *Untitled (Fold)*, 2010 £1,142,500 / \$1,816,575 / €1,428,125  
2 **Danh Vo** *We The People (Detail)*, 2011 £206,500 / \$328,335 / €258,125  
47 **KAWS** *Accomplice*, 2010 £266,500 / \$423,735 / €333,125

### Day Sale Top Lots:

- 156 **Andy Warhol** *Dollar Sign*, 1981 £206,500 / \$328,335 / €256,060  
138 **Mark Bradford** *Double Speak*, 2008 £146,500 / \$232,935 / €181,660  
147 **Julian Schnabel** *Untitled*, 1990 £146,500 / \$232,935 / €181,660  
161 **Manolo Valdés** *Anforas*, 2007 £146,500 / \$232,935 / €181,660  
136 **Tauba Auerbach** *Uppercase Insides*, 2006 £122,500 / \$194,775 / €151,900  
151 **Zhang Huan** *3 AM*, 2010 £122,500 / \$194,775 / €151,900  
157 **Keith Haring** *Untitled*, 1988 £116,500 / \$185,235 / €144,460  
163 **Agostino Bonalumi** *Azzurro*, 1997 £110,500 / \$175,695 / €137,020  
137 **Tracey Emin** *I Felt You And I Know You Loved me*, 2008 £98,500 / \$156,615 / €122,140  
141 **Chris Ofili** *Pramnian Odyssey I*, 2003 £98,500 / \$156,615 / €122,140  
251 **Yayoi Kusama** *Pumpkin Chess Set*, 2003 £98,500 / \$156,615 / €122,140

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