

CHRISTIE'S
South Asian Modern + Contemporary Art
 New York – Tuesday, September 16, 2008
 Sale no: 2025 – Top Ten
 [All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$12,634,375	£7,058,310	€8,960,550
Lots Sold: 84	Lots Offered: 126	Sold by Lot: 67%	Sold by \$: 78%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$1.79 / € = \$1.41			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
112	Subodh Gupta, <i>Steal 2</i> , Oil on Canvas, 2007	800,000-1,000,000	\$1,166,500 £652,514 € 822,927	US Private
123	Subodh Gupta, <i>Miter</i> , Stainless Steel, Stainless Steel Utensils, 2007	600,000-800,000	\$1,022,500 £571,964 € 721,340	US Private
150	Maqbool Fida Husain, <i>Ritual</i> , Oil on Canvas, 1968	600,000-800,000	\$1,022,500 £571,964 €721,340	US Private
169	Subodh Gupta, <i>Untitled</i> , Oil on Canvas, 2005	600,000-800,000	\$962,500 £538,401 € 679,011	Indian Trade
121	Tyeb Mehta, <i>Untitled (Yellow Heads)</i> , Oil on Canvas, 1979	600,000-800,000	\$902,500 £504,838 € 636,683	Indian Trade
219	Rameshwar Broota, <i>The Same Old Story – II</i> , Oil on Canvas, 1979	150,000-200,000	\$662,500 £372,149 €468,032	Indian Trade
122	Rameshwar Broota, <i>Man</i> , Oil on Canvas, 1991	250,000-350,000	\$506,500 £283,324 € 357,319	European Private
105	Maqbool Fida Husain, <i>Untitled</i> , Acrylic on Canvas, 1955	250,000-350,000	\$482,500 £269,553 € 342,198	Indian Trade
107	Jagdish Swaminathan, <i>Untitled (Bird Mountain Series)</i> , oil on canvas, 1973	300,000-500,000	\$362,500 £202,774 € 255,731	Indian Trade
152	Manjit Bawa, <i>Untitled</i> , Oil on Canvas, 1992 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST	200,000-300,000	\$362,500 £202,774 € 255,731	Indian Trade

Hugo Weihe, International Director, International Specialist Head of South Asian Modern + Contemporary Art, comments: "Today's sale offered a selective group of exceptional works that stimulated lively interest and was led by Subodh Gupta's *Steal 2* achieving \$1.16 million. Competitive bidding from international buyers in a busy room and on Christie's LIVE confirmed the strength of the growing Indian art market. Many prices exceeded pre-sale estimates and established 6 new world auction records for artists representing India, Pakistan, and Bangladesh including Jyothi Basu, Riyas Komu, Manjit Bawa, Chitra Ganesh, Mohammad Zeeshan, and Zainul Abedin."

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Date and Location of Next Sale	Hong Kong, November 30, 2008