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
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PREPARING WINE FOR THE XUANDE EMPEROR

REGINA KRAHL

With its distinct form, Buddhist design and impeccable quality, this covered bowl is a model piece of Xuande (1426-1435) imperial porcelain and appears to have no companion piece besides examples from the Qing imperial collection, now held in the National Palace Museum, Taipei. Outside the palace collections in Taipei and Beijing, only four other bowls of this form appear to be preserved worldwide complete with their covers, only one of them remaining in a private collection, none of the present pattern.

Bowls of this form, which is in every way exceptional, occupy an important place in the repertoire of early Ming (1368-1644) porcelains. Bowls with matching covers were rare throughout China's history and were clearly conceived for a distinct purpose. What is particularly remarkable about this model is that both bowl and cover bear reign marks, and that the marks are prominently placed in the centre of the otherwise plain insides, thus immediately catching the eye, when the cover is lifted. A similar placement is otherwise known only from stem bowls and cups, and one

may wonder whether use in a ritual context may be the reason for this.

The Buddhist connotation of the lotus-and-emblem design on this bowl would support such usage. The Xuande Emperor, although himself a diligent Confucian ruler, at the same time continued the patronage of Buddhist causes that had been a strong feature of his grandfather's reign, the Yongle period (1403-1424), when Tibetan clerics played an important role at the court and Tibetan Buddhist imagery found entry into various areas of the material culture. Buddhist monasteries and temples were constructed or renovated to imperial order, including the Da Baoensi in Nanjing with its porcelain pagoda, begun by the Yongle and completed for the Xuande Emperor under supervision of the eunuch admiral Zheng He, who had undertaken gigantic sea voyages for both rulers. Gilt-bronze Buddhist sculptures were cast in the imperial workshops, inscribed with the mark of the current reign, noting imperial bestowal; Buddhist sutras were imperially

commissioned, lavishly written in gold on indigo paper or printed with complex woodblock illustrations; and items for use in Buddhist ceremonies were specially crafted by imperial textile, porcelain and other workshops, to provide imperial donations to Buddhist monasteries or for use in the places of worship inside the Forbidden City.

Formal lotus scrolls with blooms supporting the Eight Buddhist Emblems were one of the classic patterns decorating objects with Buddhist connotations since the Yongle period, when the motif can be seen, for example, on cloisonné mandala bases, gold-engraved lacquer sutra covers, embroidered silk streamers, etc. (*Defining Yongle. Imperial Art in Early Fifteenth-Century China*, The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, 2005, catalogue pls 9, 22 and 34). On porcelains it appeared only in the Xuande period, when blue-and-white began to be used in a Buddhist context and largely replaced the monochrome white Buddhist ritual vessels of the Yongle reign; besides these covered bowls we



fig. 1
 Emperor Xuanzong at Leisure
 Ming dynasty, handscroll, ink and colours on silk (detail)
 © Collection of the Palace Museum, Beijing

find it, for example, on thick-walled bowls, bowls on a tall foot, stem cups, large dishes and jars (Mingdai Xuande guanyao jinghua tezhan tulu/ Catalogue of the Special Exhibition of Selected Hsüan-te Imperial Porcelains of the Ming Dynasty, Taipei, 1998, cat. nos 44, 93, 116, and 184; and *The Complete Collection of Treasures of the Palace Museum. Blue and White Porcelain with Underglazed Red*, Shanghai, 2000, vol. 1, pl. 107).

The elegant profile of the present model, with the rims of both parts meeting in a harmonious outward flaring curve, is superbly calibrated, and a precise fit of bowl and cover required expert craftsmanship. With its angular edge above the foot and the double raised ribs just above that, the shape would seem to be based on a metal prototype. The reason that metal prototypes are difficult to find, may be that they were made of gold or silver and have long been melted down. In China this shape is known as *he wan*, variously written with two different *he* characters to signify either a closed bowl or a bowl for preparing food or drink.

A covered bowl of similar outline, probably made of gold, can be seen on a table laid with wine vessels in the handscroll *Emperor Xuanzong at Leisure* from the collection of the Palace Museum, Beijing, which depicts the Xuande Emperor watching performances of various games and taking part in some of them himself (fig. 1); see *Classics of the Forbidden City: Splendors from the Yongle and Xuande Reigns of China's Ming Dynasty*, Palace Museum, Beijing, 2012, pl. 92, and the exhibition catalogue *Ming. Fifty Years that Changed China*, The British Museum, London, 2014, fig. 127, pp. 144-7; the table itself is also reproduced in a line drawing in *Jingdezhen chutu Ming Xuande guanyao ciqi/Xuande Imperial Porcelain excavated at Jingdezhen*, Chang Foundation, Taipei, 1998, p. 160, together with another table from that painting laid with food vessels. Jessica Harrison-Hall states that such bowls are believed to have been used for mixing alcohol (*Ming Ceramics in the British Museum*, London, 2001, p. 131). The table in the painting shows besides the covered bowl one large and two somewhat smaller golden wine jars and

covers on red lacquer stands, a gold wine ewer, gold bottle, and a gold cup and cup stand, all placed in front of a table screen depicting a misty landscape.

According to the inventory of porcelains in the National Palace Museum, Taipei, *Gugong ciqi lu* [Record of porcelains from the Old Palace], Taipei, 1961-6, vol. 2, part 1, pp. 119-22, the museum possesses twenty-seven blue-and-white covered bowls of this form, thirteen of them of the present design with lotus scrolls and Buddhist emblems, with minor variations in their measurements; one of these companion bowls was included in the Museum's Xuande exhibition, *op.cit.*, 1998, cat. no. 52 (fig. 2), together with other blue-and-white covered bowls of this form decorated with lotus scrolls only, with 'Indian lotus' (or stylized pomegranate) scrolls, and with detached flower sprays, cat. nos 50, 51 and 53, as well as a blue-and-white bowl without cover painted with dragons, cat. no. 54, and two covered dragon-decorated bowls painted in underglaze blue and overglaze or underglaze red,



fig. 2

Blue and white 'lotus and bajixiang' bowl and cover, marks and period of Xuande
Qing court collection
© Collection of the National Palace Museum, Taipei



fig. 3

Blue and white 'lotus' bowl and cover, marks and period of Xuande
Qing court collection
© Collection of the Palace Museum, Beijing



fig. 4

Blue and white 'dragon' bowl and cover, marks and period of Xuande
Collection of Au Bak Ling, formerly collection of Mr and Mrs R.H.R. Palmer
Christie's Hong Kong, 17th January 1989, lot 568

respectively, cat. nos 55 and 56. While none of these featured in the Museum's earlier Xuande exhibition, *Ming Xuande ciqi tezhan mulu/ Catalogue of a Special Exhibition of Hsuan-te Period Porcelain*, National Palace Museum, Taipei, 1980, a later non-imperial copy based on this design, with spurious Xuande mark, was included, cat. no. 50.

Only one bowl and cover of this form, decorated with lotus scrolls but lacking the emblems, appears to be remaining in the collection of the Palace Museum, Beijing, from the Qing (1644-1911) court collection, illustrated in *The Complete Collection of Treasures*, *op.cit.* pl. 157 (**fig. 3**), together with two such bowls without cover, with dragons and with flower sprays, pls 155 and 156; the latter two illustrated again, together with a third bowl without cover, decorated with 'Indian lotus', in Geng Baochang, ed., *Gugong Bowuyuan cang Ming chu qinghua ci* [Early Ming blue-and-white porcelain in the Palace Museum], Beijing, 2002, vol. 2, pls 151-3.

Apart from these bowls from the two palace collections, only four examples with cover appear to be preserved worldwide: one decorated with dragons, from the Sir Percival David Collection in the British Museum, is illustrated in Regina Krahl and Jessica Harrison-Hall, *Chinese Ceramics. Highlights from the Sir Percival David Collection*, London, 2009, pl. 30, together with two bowls of this form without covers, one with underglaze-red, the other with overglaze-red dragons; another covered bowl in the British Museum is painted with lotus scrolls only, the bowl having been purchased without a cover, and a matching cover later donated by Oscar Raphael, see Jessica Harrison-Hall, *op.cit.*, 2001, no. 4:19; another lotus-decorated example, apparently unpublished, is in the Asian Art Museum of San Francisco, acquisition number B69P18L.a-b; and one other dragon-decorated bowl from the collection of Mr and Mrs R.H.R. Palmer, now in the Au Bak Ling collection, included in several exhibitions of the Oriental Ceramic Society, e.g. *The Arts of the Ming Dynasty*, London, 1957, cat.

no. 123, was sold at Christie's Hong Kong, 17th January 1989, lot 568 (**fig. 4**).

A bowl of the same form and design as the present example but lacking a cover was also reconstructed from sherds discovered at the Ming imperial kiln site at Jingdezhen, and included in the exhibition *Jingdezhen chutu Ming Xuande guanyao ciqi/Xuande Imperial Porcelain excavated at Jingdezhen*, Chang Foundation, Taipei, 1998, cat. no. 18. Two further bowls of this design without cover are preserved in China, in the National Museum of China, Beijing, illustrated in *Zhongguo Guojia Bowuguan guancang wenwu yanjiu congshu/Studies on the Collections of the National Museum of China. Ciqi juan: Mingdai* [Porcelain section: Ming dynasty], Shanghai, 2007, pl. 41; and in the Shanghai Museum, illustrated in Lu Minghua, *Shanghai Bowuguan zangpin yanjiu daxi/Studies of the Shanghai Museum Collections: A Series of Monographs. Mingdai guanyao ciqi* [Ming imperial porcelain], Shanghai, 2007, pl. 4-19.



fig. 5
Edward T. Chow (1910-1980)

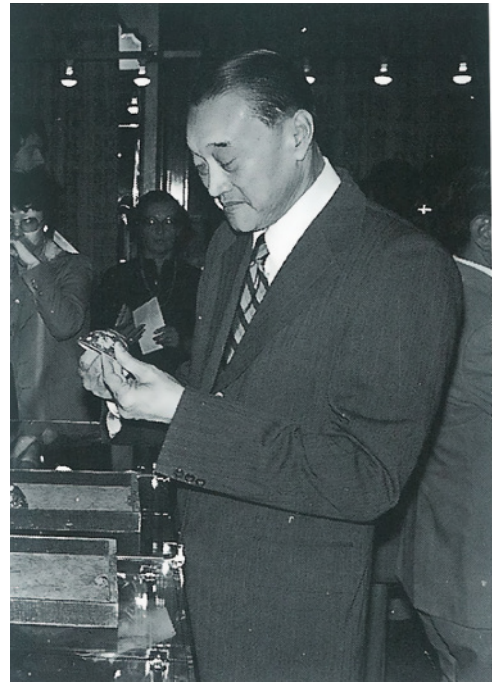


fig. 6
T.Y. Chao (1912-1999) at Sotheby's Hong Kong

Besides the present and the Palmer bowl, only two bowls of this form were ever offered at auction, both without covers: a bowl of the same design as the present piece, in our New York rooms, 4th December 1985, lot 233; and one with detached flower scrolls in these rooms, 24th November 1981, lot 84.

Like all remarkable designs of the Song (960-1279) and Ming periods, these bowls found their echo in the Yongzheng era (1723-1735), when the imperial kilns in Jingdezhen revived the shape, albeit with a more prominent knob in the form of a chicken, see Geng Baochang, *Ming Qing ciqu jianding* [Appraisal of Ming and Qing porcelain], Hong Kong, 1993, figs 414 and 429.

This bowl belonged to two of the most important Asian collectors of Chinese art in the twentieth century, Edward T. Chow (**fig. 5**) and T.Y. Chao (**fig. 6**), and figured in two of the most memorable sales in Hong Kong, which have made auction history. Edward T. Chow (1910-1980), one of the most renowned dealers and collectors

of Chinese art, began at an early age to work in this field and to assemble his collection, first in Shanghai, later in Hong Kong, and eventually in Switzerland. His expert knowledge of Chinese art, his high aesthetic standards and his relentless demand for quality made him one of the favourite addresses for the major collectors of the time, such as Sir Percival David, King Gustaf Adolf of Sweden, Eiichi Ataka, J.M. Hu, or Barbara Hutton, many of whom he managed to advise and as such to play an important role in the formation of collections, as for example, the Meiyintang collection. The sale of his own collection in three parts at Sotheby's Hong Kong and London in 1980 and 1981 created a splash in the art world and heralded an explosion of prices in this field. The Edward T. Chow collection remains one of the most coveted provenances for a piece of Chinese art.

T.Y. Chao (1912-1999), shipping magnate and leading real estate developer of Hong Kong, had collected Chinese art for decades prior to the Chow sales and besides porcelains, also

sought out classical paintings and calligraphies as well as jades. An exhibition of one hundred Ming and Qing porcelains from his collection was held at the Hong Kong Museum of Art in 1978. Recognizing the rare opportunity the Chow sales provided, he became one of the major buyers there, despite the very high prizes. Many pieces from the Edward T. Chow sales therefore re-appeared on the market in 1987, when the T.Y. Chao collection itself was offered in two auctions, also at Sotheby's Hong Kong, echoing the success of the Chow sales.



為宣宗奉酒

康蕊君

青花纏枝蓮托八吉祥合盃，造形殊麗，深蘊佛意，美善至臻，乃宣審典範，除現存台北故宮博物院之清宮舊藏，無見同例。兩岸故宮藏品之外，與此合盃器形相同且盃蓋仍存者，僅有四例，但紋飾皆與此器相異，其中只有一件尚屬私人收藏。

此類合盃尤為珍稀，中國歷史上少見此類蓋、盃相應器皿，應為特殊用途而設計，於明早期官審瓷器中佔有舉足輕重之地位。蓋、盃同書年款，識於中心，掀蓋時即映入眼簾，甚是引人注目。類同款識位置，唯見於高足盃、盃，兩者之關聯性，令人推測此設計或因祭祀用途而生。

蓮托八吉祥紋之佛教寓意，更加確認此器的宗教用途，宣德帝尚儒勤政，但延續前朝對佛教之崇信。永樂帝在位時，有藏僧身任朝廷要職，各式器物上均可見藏傳佛教的紋飾圖像。成祖敕命建修多處佛寺僧院，包括南京大報恩

寺與琉璃寶塔，始建於永樂朝，直至宣德朝在太監鄭和監造下竣工。宮廷作坊並鑄造鍍金佛像，刻銘當朝年款，記載帝王施供；且詔命恭造佛經，磁青紙泥金敬書，或輔圖印刷，工序繁複；宮廷器物作坊特為佛教祭典打造所需之織錦、瓷器等各項器物，用於宮內儀式，亦布施予宮外寺院。

纏枝蓮托八吉祥紋飾始見於永樂朝，經典雋永，用於綴飾佛教器物，如掐絲琺瑯壇城底座、朱漆描金經板、刺繡絲網飄帶等（《Defining Yongle. Imperial Art in Early Fifteenth-Century China》，大都會藝術博物館，紐約，2005年，圖版9、22、34）。宣德審以青花瓷大幅取代前朝佛教祭典使用的單色瓷，並首於瓷器上繪蓮托八吉祥紋，除了此類合盃，亦可見於青花大盃、高圈足盃、高足盃、大盤及罐（《明代宣德官審菁華特展圖錄》，台北，1998年，編號44、93

、116、184；及《故宮博物院藏文物珍品全集·青花釉裏紅（上）》，上海，2000年，圖版107）。

合盃線條優雅，蓋、盃口沿微微外撇柔彎，曲線交接處精準吻合，盡現瓷匠巧技精工。下腹轉折利落，腹壁凸弦紋兩道，透露器形或取思自金屬器雛本，然金銀器多已熔化重鑄，因而難見存世作例。合盃，又作盃盃，既指蓋與盃之相合，又可解作用以盛食物或酒飲的食器。

北京故宮博物院藏《明宣宗宮中行樂圖》記述宣德帝遊獵觀戲等餘閒活動（圖一），卷中描繪方桌上陳設儲酒器，可見一合盃，或為金器，見《故宮經典：明永樂宣德文物圖典》，故宮博物院，北京，2012年，圖版92，及展覽圖錄《明：盛世皇朝五十年》，大英博物館，倫敦，2014年，圖127，頁144-7；方桌酒器細部線描圖亦刊載於《景德鎮出土明宣德官審瓷器》，鴻禧美術館，台北，1998



圖一
明 《明宣宗宮中行樂圖》卷
設色絹本（局部）
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圖二
明宣德 青花纏枝蓮托八吉祥紋合盃
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圖四
明宣德 青花雲龍紋合盃
《大明宣德年製》款
區百齡典藏 R.H.R. Palmer 伉儷舊藏
香港佳士得1989年1月17日，編號568

年，頁160，同錄另一食案亦擺滿飲食器。霍吉淑論及此類合盃應用於調製酒液（《Ming Ceramics in the British Museum》，倫敦，2001年，頁131）。行樂圖中，山水案屏前，金黃合盃旁，陳設一大二小金蓋罐連朱漆座、一金執壺、一金瓶、一套金盃及盃托。

據《故宮瓷器錄》，台北，1961-1966年，第2輯（上），頁119-22，故宮博物院藏二十七件青花合盃，其中十三件飾纏枝蓮托八吉祥紋飾，尺寸略異；其中一例展出於博物院的宣德特展，前述出處，1998年，編號52（圖二），同錄紋飾相異之青花合盃，如番蓮紋、折枝花卉紋，編號50、51、53，及一件雲龍紋合盃，蓋已佚失，編號54，一件青花礬紅雲龍紋合盃，編號55，與青花釉裏紅龍紋作例，編號56。上述雖未載於台北故宮博物院更早之《明宣德瓷器特展目錄》，但後書卻錄一件晚期民窯摹作，書宣德偽款，編號50。

北京故宮博物院僅存一件宣德青花帶蓋合盃，綴纏枝蓮紋，屬清宮舊藏，刊於《故宮博物院藏文物珍品全集》，前述出處，圖版157（圖三），書中並載二件無蓋合盃，繪雲龍紋及花卉紋，圖版155、156；後二者並與另一件番蓮紋無蓋合盃，錄於耿寶昌編，《故宮博物院藏明初青花瓷》，北京，2002年，下卷，圖版151-3。

除兩岸故宮博物院之外，存世僅四例帶蓋合盃：大維德基金會藏一件龍紋作例，現存於大英博物館，載錄於康蕊君及霍吉淑，《大英博物館大維德爵士藏中國陶瓷精選》，倫敦，2009年，中譯版，北京，2013年，圖版30，書中並錄二件無蓋龍紋合盃，其一飾以礬紅，另一飾釉裏紅；大英博物館藏另一件蓮紋合盃，乃博物館先購得盃身，藏家Oscar Raphael 隨後捐贈盃蓋，見霍吉淑，前述出處，2001年，編號4:19。另一件蓮紋

合盃藏於舊金山亞洲藝術博物館，藏品編號B69P18L.a-b，未曾著錄出版。還有一件龍紋合盃，出自 R.H.R. Palmer 伉儷舊藏，現為區百齡所蓄，曾多次展出於東方陶瓷學會特展，如《The Arts of the Ming Dynasty》，倫敦，1957年，編號123，1989年1月17日售於香港佳士得，編號568（圖四）。

景德鎮明代官窯遺址出土一件器形紋飾均與此例相同之殘器，蓋缺失，展出於《景德鎮出土明宣德官窯瓷器》，鴻禧美術館，台北，1998年，編號18。北京國家博物館藏二件相類合盃，無蓋，刊載於《中國國家博物館館藏文物研究叢書：瓷器卷·明代》，上海，2007年，圖版41。上海博物館也藏一無蓋例，錄於陸明華，《上海博物館藏品研究大系：明代官窯瓷器》，上海，2007年，圖版4-19。



圖五
仇焱之（1910-1980年）生活照



圖六
趙從衍（1912-1999年），攝於香港蘇富比

除本器與前述 Palmer 舊藏合盃，歷年拍賣會僅見另二無蓋合盃，其一紋飾與本品相同，1985年12月4日售於紐約蘇富比，編號233；另一綴折枝花卉紋，1981年11月24日售於香港蘇富比，編號84。

雍正一朝，景德鎮御窯廠復燒宋明經典名瓷，包括此類合盃，但添天雞蓋鈕，見耿寶昌，《明清瓷器鑒定》，香港，1993年，圖414、429。

此件青花合盃曾先後為中國瓷器收藏名家仇焱之（圖五）及趙從衍（圖六）遞藏，並售於香港藝術品拍賣史上最為人稱道的二場拍賣會。仇焱之（1910-1980年）乃最受尊崇之華古董商及鑑藏家之一，年幼即入行學藝，攻鑑藏，兼買賣，曾於滬港兩地經商，後移居瑞士，曾輔助許多重要中國藝術收藏家，包括大維德爵士、芭芭拉·赫頓、瑞典國王古斯塔夫六世·阿道夫、胡惠春及安宅英一，助建他們

之寶蓄雅藏，如玫茵堂中國藝術品收藏，協其謹思慎擇。仇氏私人所藏，見於1980及1981年共三場拍賣會，釋出大批珍品，轟動業界，於香港藝術市場影響更是深遠悠長。仇焱之舊藏廣得景仰，至今已成中國藝術品最尊貴之來源記錄。

一代船王趙從衍（1912-1999年）長年專注於蒐藏中國藝術，並以書畫、瓷器、玉器為重心，1978年曾於香港藝術館展出其珍藏百件明清瓷器。深知仇氏收藏質精稀珍，趙氏亦為拍賣會的主要競投者之一，為購心頭所好，踴躍出價，明顯以仇氏為楷模，藉此建立典藏。1987年香港蘇富比為趙從衍家族收藏舉辦拍賣專場時，場面之盛，不亞於前。





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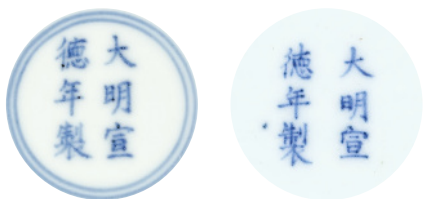
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明宣德 青花纏枝蓮托八吉祥合盃
《大明宣德年製》款

宣德合盃胎色淨，發色濃湛，釉潤如脂。盃深壁，微折腰，凸飾弦紋成雙，口沿外侈。青花揮毫，發色靛藍，弦紋上方妙繪纏枝瑞蓮，鮮妍盛綻，上托佛教法物八吉祥，細畫法輪、法螺、寶幢、寶傘、蓮花、雙魚、寶瓶、盤長，綴以飄帶，並飾延枝捲葉相襯，弘顯佛智圓滿。弦紋下折腰處另添連枝花卉，簡約典雅。圓蓋穹頂，青花滿繪，中心芙蓉，花蕊微凸，環飾蓮托八吉祥，與盃上所畫，兩兩相對。蓋內、盃心各書青花六字楷款對銘，僅後者畫雙圈。澄觀法物，八識涵蘊，佛學會心，恩澤廣施。如此宣德重器，來源有緒，傳世罕見，寥若晨星。
總高10.7公分，4¼英寸；徑17.8公分，7英寸

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商	SHANG DYNASTY	16th century - c.1046 BC
周	ZHOU DYNASTY	c.1046 - 221 BC
西周	Western Zhou	c.1046 - 771 BC
東周	Eastern Zhou	770 - 256 BC
春秋	Spring and Autumn	770 - 476 BC
戰國	Warring States	475 - 221 BC
秦	QIN DYNASTY	221 - 206 BC
漢	HAN DYNASTY	206 BC - AD 220
西漢	Western Han	206 BC - AD 9
東漢	Eastern Han	AD 25 - 220
三國	THREE KINGDOMS	220 - 265
晉	JIN DYNASTY	265 - 420
西晉	Western Jin	265 - 316
東晉	Eastern Jin	317 - 420
南北朝	SOUTHERN AND NORTHERN DYNASTIES	420 - 589
宋	Song	420 - 479
齊	Qi	479 - 502
梁	Liang	502 - 557
陳	Chen	557 - 589
北魏	Northern Wei	386 - 534
東魏	Eastern Wei	534 - 550
西魏	Western Wei	535 - 557
北齊	Northern Qi	550 - 577
北周	Northern Zhou	557 - 581
隋	SUI DYNASTY	581 - 618
唐	TANG DYNASTY	618 - 907
五代	FIVE DYNASTIES	907 - 960
遼	LIAO DYNASTY	907 - 1125
宋	SONG DYNASTY	960 - 1279
北宋	Northern Song	960 - 1127
南宋	Southern Song	1127 - 1279
夏	XIA DYNASTY	1038 - 1227
金	JIN DYNASTY	1115 - 1234
元	YUAN DYNASTY	1279 - 1368
明	MING DYNASTY	1368 - 1644
洪武	Hongwu	1368 - 1398
永樂	Yongle	1403 - 1424
宣德	Xuande	1426 - 1435
正統	Zhengtong	1436 - 1449
景泰	Jingtai	1450 - 1456
天順	Tianshun	1457 - 1464
成化	Chenghua	1465 - 1487
弘治	Hongzhi	1488 - 1505
正德	Zhengde	1506 - 1521
嘉靖	Jiajing	1522 - 1566
隆慶	Longqing	1567 - 1572
萬曆	Wanli	1573 - 1620
天啟	Tianqi	1621 - 1627
崇禎	Chongzhen	1628 - 1644
清	QING DYNASTY	1644 - 1911
順治	Shunzhi	1644 - 1661
康熙	Kangxi	1662 - 1722
雍正	Yongzheng	1723 - 1735
乾隆	Qianlong	1736 - 1795
嘉慶	Jiaqing	1796 - 1820
道光	Daoguang	1821 - 1850
咸豐	Xianfeng	1851 - 1861
同治	Tongzhi	1862 - 1874
光緒	Guangxu	1875 - 1908
宣統	Xuantong	1909 - 1911
中華民國	REPUBLIC OF CHINA	1912 -
洪憲	Hongxian	1915 - 1916
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1. BEFORE THE AUCTION

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👉 Interested Parties

Lots with this symbol indicate that parties with a direct or indirect interest in the lot may be bidding on the lot, including (i) the beneficiary of an estate selling the lot, or (ii) the joint owner of a lot. If the interested party is the successful bidder, they will be required to pay the full Buyer's Premium. In

certain instances, interested parties may have knowledge of the reserve. In the event the interested party's possible participation in the sale is not known until after the printing of the auction catalogue, a pre-lot announcement will be made indicating that interested parties may be bidding on the lot.

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Unless indicated by a box (👉), all lots in this catalogue are offered subject to a reserve. A reserve is the confidential hammer price established between Sotheby's and the seller and below which a lot will not be sold. The reserve is generally set at a percentage of the low estimate and will not exceed the low estimate for the lot. If any lots in the catalogue are offered without a reserve, these lots are indicated by a box (👉). If all lots in the catalogue are offered without a reserve, a Special Notice will be included to this effect and the box symbol will not be used.

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Condition of Lots Prospective buyers are encouraged to inspect the property at the pre-sale exhibitions. Solely as a convenience, Sotheby's may provide condition reports. The absence of reference to the condition of a lot in the catalogue description does not imply that the lot is free from faults or imperfections. Please refer to Condition 3 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

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2. BIDDING IN THE SALE

Bidding at Auction Bids may be executed in person by paddle during the auction, in writing prior to the sale by telephone or by BID^{LINE}. Auction speeds vary, but average between 50 and 120 lots per hour. The bidding steps are generally in increments of approximately 10% of the previous bid. Please refer to Conditions 5 and 6 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

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To ensure a satisfactory service, please ensure that we receive your bids at least 24 hours before the sale.

Bidding by Telephone If you cannot attend the auction, it is possible to bid on the telephone on lots with a minimum low estimate of HK\$40,000. As the number of telephone lines is limited, it is necessary to make arrangements for this service 24 hours before the sale.

We also suggest that you leave a maximum bid which we can execute on your behalf in the event we are unable to reach you by telephone. Multi-lingual staff are available to execute bids for you. Please refer to Condition 5 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

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3. THE AUCTION

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Interested Parties Announcement In situations where a person who is allowed to bid on a lot has a direct or indirect interest in such lot, such as the beneficiary or executor of an estate selling the lot, a joint owner of the lot, or a party providing or participating in a guarantee of the lot, Sotheby's will make an announcement in the sale room that interested parties may bid on the lot. In certain circumstances, interested parties may have knowledge of the reserves.

Consecutive and Responsive Bidding

The auctioneer may open the bidding on any lot by placing a bid on behalf of the seller. The auctioneer may further bid on behalf of the seller, up to the amount of the reserve, by placing consecutive or responsive bids for a lot. Please refer to Condition 6 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

4. AFTER THE AUCTION

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Endangered Species Items made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as rosewood, coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, tortoiseshell, etc., irrespective of age or value, may require a licence or certificate prior to exportation and require additional licences or certificates upon importation to any country outside Hong Kong. Please note that the ability to obtain an export licence or certificate does not ensure the ability to obtain an import licence or certificate in another country, and vice versa. For example, for example, it is illegal to import African elephant ivory into the United States. Sotheby's suggests that buyers check with their own government regarding wildlife import requirements prior to placing a bid. It is the buyer's responsibility to obtain any export or import licences and/or certificates as well as any other required documentation (please refer to Condition 10 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue).

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明嘉靖年間青花盤

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功售出保證拍賣品，提供或參與提供保證之第三方可能會取得財務利益；惟銷售不成功則可能會產生虧損。若在同一圖錄中之所有拍賣品均得到此保證，該保證會在本銷售圖錄所載之重要指示中註明，而此符號將不會用於每一項拍賣品。若提供或參與保證之第三方成功競投保證項目，他們需支付全數買家支付之酬金。

△ 蘇富比擁有業權權益之拍賣品 附有△符號之拍賣品表示蘇富比擁有該拍賣品全部或部份之業權，或在拍賣品中擁有相等於業權權益之經濟利益。若在同一圖錄中之所有拍賣品均為蘇富比擁有業權權益，則會就此作出特別提示而不會使用此符號。

☹ 不可撤銷投標 附有此符號之拍賣品表示已有競投者就拍賣品向蘇富比做出不可撤銷投標的承諾。於拍賣進行時該投標將會以一確保拍賣品能拍出的價格執行。該不可撤銷投標方可以超過不可撤銷投標之價格競投。如該方競投不成功，該方將會得到已最後成交價作基準的補償。倘不可撤銷投標方競投成功，則須支付之酬金及不會得到任何其他報酬補償。倘不可撤銷投標在於拍賣圖錄印製後才接獲，一則示意該拍賣品有不可撤銷投標之公告將於該拍賣品競投前作出。

如不可撤銷投標方向任何人士對拍賣品作出建議，蘇富比要求不可撤銷投標方必須向該人士披露己方與拍賣品有經濟利害關係。如有顧問建議閣下或代閣下競投有不可撤銷投標之拍賣品，閣下應要求該顧問披露是否與拍賣品有經濟利害關係。

∨ 有害關係的各方 附有∨符號之拍賣品表示對拍賣品有直接或間接利害關係的各方可能對拍賣品作出競投，包括(i)提供全部或部份保證的一方，(ii)出售拍賣品之遺產之受益人，或(iii)拍賣品之聯權共有人。倘有害關係的一方為成功競投人，他們須支付全部買家支付之酬金。在某些情況下，有害關係的各方可能知悉底價。倘在拍賣圖錄印製後才獲悉有利害關係的一方可能參與拍賣，一則示意有利害關係的各方可能對拍賣品作出競投之公告將於該拍賣品拍賣前作出。

□ 無底價 除以口符號另作註明外，所有在本圖錄之拍賣品均有底價。底價是由蘇富比和買家共同設定之成交價位，且絕對機密。拍賣品不會以低於該價售出。底價通常以低估價之一定比例來設定，且拍賣品不會以低於該價位之售價成交。圖錄中之拍賣品如不設底價，均會以口符號註明。若在同一圖錄中之所有拍賣品均並非以底價出售，則會就此作出特別提示而不會使用此符號。

◎ 受限制物料

附有此符號之拍賣品於編制目錄時已識別為含有有機物料，而有關物料可能受到進出口之限制。有關資料為方便買家查閱，而無附有該符號並非保證該拍賣品並無進出口之限制。競投人應參閱買家之業務規則第10條，亦請參閱拍賣會購買資訊中有關面臨絕種物種一節。

拍賣品之狀況 準買家應於拍賣前之展覽會上視察拍賣品。純為方便買家，蘇富比亦會提供拍賣品狀況報告。如圖錄中未說明拍賣品之狀況，不表示該拍賣品沒有缺陷或瑕疵。請參閱印於本圖錄之買家業務規則第3條。

電器及機械貨品 所有電器及機械貨品只按其裝飾價值出售，不應假設其可運作。電器在作任何用途前必須經合格電器技師檢驗和批核。

2. 拍賣之競投

在拍賣會中競投 競投可以由個人親臨拍賣會上學板進行，亦可在拍賣前以書面形式參加或通過電話或BIDSM網上競投服務進行競投。

拍賣過程需時各有不同，但平均為每小時50至120件拍賣品。每次出價通常較前一次出價高約10%。

請參閱印於本圖錄之買家業務規則第5及6條。

親身競投 親身競投之人士須在拍賣會開始前登記及領取號碼板，並須出示身份證明文件。如閣下持有蘇富比卡則更有助登記程序之進行。如閣下希望登記競投高估價拍賣品，請參考上述段落。如閣下成功購得拍賣品，請確定拍賣官看到閣下之號碼板及叫出閣下之號碼。如對叫價或買家有任何疑問，請立即向拍賣官示意。所有售出之拍賣品發票抬頭人均會為登記號碼板之人士及其地址，而不得轉讓至他人及其他地址。請勿隨意放置閣下之號碼板；如有遺失，立即通知拍賣主任。拍賣完結時，請將號碼板交回登記部。

缺席競投 如閣下未能出席拍賣會，本公司樂意代表閣下進行書面競投。本圖錄後部分附有競投表格。此服務乃免費而且保密。蘇富比將會以相對於其他競投價、底價及蘇富比委託標之最相宜價格得。倘競投價相同，則最先競投者有優先權。請每一次均列明「最高限價」一即閣下親身出席拍賣會將會作出之成交價。「購買」和無限價競投標將不獲接納。請參閱本圖錄所載之買家業務規則第5條。電話競投者必須於拍賣前以函件或傳真確認。競投傳真專線號碼為：(852) 25221063。為確保獲得滿意之服務，請確保本公司在拍賣前最少24小時收到閣下確認競投之指示。

電話競投 如閣下未能出席拍賣會，可透過電話競投底位估價最低為40,000港元之拍賣品。由於電話線路有限，因此必須於拍賣前24小時安排此項服務。本公司亦建議閣下表明最高限價，以便當本公司不能以電話聯絡閣下時可代表閣下競投。本公司有多位通曉多國語言之職員可為閣下進行競投。請參閱本圖錄所載之買家業務規則第5條。

透過BIDSM網上競投服務進行網上競投 若閣下未能出席拍賣會，或可透過BIDSM網上競投服務於網上競投特定之拍賣。此項服務乃免費及保密。有關透過BIDSM網上競投服務登記進行網上競投之詳情，請參考蘇富比網頁www.sothebys.com。使用BIDSM網上競投服務之競投人受透過BIDSM網上競投服務進行即時網上競投之附加條款（可參閱蘇富比網頁www.sothebys.com），以及適用於該拍賣之業務規則所規限。

僱員競投 蘇富比之僱員只可在不知底價及全面遵守蘇富比監管僱員競投之內部規例之情況下於蘇富比拍賣會上競投。

美國經濟制裁 美國維持對目標外國家、集團及組織之經濟及貿易制裁。美國買家務請注意，美國人士一般不得買賣或以其他方式處置該等國家、組織或集團之成員、居民、公民或政府擁有之物品。

3. 拍賣

業務規則 拍賣會受賣方及買家業務規則及真實性保證所規限。該等業務規則及保證適用於蘇富比與實際或準競投者及準買家之間之各方面的關係。任何考慮於拍賣會競投之人士，務須詳閱該等業務規則及保證。該等業務規則及保證可經在拍賣會場張貼通告或由拍賣官作出公佈之方式進行修改。

有利害關係各方之公告 倘獲准競投拍賣品之人士直接或間接擁有該拍賣品之權益，如為出售拍賣品之遺產受益人或執行人、或為拍賣品之共同擁有人，或提供或參與拍賣品擔保人士，蘇富比將會在拍賣會場發表公告表示有利害關係各方可能競投拍賣品。在某些情況下，有利害關係的各方可能知悉底價。

接連投標及競投 拍賣官可代表賣家為任何拍賣品叫第一口價以開始競投。拍賣官更可代表賣家以接連投標或競投之方式，就拍賣品作出競投直至達到底價。請參閱載於本圖錄之買家業務規則第6條。

4. 拍賣後

付款 拍賣後須即時以下列方法以港元付款：現金、銀行匯票、旅行支票、支票、電匯、信用咭（American Express, MasterCard, Union Pay & Visa）。蘇富比之一般政策是不會以現金或現金等值形式接納逾80,000港元之一項或多項相關付款。

蘇富比之政策是要求選擇以現金付款之任何新客戶或買家提供身份證明（通過出示帶有照片並由政府發出之證明，如護照、身份證或駕駛執照）並確認固定地址。多謝合作。支票及匯票請以蘇富比為抬頭人。雖然以香港銀行港元開出之個人及公司支票均獲接受，惟敬請留意，除非閣下已預先安排支票交納設施，否則本公司須待支票兌現後方會將閣下所購得之物品交付。如欲作出是項安排，請向位於香港之財務部索取表格辦理。若以信用咭（American Express, MasterCard, Union Pay & Visa）結賬，請親身持咭到本公司付款。本公司及信用咭公司保留是否接納該等付款之權利。如該等付款不被接納或撤回，閣下仍須承擔付款責任。信用咭付款之上限為1,000,000港元。請注意除記錄上的買家之外，蘇富比有權拒絕接納任何其他人仕之付款，而此等付款須先經過帳。如閣下就有關付款過帳有任何問題，請聯絡本公司之會計部。

收取及儲存貨品 拍品必須於本季最後一日拍賣結束後一小時內於香港會議展覽中心領取，否則將轉運至蘇富比，而由拍賣後一個月起，閣下須支付儲存費，儲存費以下列計算：

儲存費：每件每月港幣1,200元。

如欲安排付運或收取貨品，請聯絡：

行政助理 / 運輸助理

列印於此圖錄之前部份

蘇富比收到全數結清之貨款，附有相片之身份證明文件，及蘇富比提供之領貨單，會將拍賣品交付予閣下或閣下所授權之代表。（辦公時間為星期一至五上午9時30分至下午6時）請預先致電以節省等候時間。請參閱載於本圖錄之買家業務規則第7條。

損失或損壞 買家應注意，蘇富比對拍賣品損失或損壞之責任期限最多為及至拍賣後三十（30）天。請參閱載於本圖錄之買家業務規則第7條。

付運 蘇富比裝運部可就拍賣品之出口及付運向買家提供意見。辦事處之辦公時間為上午九時三十分至下午六時，閣下可按載於圖錄前部分之電話號碼聯絡裝運顧問。已購物品將於會計部收到結清貨款後及取得閣下之書面付運指示及任何出口許可證或可能需要之證書後儘快付運。付運所需費用概由買家支付。蘇富比可從安排付運之代理人收取費用。如有要求，蘇富比可提供報價及所有運送方式之資料。如有垂詢，請聯絡蘇富比裝運部，並傳真至(852)25236489。閣下之承運人將對運送保險作出報價。所有付運貨品交貨之時應打開包裝檢查，如有任何不符之處，請立即通知運送保險商或承運人。

出口 任何拍賣品都可能需要一或多個許可證方可自香港出口或由其他國家進口。買家須負責取得任何有關之進出口許可證。即使未能取得任何許可證或延遲取得該許可證，均不能構成取消成交或任何延遲支付到應付總額之理由。蘇富比可應要求申領牌照，將閣下之拍賣品出口至香港境外，惟會就此收取行政費用。蘇富比建議閣下保留所有進

出口文件（包括許可證），在某些國家閣下可能須向政府當局出示此類文件。

濒危物種 由植物或動物材料（如紅木、珊瑚、鱷魚、象牙、鯨骨、玳瑁等）製成或含有植物或動物材料之物品，不論其年份或價值，均可能須申領許可證或證書方可出口至香港境外，且由香港境外國家進口時可能須申領其他許可證或證書。務請注意，可能取得出口許可證或證書並不能確保可在另一國家取得進口許可證或證書，反之亦然。例如，進口非洲象牙至美國即屬非法。蘇富比建議買家向相關政府查核有關野生動物進口之規定後再參與競投。買家須負責取得任何出口或進口許可證及/或證書，以及任何其他所需文件（請參閱載於本圖錄之買家業務規則第10條）。

5. 其他服務

財務服務 蘇富比向客戶提供多種財務服務，其中包括為委託提供預付款、及以不擬出售之藝術收藏作品作為抵押之貸款。本文並不構成建議或要約。本文所述之服務均須受制於該服務地區之法律及法規司法管轄。有關進一步資料，請致電香港的蘇富比財務服務部，電話號碼是+852 2822 8188，或倫敦的蘇富比財務服務部，電話號碼是+44 20 7293 5273。

拍賣前估價 蘇富比樂意為閣下之物品提供拍賣前初步估價，此項免費服務由香港蘇富比之專家提供，服務時間為周一至周五上午九時三十分至下午四時三十分。本公司建議閣下與有關之專家部門作預約。如有所要求，本公司更會到府上為閣下之物品提供拍賣前初步估價。

估值 估值部門就保險、遺囑認證及承繼權劃分、資產管理及稅務方案需要提供物品之書面清單及估值。估值費用相宜，可因應不同要求而作出，並能切合大部份需要。如欲索取更多資料，請與有關之專家部門聯絡，電話號碼為(852) 2524 8121，傳真號碼為：(852) 2810 6238。

TAX INFORMATION FOR BUYERS

Buyers from outside Hong Kong should note that local sales taxes or use taxes may become payable upon import of items following purchase (for example, the Use Tax payable on import of purchased items to certain states of the USA).

Sotheby's is currently registered to collect USA sales tax in the states of California and New York. If the property is delivered into any of the states in which Sotheby's is registered, Sotheby's is required by law to collect and remit the appropriate sales tax in effect in the state where the property is delivered.

Buyers should obtain their own tax advice from their tax advisors in this regard.

買家稅務信息

香港以外之買家應注意，當進口購買品時，或須繳付當地之銷售稅或使用稅（例如進口購買品至美國並付運到某些州份時，所需繳付之銷售稅或使用稅）。

蘇富比現時已在美國加利福尼亞州及紐約州登記為美國銷售稅納稅人。根據有關法律，蘇富比付運購買品至已登記為美國銷售稅納稅人之州份時，必須徵收並繳交相關之稅項。

買家應自行向稅務顧問就此方面尋求稅務意見。

CONDITIONS OF BUSINESS

The nature of the relationship between Sotheby's, Sellers and Bidders and the terms on which Sotheby's (as auctioneer) and Sellers contract with Bidders are set out below.

Bidders' attention is specifically drawn to Conditions 3 and 4 below, which require them to investigate lots prior to bidding and which contain specific limitations and exclusions of the legal liability of Sotheby's and Sellers. The limitations and exclusions relating to Sotheby's are consistent with its role as auctioneer of large quantities of goods of a wide variety and Bidders should pay particular attention to these Conditions.

1. INTRODUCTION

(a) Sotheby's and Sellers' contractual relationship with prospective Buyers is governed by:

- (i) these Conditions of Business;
 - (ii) the Conditions of Business for Sellers displayed in the saleroom and which are available upon request from Sotheby's Hong Kong salerooms or by telephoning (852) 2524 8121;
 - (iii) Sotheby's Authenticity Guarantee as printed in the sale catalogue;
 - (iv) any additional notices and terms printed in the sale catalogue including the Guide for Prospective Buyers; and
 - (v) in respect of online bidding via the internet, the BIDSM Conditions on the Sotheby's website,
- in each case as amended by any saleroom notice or auctioneer's announcement at the auction.

(b) As auctioneer, Sotheby's acts as agent for the Seller. A sale contract is made directly between the Seller and the Buyer. However, Sotheby's may own a lot (and in such circumstances acts in a principal capacity as Seller) and/or may have a legal, beneficial or financial interest in a lot as a secured creditor or otherwise.

2. COMMON TERMS

In these Conditions of Business:

Bidder is any person considering, making or attempting to make a bid, by whatever means, and includes Buyers;

Buyer is the person who makes the highest bid or offer accepted by the auctioneer, and includes such person's principal when bidding as agent;

Buyer's Expenses are any costs or expenses due to Sotheby's from the Buyer;

Buyer's Premium is the commission payable by the Buyer on the Hammer Price at the rates set out in the Guide for Prospective Buyers;

Counterfeit is as defined in Sotheby's Authenticity Guarantee;

Hammer Price is the highest bid accepted by the auctioneer by the fall of the hammer, (in the case of wine, as apportioned pro-rata by reference to the number of separately identified items in that lot), or in the case of a post-auction sale, the agreed sale price;

Purchase Price is the Hammer Price and applicable Buyer's Premium;

Reserve is the (confidential) minimum Hammer Price at which the Seller has agreed to sell a lot;

Seller is the person offering a lot for sale (including their agent (other than Sotheby's),

executors or personal representatives);

Sotheby's means Sotheby's Hong Kong Ltd., which has its registered office at Level 54, Hopewell Centre, 183 Queen's Road East, Hong Kong;

Sotheby's Company means Sotheby's in the USA and any of its subsidiaries (including Sotheby's) and Sotheby's Diamonds SA and its subsidiaries (in each case 'subsidiary' having the meaning of Section 2 of the Companies Ordinance Cap.32).

3. DUTIES OF BIDDERS AND OF SOTHEBY'S IN RESPECT OF ITEMS FOR SALE

(a) Sotheby's knowledge in relation to each lot is partially dependent on information provided to it by the Seller, and Sotheby's is not able to and does not carry out exhaustive due diligence on each lot. Bidders acknowledge this fact and accept responsibility for carrying out inspections and investigations to satisfy themselves as to the lots in which they may be interested.

(b) Each lot offered for sale at Sotheby's is available for inspection by Bidders prior to the sale. Sotheby's accepts bids on lots solely on the basis that Bidders (and independent experts on their behalf, to the extent appropriate given the nature and value of the lot and the Bidder's own expertise) have fully inspected the lot prior to bidding and have satisfied themselves as to both the condition of the lot and the accuracy of its description.

(c) Bidders acknowledge that many lots are of an age and type which means that they are not in perfect condition. All lots are offered for sale in the condition they are in at the time of the auction (whether or not Bidders are in attendance at the auction). Condition reports may be available to assist when inspecting lots. Catalogue descriptions and condition reports may on occasions make reference to particular imperfections of a lot, but Bidders should note that lots may have other faults not expressly referred to in the catalogue or condition report. Illustrations are for identification purposes only and will not convey full information as to the actual condition of lots.

(d) Information provided to Bidders in respect of any lot, including any estimate, whether written or oral and including information in any catalogue, condition or other report, commentary or valuation, is not a representation of fact but rather is a statement of opinion genuinely held by Sotheby's. Any estimate may not be relied on as a prediction of the selling price or value of the lot and may be revised from time to time in Sotheby's absolute discretion.

(e) No representations or warranties are made by Sotheby's or the Seller as to whether any lot is subject to copyright or whether the Buyer acquires copyright in any lot.

(f) Subject to the matters referred to at 3(a) to 3(e) above and to the specific exclusions contained at Condition 4 below, Sotheby's shall exercise such reasonable care when making express statements in catalogue descriptions or condition reports as is consistent with its role as auctioneer of lots in the sale to which these Conditions relate, and in the light of

- (i) the information provided to it by the Seller;
- (ii) scholarship and technical knowledge; and
- (iii) the generally accepted opinions of relevant experts, in each case at the time any such express statement is made.

4. EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY TO BUYERS

(a) Sotheby's shall refund the Purchase Price to the Buyer in circumstances where it deems that the lot is a Counterfeit and each of the conditions of the Authenticity Guarantee has been satisfied.

(b) In the light of the matters in Condition 3 above and subject to Conditions 4(a) and 4(e), neither any Sotheby's Company nor the Seller:

- (i) is liable for any errors or omissions in information provided to Bidders by Sotheby's (or any Sotheby's Company), whether orally or in writing, whether negligent or otherwise, except as set out in Condition 3(f) above;
- (ii) gives any guarantee or warranty to Bidders and any implied warranties and conditions are excluded (save in so far as such obligations cannot be excluded by law) other than the express warranties given by the Seller to the Buyer in Condition 2 of the Sellers' Conditions of Business;
- (iii) accepts responsibility to any Bidders in respect of acts or omissions (whether negligent or otherwise) by Sotheby's in connection with the conduct of auctions or for any matter relating to the sale of any lot.

(c) Unless Sotheby's owns a lot offered for sale, it is not responsible for any breach of these conditions by the Seller.

(d) Without prejudice to Condition 4(b), any claim against Sotheby's or the Seller by a Bidder is limited to the Purchase Price with regard to that lot. Neither Sotheby's nor the Seller shall under any circumstances be liable for any consequential losses.

(e) None of this Condition 4 shall exclude or limit Sotheby's liability in respect of any fraudulent misrepresentation made by Sotheby's or the Seller, or in respect of death or personal injury caused by the negligent acts or omissions of Sotheby's or the Seller.

5. BIDDING AT AUCTION

(a) Sotheby's has absolute discretion to refuse admission to the auction. Bidders must complete a Paddle Registration Form and supply such information and references as required by Sotheby's. Bidders act as principal unless they have Sotheby's prior written consent to bid as agent for another party. Bidders are personally liable for their bid and are jointly and severally liable with their principal if bidding as agent.

(b) Sotheby's advises Bidders to attend the auction but will seek to carry out absentee written bids which are in Hong Kong dollars and, in Sotheby's opinion, clear and received sufficiently in advance of the sale of the lot, endeavouring to ensure that the first received of identical written bids has priority.

(c) Where available, written, telephone and internet bids are offered as an additional service for no extra charge, at the Bidder's risk and shall be undertaken with reasonable care subject to Sotheby's other commitments at the time of the auction; Sotheby's therefore cannot accept liability for failure to place such bids save where such failure is unreasonable. Telephone and internet bids may be recorded. Internet bids ("BIDSM") are made subject to the BIDSM Conditions available on the Sotheby's website or upon request. The BIDSM Conditions apply in relation to online bids, in addition to these Conditions of Business.

6. CONDUCT OF THE AUCTION

(a) Unless otherwise specified, all lots are offered subject to a Reserve, which shall be no higher than the low presale estimate at the time of the auction.

(b) The auctioneer has absolute discretion at any time to refuse or accept any bid, withdraw any lot, re-offer a lot for sale (including after the fall of the hammer), and take such other action as he reasonably thinks fit.

(c) The auctioneer will commence and advance the bidding at levels and in increments he considers appropriate and is entitled to place a bid or series of bids on behalf of the Seller up to the Reserve on the lot, without indicating he is doing so and whether or not other bids are placed.

(d) Subject to Condition 6(b), the contract between the Buyer and the Seller is concluded on the striking of the auctioneer's hammer, whereupon the Buyer becomes liable to pay the Purchase Price.

(e) Any post-auction sale of lots offered at auction shall incorporate these Conditions as if sold in the auction.

7. PAYMENT AND COLLECTION

(a) Unless otherwise agreed, payment of the Purchase Price for a lot and any Buyer's Expenses are due in Hong Kong dollars immediately on conclusion of the auction (the "Due Date") notwithstanding any requirements for export, import or other permits for such lot.

(b) Title in a purchased lot will not pass until Sotheby's has received the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses for that lot in cleared funds. Sotheby's is not obliged to release a lot to the Buyer until title in the lot has passed and appropriate identification has been provided, and any earlier release does not affect the passing of title or the Buyer's unconditional obligation to pay the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses.

(c) The Buyer is obliged to arrange collection of purchased lots no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the date of the auction. Purchased lots are at the Buyer's risk (and therefore their sole responsibility for insurance) from the earliest of

(i) collection or
(ii) the thirty-first calendar day after the auction. Until risk passes, Sotheby's will compensate the Buyer for any loss or damage to the lot up to a maximum of the Purchase Price paid. Buyers should note that Sotheby's assumption of liability for loss or damage is subject to the exclusions set out in Condition 6 of the Conditions of Business for Sellers.

8. REMEDIES FOR NON-PAYMENT

Without prejudice to any rights the Seller may have, if the Buyer without prior agreement fails to make payment in full for the lot within five days of the auction, or in accordance with any payment schedule agreed with Sotheby's, Sotheby's may in its sole discretion (having informed the Seller) exercise one or more of the following remedies:

(a) store the lot at its premises or elsewhere at the Buyer's sole risk and expense;

(b) terminate the contract of the sale of the lot, retaining the right to damages for the Buyer's breach of contract;

(c) set off any amounts owed to the Buyer by a Sotheby's Company against any amounts

owed to Sotheby's by the Buyer in respect of the lot and/or any shortfall in the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses in the event of a resale under Condition 8(h) below (on a pro-rata basis where more than one lot is purchased by the Buyer at the auction and is then resold), and/or any claim by Sotheby's against the Buyer for damages for the Buyer's breach of contract (including but not limited to the Buyer's Premium in the event of a termination of the sale contract);

(d) apply as Sotheby's sees fit any payments, including deposits, made by or on behalf of the Buyer in respect of this transaction or otherwise, towards (i) any costs, Buyer's Expenses or debts owed by the Buyer to any Sotheby's Company, and/or (ii) any shortfall in the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses in the event of a resale under Condition 8(h) below (on a pro-rata basis where more than one lot is purchased by the Buyer at the auction and is then resold), and/or (iii) any claim by Sotheby's against the Buyer for damages for the Buyer's breach of contract (including but not limited to the Buyer's Premium in the event of a termination of the sale contract). For the avoidance of doubt, if more than one lot is purchased by the Buyer at the auction and the Buyer makes a partial payment but fails to pay in full the Purchase Price of all lots purchased by him within five days of the auction or in accordance with any payment schedule agreed with Sotheby's, Sotheby's is entitled, at its absolute discretion, to reject any instruction or request that the whole or a part of such partial payment be applied towards the Purchase Price of, and/or the shortfall and/or Sotheby's claim for damages in respect of, any particular lot(s) purchased by the Buyer;

(e) reject future bids from the Buyer or render such bids subject to payment of a deposit; such deposit to be applied at Sotheby's discretion in the event of subsequent non-payment or late payment;

(f) charge interest at a rate not exceeding 2% per month from the Due Date to the date the Purchase Price and relevant Buyer's Expenses are received in cleared funds;

(g) exercise a lien over any of the Buyer's property which is in the possession of a Sotheby's Company. Sotheby's shall inform the Buyer of the exercise of any such lien and within 14 days of such notice may arrange the sale of such property and apply the proceeds to the amount owed to Sotheby's, and/or any shortfall in the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses in the event of a resale under Condition 8(h) below (on a pro-rata basis where more than one lot is purchased by the Buyer at the auction and is then resold), and/or any claim by Sotheby's against the Buyer for damages for the Buyer's breach of contract (including but not limited to the Buyer's Premium in the event of a termination of the sale contract);

(h) resell the lot by auction or private sale, with estimates and reserves at Sotheby's discretion. In the event such resale is for less than the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses for that lot, the Buyer will remain liable for the shortfall together with all costs incurred in such resale.

(i) commence legal proceedings to recover the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses for that lot, or to claim damages for the Buyer's breach of contract, together with interest and the costs of such proceedings on a full indemnity basis; or

(j) release the name and address of the Buyer to the Seller to enable the Seller to commence legal proceedings to recover the amounts due or claim damages for the Buyer's breach of contract and legal costs. Sotheby's will take reasonable steps to notify the Buyer prior to releasing such details to the Seller.

9. FAILURE TO COLLECT PURCHASES

(a) If the Buyer pays the Purchase Price and Buyer's Expenses but fails to collect a purchased lot within thirty calendar days of the auction, the lot will be stored at the Buyer's expense (and risk) at Sotheby's or with a third party.

(b) If a purchased lot is paid for but not collected within six months of the auction, the Buyer authorises Sotheby's, having given notice to the Buyer, to arrange a resale of the item by auction or private sale, with estimates and reserves at Sotheby's discretion. The proceeds of such sale, less all costs incurred by Sotheby's, will be forfeited unless collected by the Buyer within two years of the original auction.

10. EXPORT AND PERMITS

It is the Buyer's sole responsibility to identify and obtain any necessary export, import, firearm, endangered species or other permit for the lot and to complete any required export or import manifest, list or documentation. Any symbols or notices in the sale catalogue reflect Sotheby's reasonable opinion at the time of cataloguing and offer Bidders general guidance only. Without prejudice to Conditions 3 and 4 above, Sotheby's and the Seller make no representations or warranties as to whether any lot is or is not subject to export or import restrictions or any embargoes. The denial of any permit or licence shall not justify cancellation or rescission of the sale contract or any delay in payment. We shall not be responsible for any liability arising from any failure to complete or submit the required export or import manifest, list or documentation.

11. GENERAL

(a) All images and other materials produced for the auction are the copyright of Sotheby's, for use at Sotheby's discretion.

(b) Notices to Sotheby's should be in writing and addressed to the department in charge of the sale, quoting the reference number specified at the beginning of the sale catalogue. Notices to Sotheby's clients shall be addressed to the last address formally notified by them to Sotheby's.

(c) Should any provision of these Conditions of Business be held unenforceable for any reason, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

(d) These Conditions of Business are not assignable by any Buyer without Sotheby's prior written consent, but are binding on Buyers' successors, assigns and representatives. No act, omission or delay by Sotheby's shall be deemed a waiver or release of any of its rights.

(e) The materials listed in Condition 1(a) above set out the entire agreement and understanding between the parties with respect to the subject matter hereof. It is agreed that, save in respect of liability for fraudulent misrepresentation, no party has entered into any contract pursuant to these terms in reliance on any representation, warranty or undertaking which is not expressly referred to in such materials.

12. DATA PROTECTION

In connection with the management and operation of our business and the marketing and supply of Sotheby's Companies' services, or as required by law, we may ask clients to provide personal information about themselves or obtain information about clients from third parties (e.g. credit information). If clients provide Sotheby's with information that is defined by law as "sensitive", they agree that Sotheby's Companies may use it for the above purposes. Sotheby's Companies will not use or process sensitive information for any other purpose without the client's express consent.

If you would like further information on Sotheby's policies on personal data, or to make corrections to your information, please contact us on (852) 2524 8121.

If you would prefer not to receive details of future events please tick here.

In order to fulfil the services clients have requested, Sotheby's may disclose information to third parties (e.g. shippers). Some countries do not offer equivalent legal protection of personal information to that offered within Hong Kong. It is Sotheby's policy to require that any such third parties respect the privacy and confidentiality of our clients' information and provide the same level of protection for clients' information as provided within Hong Kong, whether or not they are located in a country that offers equivalent legal protection of personal information. By agreeing to these Conditions of Business, clients agree to such disclosure.

Clients will please note that for security purposes, Sotheby's premises are subject to video recording. Telephone calls e.g. telephone and internet bidding/voicemail messages may also be recorded.

13. LAW AND JURISDICTION

Governing Law These Conditions of Business and all aspects of all matters, transactions or disputes to which they relate or apply shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with Hong Kong law.

Jurisdiction For the benefit of Sotheby's, all Bidders and Sellers agree that the Hong Kong Courts are to have exclusive jurisdiction to settle all disputes arising in connection with all aspects of all matters or transactions to which these Conditions of Business relate or apply. All parties agree that Sotheby's shall retain the right to bring proceedings in any court other than the Hong Kong Courts.

Service of Process All Bidders and Sellers irrevocably consent to service of process or any other documents in connection

with proceedings in any court by facsimile transmission, personal service, delivery by mail or in any other manner permitted by Hong Kong law, the law of the place of service or the law of the jurisdiction where proceedings are instituted, at the last address of the Buyer or Seller known to Sotheby's or any other usual address.

General Authenticity Guarantee:

If Sotheby's sells an item which subsequently is shown to be a "counterfeit", subject to the terms below Sotheby's will set aside the sale and refund to the Buyer the total amount paid by the Buyer to Sotheby's for the item, in the currency of the original sale.

For these purposes, "counterfeit" means a lot that in Sotheby's reasonable opinion is an imitation created to deceive as to authorship, origin, date, age, period, culture or source, where the correct description of such matters is not reflected by the description in the catalogue (taking into account any Glossary of Terms). No lot shall be considered a counterfeit by reason only of any damage and/or restoration and/or modification work of any kind (including repainting or over-painting).

Please note that this Guarantee does not apply if either:-

(i) the catalogue description was in accordance with the generally accepted opinions of scholar(s) and expert(s) at the date of the sale, or the catalogue description indicated that there was a conflict of such opinions; or

(ii) the only method of establishing at the date of the sale that the item was a counterfeit would have been by means of processes not then generally available or accepted, unreasonably expensive or impractical to use; or likely to have caused damage to the lot or likely (in Sotheby's reasonable opinion) to have caused loss of value to the lot; or

(iii) there has been no material loss in value of the lot from its value had it been in accordance with its description.

This Guarantee is provided for a period of five (5) years after the date of the relevant auction, is solely for the benefit of the Buyer and may not be transferred to any third party. To be able to claim under this Guarantee, the Buyer must:-

(i) notify Sotheby's in writing within three (3) months of receiving any information that causes the Buyer to question the authenticity or attribution of the item, specifying the lot number, date of the auction at which it was purchased and the reasons why it is thought to be counterfeit; and

(ii) return the item to Sotheby's in the same condition as at the date of sale to the Buyer and be able to transfer good title in the item, free from any third party claims arising after the date of the sale.

Sotheby's has discretion to waive any of the above requirements. Sotheby's may require the Buyer to obtain at the Buyer's cost the reports of two independent and recognised experts in the field, mutually acceptable to Sotheby's and the Buyer. Sotheby's shall not be bound by any reports produced by the Buyer, and reserves the right to seek additional expert advice at its own expense. In the event Sotheby's decides to rescind the sale under this Guarantee, it may refund

to the Buyer the reasonable costs of up to two mutually approved independent expert reports.

蘇富比之香港業務規則

賣家之業務規則

蘇富比、賣家及競投人之關係性質及蘇富比(作為拍賣官)及賣家與競投人所訂立合約之條款於下文載列。

競投人務請細閱下文規則第3及4條,該兩條要求競投人在投標前檢查拍賣品,並闡述了蘇富比及賣家之法律責任之具體限制及豁免。有關蘇富比所持有之限制及豁免符合其作為大量不同種類貨品拍賣官之身份,競投人應特別注意該等規則。

1. 序言

(a) 蘇富比及賣家與準買家之合約關係受下列各項規管:

- (i) 本業務規則;
- (ii) 賣家在銷售處展示之業務規則(可於蘇富比之香港銷售處或致電(852) 2524 8121 索取);
- (iii) 銷售目錄所載之蘇富比保證書;及
- (iv) 銷售目錄所載之任何附加通知及條款,包括「給準買家指引」;
- (v) 就透過互聯網進行網上競投而言,蘇富比網頁之BIDSM網上競投服務規則。在各情況下按任何銷售通知或拍賣官於拍賣時所公佈所修訂。

(b) 蘇富比作為拍賣官,以賣家之代理身份行事。賣家及買家直接訂立銷售合約。然而,蘇富比可能擁有拍賣品(及在該情況下以委託人之身份作為賣家行事)及/或可能以抵押債權人或其他身份擁有拍賣品之法律、實益或財務利益。

2. 一般條款

於本業務規則:

「競投人」指以任何方式考慮、作出或嘗試競投之任何人士,包括買家在內;

「買家」指拍賣官所接納最高競投價或要約之人士,包括以代理人身份競投之人士之委託人;

「買家之費用」指買家應向蘇富比支付之任何成本或費用;

「買家支付之酬金」指根據準買家指引所載費率買家按成交價應付之佣金;

「贖品」指蘇富比保證書所定之涵義;

「成交價」指拍賣官以擊槌接納之最高競投價。(倘為葡萄酒,則參考該批拍賣品內可個別識別之物品數目按合適比例),或倘為拍賣後銷售,則為協定出售價;

「買入價」指成交價及合適之買家支付之酬金;

「底價」指賣家同意出售拍賣品之最低成交價(保密);

「賣家」指提供拍賣品出售之人士(包括其代理(不計蘇富比在內)、遺囑執行人或遺產代理人);

「蘇富比」指 Sotheby's Hong Kong Ltd., 其註冊辦事處位於香港皇后大道東 183 號合和中心 54 樓;

「蘇富比公司」指於美國的蘇富比;其任何附屬公司(包括蘇富比); Sotheby's Diamonds SA 及其任何附屬公司(定義見公司條例第 32 章第 2 節)。

3. 競投人及蘇富比有關出售物品之責任

(a) 蘇富比對各拍賣品之認識部份依賴賣家向其提供之資料,蘇富比無法及不會就各拍賣品進行全面盡職審查。競投人知悉此事,並承擔檢查及檢驗之責任,以使彼等滿意彼等可能感興趣之拍賣品。

(b) 蘇富比提呈出售之各拍賣品於出售前可供競投人檢查。在競投人(鑑於有關拍賣品之性質及價值及競投人之專業知識而言屬合適者,以及代表彼等之獨立專家)已當作在投標前全面檢驗拍賣品,並滿意拍賣品之狀況及其描述之準確性,蘇富比方會接受競投人對拍賣品之投標。

(c) 競投人確認眾多拍賣品年代久遠及種類特殊,意味拍賣品並非完好無缺。所有拍賣品均以拍賣時之狀態出售(無論競投人是否出席拍賣)。狀況報告或可於檢查拍賣品時提供。目錄描述及狀況報告在若干情況下可用作拍賣品某些瑕疵之參考,然而,競投人應注意,拍賣品可能存在其他在目錄或狀況報告內並無明確指出之瑕疵。解說只供鑑定用途,將不會當作拍賣品真實狀況之全部資料。

(d) 提供予競投人有關任何拍賣品之資料包括任何預測資料(無論為書面或口述)及包括任何目錄所載之資料、規則或其他報告、評論或估值,該等資料並非事實之陳述,而是蘇富比所持有之確實意見之聲明,故不應依賴任何預測作為拍賣品售價或價值之預測,且該等資料可由蘇富比不時全權酌情決定修改。

(e) 蘇富比或賣家概無就任何拍賣品是否受任何版權限制或買家是否已購買任何拍賣品之版權發出任何聲明或保證。

(f) 受上文規則第3(a)至3(e)條所載事項及下文規則第4條所載特定豁免所規限,蘇富比在目錄描述或狀況報告作出之明示聲明,應以該等規則有關之出售中所有拍賣品之拍賣官身份相符之合理審慎態度作出;以及基於(i)賣家向其提供之資料;(ii)學術及技術知識;及(iii)相關專家普遍接納之意見作出之明示聲明,在各情況下應以合理審慎態度作出明示。

4. 對買家之責任豁免及限制

(a) 倘蘇富比視拍賣品為贗品並符合保證書內之各條件,將退回買入價予買家。

(b) 就上文規則第3條之事項而言及受規則第4(a)及4(e)條所規限,蘇富比或賣家均毋須:

(i) 對蘇富比(或任何蘇富比公司)向競投人以口述或書面提供之資料之任何錯誤或遺漏負責,無論是由於疏忽或因其他原因引致,惟上文規則第3(f)條所載者則除外;

(ii) 向競投人作出任何擔保或保證,於賣家之業務規則第2條中賣家向買家作出之明示保證以外之任何暗示保證及規則則不包括在內(惟法律規定不可免除之該等責任除外);

(iii) 就蘇富比有關拍賣或有關出售任何拍賣品之任何事宜之行動或遺漏(無論是由於疏忽或其他原因引致)向任何競投人負責。

(c) 除非蘇富比擁有出售之拍賣品,否則毋須就賣家違反該等規則而負責。

(d) 在不影響規則第4(b)條之情況下,競投人向蘇富比或賣家提出之任何索賠以該拍賣品之買入價為限。蘇富比或賣家在任何情況下均毋須承擔任何相因而產生的損失。

(e) 規則第4條概無免除或限制蘇富比有關蘇富比或賣家作出之任何具欺詐成份之失實聲明,或有關蘇富比或賣家之疏忽行為或遺漏而導致之人身傷亡之責任。

5. 拍賣會上競投出價

(a) 蘇富比可全權酌情決定拒絕參與拍賣。競投人必須填妥競投登記表格,並提供蘇富比所需資料及參考。除獲蘇富比書面同意以另一方之代表身份出售,否則競投人必須以主事人身份行動。競投人親自負責出價,倘

為代理,則視作共同及分別為其主事人負責。

(b) 蘇富比建議競投人出席拍賣會,但將尋求進行缺席者以港元作出之書面出價競投,而蘇富比認為,有關款項在出售拍賣品前已預先付清,以確保首先接收之書面競投享有優先權。

(c) 如有提供,可免費提供書面、電話及網上競投之附加服務,惟風險由競投人承擔,而該等服務會在蘇富比於拍賣時其他承諾之規限下,以合理審慎態度提供;因此,除非不合理地未能作出該競投,否則蘇富比毋須就未能作出該競投承擔責任。電話及網上競投可能會被記錄。網上競投(BIDSM)受BIDSM網上競投服務規則(可瀏覽蘇富比網頁或要求索取)所規限。BIDSM網上競投服務規則連同業務規則適用於網上競投。

6. 拍賣之行動

(a) 除另有訂明外,否則所有拍賣品均以底價出售,該價格不得高於拍賣時估計之預售低價。

(b) 拍賣官可隨時絕對酌情決定拒絕或接受任何競投、撤回任何拍賣品、重新出售拍賣品(包括在擊槌後),以及採取其合理地認為是合適之其他行動。

(c) 拍賣官會在彼認為合適之水平及增幅下開始及進行競投,並有權代表賣家作出競投或一連串競投,惟以底價為限,而毋須表示彼正進行該等行動及是否已作出其他競投。

(d) 受規則第6(b)條所限,買家及賣家之合約於拍賣官擊槌時訂立,據此買家須支付買入價。

(e) 於拍賣會後出售任何在拍賣會上發售之拍賣品時應包括該等規則,猶如已在拍賣會出售一樣。

7. 付款及領取

(a) 除非另有協定,否則不論拍賣品之出口、進口或其他許可證之任何規定為何,均必須於拍賣會結束(「到期日」)後立即以港元支付拍賣品之買入價及任何買家之費用。

(b) 所購拍賣品之擁有權將於蘇富比悉數收取買入價及買家之費用後方可轉移。蘇富比概無責任將拍賣品交給買家直至拍賣品之擁有權已轉移,且已獲提供適當確認而提早交付不會影響擁有權之轉移或買家支付買入價及買家之費用之無條件責任。

(c) 買家有責任安排在拍賣會後不少於三十天內領取已購買之拍賣品。已買之拍賣品由(i)領取;或(ii)拍賣會後第三十天(以較早日期為準)起之風險由買家承擔(因此,由彼等自行負責投保)。直到風險轉移,蘇富比將就拍賣品之任何損失或損毀向買家支付賠償,惟以所付之買入價為最高限額。買家應注意,蘇富比對損失或損毀責任之承擔須受賣家之業務規則第6條所載之豁免情況所限。

8. 欠繳款之補償方法

在不影響買家可能擁有之任何權利之情況下,倘買家在未預先協定之情況下未能在拍賣會後五天內或未能按照與蘇富比協定之任何付款安排就拍賣品支付全數款項,蘇富比可全權決定(在已知會賣家之情況下)行使以下一項或多項補救方法:

(a) 將拍賣品貯存在其處所或其他地方,風險及費用完全由買家承擔;

(b) 終止拍賣品之買賣合約,並就買家違約保留追究損害賠償之權利;

(c) 以蘇富比公司結欠買家之任何金額抵銷買家就拍賣品結欠蘇富比之任何金額，及/或抵銷拍賣品根據以下規則第8(h)條重售時買入價及買家之費用之任何差額（倘多於一項拍賣品由買家於拍賣會中買入並其後被重售，則按比例計算），及/或抵銷蘇富比就買家違約對買家提出之任何損害賠償申索（包括但不限於在終止買賣合約之情況下買家支付之酬金）；

(d) 按蘇富比認為合適將買家或買家透過代表就本交易或在其他情況下支付之任何款項（包括訂金）用以支付(i)買家結欠之任何蘇富比公司之任何成本、買家之費用或債務，及/或(ii)拍賣品根據以下規則第8(h)條重售時買入價及買家之費用之任何差額（倘多於一項拍賣品由買家於拍賣會中買入並其後被重售，則按比例計算），及/或(iii)蘇富比就買家違約對買家提出之任何損害賠償申索（包括但不限於在終止買賣合約之情況下買家支付之酬金）。為避免疑問，倘買家於拍賣會中買入多於一項拍賣品並已支付部分款項，惟未能在拍賣會後五天內或未能按照與蘇富比協定之任何付款安排就其買入之所有拍賣品悉數支付買入價，蘇富比有權絕對酌情決定拒絕有關將上述部分付款之全部或部分用以支付買家買入任何特定拍賣品之買入價，及/或差價及/或蘇富比所提出之損害賠償申索之任何指示或請求；

(e) 拒絕買家未來作出之競投或使其就未來之競投項支付訂金，該訂金在買家隨後拒絕付款或延期付款時，蘇富比有權自行處理；

(f) 收取由到期日至悉數收取買入價及有關買家之費用當日期間按不超過每月2%之利率計算之利息；

(g) 對買家由蘇富比公司管有之任何物品行使留置權。蘇富比於行使任何此等留置權時應知會買家，並在發出該通知之十四天內可安排出售該物品，以及將所得款項用以支付結欠蘇富比之金額，及或拍賣品根據以下規則第8(h)條重售時買入價及買家之費用之任何差額（倘多於一項拍賣品由買家於拍賣會中買入並其後被重售，則按比例計算），及/或蘇富比就買家違約對買家提出之任何損害賠償申索（包括但不限於在終止買賣合約之情況下買家支付之酬金）；

(h) 透過拍賣或私人出售重售拍賣品，並由蘇富比酌情決定預測價格及底價。倘該重售之價格低於該拍賣品之買入價及買家之費用，買家將仍須承擔該差額，連同該重售產生之所有費用；

(i) 展開法律訴訟，以收回該拍賣品之買入價及買家之費用，或就買家違約申索損害賠償，連同利息及完全彌償基準上該訴訟之費用；或

(j) 向買家透露買家之名稱及地址，使買家可展開法律訴訟，以收回欠款，或就買家違約申索損害賠償，及申索法律費用。蘇富比在向買家透露該等資料前，將採取合理步驟通知買家。

9. 未領取購置品

(a) 倘買家支付買入價及買家之費用，但未於拍賣會後三十天內領取已購買之拍賣品，拍賣品將收歸於蘇富比或其他第三方，費用（及風險）由買家承擔。

(b) 倘已支付所購拍賣品之費用，但未於拍賣會後六個月內領取該拍賣品，則買家授權蘇富比（在通知買家後）安排以拍賣或私人出售重售該物品，而預測價格及底價將由蘇富比酌情決定。除非買家在該拍賣會後兩年內收取該出售之所得款項扣除蘇富比產生之所有費用，否則該筆款項將被沒收。

10. 出口及許可證

買家須自行負責識別及領取拍賣品之任何必要之進出口、軍火槍械、瀕臨絕種生物或其他方面之許可證，以及完成任何必要進出口提單、清單或文件。銷售目錄中任何符號或提示反映蘇富比於編制目錄時所持之合理意見，並僅為競投人提供一般指引而已。在不影響上文規則第3及4條之情況下，蘇富比及賣家概無就任何拍賣品是否受進出口限制或任何禁運作出聲明或保證。不獲發任何許可證或執照並非取消或撤銷銷售合約或任何延遲付款之充分理由。吾等概不會就任何無法完成或遞交所需進出口提單、清單或文件而產生之任何責任負責。

11. 一般資料

(a) 拍賣會之全部影像及其他物料均屬蘇富比版權所有，僅由蘇富比酌情使用。

(b) 給予蘇富比之通知應以書面發出，註明出售之負責部門及銷售目錄開端指定之參考號碼。給予蘇富比客戶之通知應以彼等正式通知蘇富比之最新地址為收件地址。

(c) 倘因任何理由無法執行該等業務規則之任何條文，則餘下條文應仍然具有十足效力及作用。

(d) 未經蘇富比之事先書面同意前，任何買家不得轉讓該等業務規則，但對買家之繼承人、承人及遺產執行人具有約束力。蘇富比之行動、遺漏或延遲不應視為豁免或解除其任何權利。

(e) 上文規則第1(a)條所載之資料列明了有關本文主題之整份協議及各方之間就此方面之諒解。各方已協定，除有關具欺詐成分之失實聲明之責任以外，概無訂約方根據該等條款依賴並無明確指明該等資料之任何聲明、保證或承諾而訂立任何合約。

12. 資料保護

因應蘇富比業務管理運作，以及蘇富比公司服務的市場和供應，或根據法律規定，我們可能要求客戶提供私人資料或自第三方取得客戶資料（如信用信息）。如果客戶將法律認定為「敏感」的信息提供予蘇富比，等於同意蘇富比公司可以使用此信息作上述用途。沒有客戶明確同意時，蘇富比公司將不會以任何其他目的使用或處理敏感信息。

如果您欲了解更多蘇富比關於個人資料的政策，或修改您的個人資料，請致電(852) 2524 8121 聯絡我們。

如果您未來不希望收到此類活動詳情，請勾選此處。

為滿足客戶服務需要，蘇富比可能將資料透露給第三方（如承運人）。一些國家對於個人資料的法律保護與香港不同。蘇富比的政策要求此類第三方尊重客戶資料私隱及機密，並對客戶資料提供與香港法律同等的保護措施，不論承運人是否位於與香港提供同等法律保護之個人資料的國家。客戶同意此業務規則，即同意此信息披露。

客戶敬請注意，為安全起見，蘇富比營業場所備有錄影設施。電話如電話及網絡競投、語音信息等也可能被錄音。

13. 法例及司法權

監管法例 該等業務規則及其有關或適用之所有事宜、交易或紛爭之各方面須受香港法例規管並按其詮釋。

司法權 就蘇富比之利益而言，所有競投人及賣家同意香港法院擁有專有司法權，調解所有因與該等業務規則有關或適用之所有事宜或交易之各方面而產生之紛爭。各方均同意蘇富比將保留權利在香港法院以外之任何法院提出訴訟。

送達法律程序文件 所有競投人及賣家不可撤回地同意透過傳真、面送方式、郵寄或香港法例、送達地點之法例或提出訴訟之司法權區之法例允許之其他方式，將有關任何法院訴訟之法律程序文件或任何其他文件送發至買家或賣家知會蘇富比之最新地址或任何其他常用地址。

保證書

本公司對閣下提供之一般保證：

倘蘇富比所出售之物品其後被發現為「贗品」，根據下文之條款，蘇富比將取消該銷售，並將買家就該物品支付予蘇富比之總金額，以原銷售之貨幣退還予買家。

就此而言，根據蘇富比合理之意見，「贗品」指仿製之拍賣品，欺騙作品出處、原產地、日期、產出年數、年期、文化或來源等各方面，而上述各項之正確描述並無收錄於目錄內容（考慮任何專有詞彙）。拍賣品之任何損毀及/或任何類型之復元品及/或修改品（包括重新塗漆或在其上塗漆），不應視為贗品。

謹請注意，倘發生以下任何一種情況，本保證將不適用：—

- 目錄內容乃根據專家及專家於銷售日期獲普遍接納之意見，或該目錄內容顯示該等意見存在衝突；或
- 於銷售日期，證明該物品乃贗品之唯一方法，是有關工序並非當時普遍可用或認可、價格極高或用途不切實際；或可能已對拍賣品造成損壞或可能（根據蘇富比合理之意見）已令拍賣品喪失價值之方法；或
- 倘根據拍賣品之描述，該拍賣品並無重大喪失任何價值。

本保證所規定之年期為有關拍賣日期後五(5)年，純粹提供給買家之獨家利益，且不可轉移至任何第三方。為能依據本保證申索，買家必須：—

- 在收到任何導致買家質疑物品之真偽或屬性之資料後三(3)個月內以書面通知蘇富比，註明拍賣品編號、購買該拍賣品之拍賣日期及被認為是贗品之理由；及
- 將狀況與銷售予買家當日相同，並能轉移其妥善所有權且自銷售日期後並無出現任何第三方申索之物品退還予蘇富比。

蘇富比可酌情決定豁免上述任何規定。蘇富比可要求買家索取兩名為蘇富比及買家雙方接納之獨立及行內認可專家之報告，費用由買家承擔。蘇富比毋須受買家出示之任何報告所規限，並保留權利尋求額外之專家意見，費用由蘇富比自行承擔。倘蘇富比決定根據本保證取消銷售，蘇富比或會將最多為兩份經雙方審批之獨立專家報告所需之合理費用退還予買家。

GUIDE FOR ABSENTEE BIDDERS

ABSENTEE BIDS

If you are unable to attend an auction in person, and wish to place bids, you may give Sotheby's Bid Department instructions to bid on your behalf. We will then try to purchase the lot or lots of your choice for the lowest price possible, and never for more than the top amount you indicate. This service is free and confidential. Please note: Sotheby's offers this service as a convenience to clients who are unable to attend the sale, and although we will make every effort, Sotheby's will not be responsible for error or failure to execute bids. Absentee bids, when placed by telephone, are accepted only at the caller's risk and must be confirmed by letter, or fax. Fax number for bids only: (852) 2522 1063.

USING THE ABSENTEE BIDS

Please use the absentee bid form provided and be sure to record accurately the lot numbers and descriptions and the top hammer price you are willing to pay for each lot. "Buy" or unlimited bids will not be accepted. Alternative bids can be placed by using the word "OR" between lot numbers. Bids must be placed in the same order as the lot numbers appear in the catalogue.

Each absentee bid form should contain bids for one sale only; the sale number and code name should appear at the top of the form. Please place your bids as early as possible. In the event of identical bids, the earliest received will take precedence. Where appropriate your bids will be rounded down to the nearest amount consistent with the Auctioneer's bidding increments.

SUCCESSFUL BIDS

Successful bidders will receive an invoice detailing their purchases and giving instructions for payment and clearance of goods. Unsuccessful absentee bidders will be advised.

DATA PROTECTION

In connection with the management and operation of our business and the marketing and supply of Sotheby's Companies' services, or as required by law, we may ask clients to provide personal information about themselves or obtain information about clients from third parties (e.g. credit information). Sotheby's Companies will not use or process sensitive information for any other purpose without the client's express consent. In order to fulfil the services clients have requested, Sotheby's may disclose information to third parties (e.g. shippers). Some countries do not offer equivalent legal protection of personal information to that offered within Hong Kong. It is Sotheby's policy to require that any such third parties respect the privacy and confidentiality of our clients' information and provide the same level of protection for clients' information as provided within Hong Kong, whether or not they are located in a country that offers equivalent legal protection of personal information. By signing this Absentee Bid Form you agree to such disclosure.

給缺席競投人指引

缺席競投

閣下如未能親身出席拍賣會但欲作出競投，可向蘇富比之競投部發出指示，由其代表閣下競投。本公司將設法以最低價格購買閣下所選拍賣品，永不超出閣下所指示之最高價格。此為保密之免費服務。請注意，蘇富比為方便未能出席拍賣會之客戶而提供此服

務，雖然蘇富比將盡其所能，但不會為執行競投指示之錯誤或未能執行競投指示負責。電話競投之風險須由致電方承擔，並須以函件或傳真確認。競投傳真專線號碼為 (852) 2522 1063。

使用缺席競投

請使用所提供之缺席競投表，並確保準確填寫拍賣品編號及描述，以及閣下願意就每件拍賣品支付之最高成交價。「購買」或無限價競投將不獲接納。可於拍賣品編號之間以「或」字作兩者中擇一競投。競投須根據圖錄內所示拍賣品編號之相同次序作出。

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Sale Details

Sale # Lot # Account #

Please complete this section and delete where applicable

Delivery Address

Telephone

Email

Invoice Address *if different from above*

Telephone

Fax

Special instructions:

Signed

Date

ABSENTEE/TELEPHONE BIDDING FORM

FORMS SHOULD BE COMPLETED IN INK AND EMAILED, MAILED OR FAXED TO THE BIDS DEPARTMENT AT THE DETAILS BELOW

Sale Number HK0751 | **Sale Title** THE EDWARD T. CHOW 'BAJIXIANG' BOWL | **Sale Date** 3 OCTOBER 2017

*TITLE OR COMPANY NAME IF APPLICABLE	*FIRST NAME	*LAST NAME
SOTHEBY'S CLIENT ACCOUNT NO. (IF KNOWN)		
*ADDRESS		
POSTCODE		
*TELEPHONE (HOME)	(BUSINESS)	MOBILE NO
*EMAIL		FAX

PLEASE INDICATE HOW YOU WOULD LIKE TO RECEIVE YOUR SALE CORRESPONDENCE (PLEASE TICK ONE ONLY): EMAIL POST/MAIL

PLEASE TICK IF THIS IS A NEW ADDRESS & GIVE PREVIOUS FULL POSTCODE: _____

PLEASE WRITE CLEARLY AND PLACE YOUR BIDS AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, AS IN THE EVENT OF IDENTICAL BIDS, THE EARLIEST BID RECEIVED WILL TAKE PRECEDENCE. BIDS SHOULD BE SUBMITTED IN HONG KONG DOLLAR AT LEAST 24 HOURS BEFORE THE AUCTION.

IMPORTANT

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Please note that we may contact new clients to request a bank reference.

Sotheby's will require sight of government issued ID and proof of address prior to collection of purchases (do not send originals).

The contract between the buyer and the seller is concluded on the striking of the auctioneer's hammer, and payment of the purchase price for any lot and any buyer's expenses is due immediately in Hong Kong Dollars on the conclusion of the auction.

FOR WRITTEN/FIXED BIDS

- Bids will be executed for the lowest price as is permitted by other bids or reserves.
- "Buy" or unlimited bids will not be accepted and we do not accept "plus one" bids. Please place bids in the same order as in the catalogue.
- Alternative bids can be placed by using the word "or" between lot numbers.
- Where appropriate your written bids will be rounded down to the nearest amount consistent with the auctioneer's bidding increments.

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LOT NUMBER	LOT DESCRIPTION	MAXIMUM HONG KONG DOLLAR PRICE (EXCLUDING PREMIUM) OR TICK FOR PHONE BID
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$

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TELEPHONE NUMBER DURING THE SALE (TEL. BIDS ONLY) _____

I agree to be bound by Sotheby's "Conditions of Business for Buyers" and the information set out in the Guide for Prospective Buyers and the Guide for Absentee Bidders, which is published in the catalogue for the sale. I consent to the use of this information and any other information obtained by Sotheby's in accordance with the Guide for Prospective Buyers, the Guide for Absentee Bidders, and Conditions of Business for Buyers.

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拍賣代號 HK0751 | 拍賣名稱 八寶吉祥：仇焱之舊藏明宣德合盃 | 拍賣日期 2017年10月3日

* 稱謂 (如先生, 女士) 或公司名稱 (如適用)

* 姓

* 名

蘇富比賬號

* 地址

郵編

* 住宅電話

公司電話

手機號碼

* 電子郵件

傳真號碼

請註明您希望以何種方式收到拍賣會相關文件 (請選擇其中一個):

電郵

郵寄

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書面競投

- 競投將以最盡可能低之價格進行。
- “購買”或無限價競投標將不獲接納, 及我們不接受“加一口價”競投標。請根據圖錄內之指示投標。

- 可於拍賣編號之間以“或”字兩者 (或若干) 中擇一競投。

- 如適當時, 閣下之書面競投價將會被大概調整至最接近拍賣官遞增之競投金額。

電話競投

- 請清楚註明於拍賣期間可聯絡閣下之電話號碼, 包括國家號碼。我們會於閣下之拍賣品競投前致電給閣下。

拍賣品編號	名稱	最高競投價 (港元) (佣金不計在內) 或以 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 代表電話競投
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$
		HK\$

重要通告—估價拍賣品 (📄)

為對「高估價拍賣品」(📄) 作出競投, 閣下必須填妥拍賣品預先登記申請表, 並向蘇富比交付所需的財政狀況證明、擔保、存款證明及/或蘇富比可絕對酌情要求閣下為競投須作出的其他抵押。蘇富比對是否接受任何預先登記申請有最終決定權。

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拍賣期間之聯絡電話 (只限電話競投)

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簽署

日期

付款方式

拍賣後須即時以下列方法以港元付款: 現金、銀行匯票、旅行支票、支票、電匯、信用咭 (美國運通、萬事達、銀聯或維薩卡)。

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若以信用咭 (美國運通、萬事達、銀聯或維薩卡) 結賬, 請親攜咭到本公司付款。

(以英文本為準)

PREMIUM LOT PRE-REGISTRATION APPLICATION FORM
高估價拍賣品預先登記申請表

SALE # 拍賣編號 HK _____

LOT # 拍賣品編號 _____

*First Name 名

*Last Name 姓

Client Account # 蘇富比賬戶號碼

*Address 通訊地址

*City 城市 Country 國家

*Telephone 電話

Fax 傳真

*Email Address 電子郵件

Client I.D./Passport 身份證或護照編號

Please attach a copy of your ID Card/Passport for identification purpose
請附上身份證或護照影印本以作核對用途

Have you registered to bid at Sotheby's before? Yes No

閣下曾否於蘇富比登記投標? 有 沒有

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如閣下計劃出席是次拍賣並投標拍賣品，請填妥以下表格及於拍賣日前3個工作天傳真至
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太古廣場一期5樓
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I hereby confirm my intention and application to bid on the above lot. I agree to deliver to Sotheby's such necessary financial references, guarantees, deposits and/or such other security as Sotheby's may in its absolute discretion require as security for my bid. Please refer to the "Guide for Prospective Buyers" and "Important Notices to Buyers" for details of the requirement. I agree that Sotheby's has no obligation to accept this pre-registration application and that Sotheby's decision in this regard shall be final. I shall not assume Sotheby's acceptance of my pre-registration application unless I have received a written confirmation from Sotheby's to that effect or a bidding paddle.

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Please note that the auctioneer may open the bidding on any lot by placing a bid on behalf of the seller. The auctioneer may further bid on behalf of the seller up to the amount of the reserve, by placing responsive or consecutive bids for a lot.

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You authorise Sotheby's to request a financial reference from your bank.

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