

Lot 145



Auction **Parkett - The Complete Editions**

Date 31.10.2023, ca. 15:48

Preview 27.10.2023 - 10:00:00 bis
29.10.2023 - 16:00:00

McElheny, Josiah
1966 BOSTON/MASSACHUSETTS

Title: From an Alternative Modernity (Mirror for Bruno Taut) (for Parkett 86).

Date: 2009.

Technique: Coloured glass, laid down between glass and chrome mirror.

Measurement: 47 x 35,5 x 2,5cm.

Notation: Signed and numbered on enclosed certificate.

Publisher: Parkett-Verlag, Zurich (publisher).

Number: 1/35.

Condition:

Occasional minimal streaks and accumulations of dust on the surface. Otherwise the work is in very good condition.

The minimal irregularities, such as colour gradients, bubbles and small gaps in the colour transitions are due to the demanding handicraft production and accepted by the artist.

With enclosed certificate. With Parkett magazine.

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Branden W. Joseph, Parkett no. 86, 2009.

[Article on the work and artist from Parkett edition no. 86.](#)

Estimate: 1.000 € - 2.000 €; Hammer: 1.000 €

