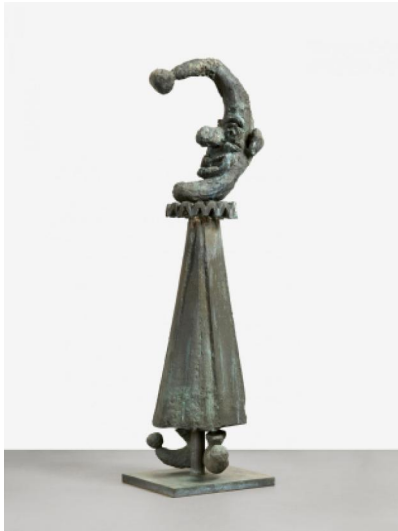


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Auction Modern, Post War & Contemporary

Date 05.06.2025, ca. 16:36

Preview 30.05.2025 - 10:00:00 bis
02.06.2025 - 18:00:00

HÖDICKE, KARL HORST
1938 Nuremberg - 2024 Berlin

Title: Kasperle.

Date: 1987.

Technique: Bronze, green patinated.

Measurement: 182 x 46 x 50cm.

Notation: Signed, dated and numbered on the plinth at the back left: HÖDICKE 87 1/6.

Foundry Mark: Below this, the foundry mark on the outer edge: H.NOACK BERLIN.

Number: 1/6.

This bronze is unique, as only one of the six planned examples was executed and the mold was afterwards destroyed.

Provenance:

- Gallery Gmyrek, Düsseldorf
- Neher Gallery, Essen
- Private collection, North Rhine-Westphalia (acquired from the previous owner in 2001)
- Selbstständige Stiftung in der Betreuung des Deutschen Stiftungszentrums, Essen

Exhibitions:

- Landesgirokasse, Stuttgart 1993
- Neher Gallery, Essen 2000

Literature:

- Exhib. cat. The Language of Modern Images, German Art after 1945, Essen 1993, p. 40f, ill.
- Exhib. cat. Classical Modernism - Contemporary Art, A Comparison, Galerie Neher, Essen 2000, p. 23, ill.

- Impressive large format in the artist's pictorial language typical of the 1980s
- In contrast to the abstract painting that dominated at the time, Hödicke was one of the pioneering representatives of New Figuration in German post-war art
- Offered on the international auction market for the first time.

Estimate: 15.000 € - 20.000 €, Hammer: 20.000 €

