

Annual General Meeting of artnet AG resolves upon conversion to registered shares

Berlin/Paris/New York, July 14, 2011 -- artnet AG, the international transaction and information platform for the art market announces that the attending shareholders of the annual general meeting on the 13th of July in Berlin have adopted all agenda items with a vast majority.

This includes especially the planned conversion of the company's shares from bearer shares into registered shares. From this action, the company expects to get more transparent information that it can react to changes in its shareholder structure prematurely. Furthermore it allows the company to facilitate a more direct communication with its shareholders and it will be more cost effective in the long run.

In total there were 3,486,120 voting shares or 61.91 % of the company's share capital represented at the meeting.

About artnet

artnet is the international transaction platform for the art market with an integrated information offering. artnet Auctions allows rapid transactions at little cost, the artnet Price Database offers objective price information and artnet Galleries provides a global market overview.

In its 20-year existence, B2B company artnet has also opened up to the B2C business, while it further operates a qualified C2C business on artnet Auctions. This dynamic forms its own cycle. The artnet information services lend artnet Auctions a knowledge advantage. The auction players are potential new buyers in artnet Galleries as well as potential new subscribers to other artnet products. And on artnet Auctions, art collectors can not only buy, they can also sell.

Both among experts and for private collectors, artnet is thus synonymous with efficient online art dealing.

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