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CESARE CASATI AND EMANUELE PONZIO set of four Pillola lamps from the Nai collection

Ponteur | Italy, 1968 | ABS plastic
21½ h × 5 w in (55 × 13 cm)

These early examples of the Pillola lamps were acquired from Martino Brizio of Ponteur. Sold with original packaging and various spare parts.

Provenance: Martino Brizio, Italy

Literature: *Italy: The New Domestic Landscape*, Ambasz, pg. 96 *Design Italiano: 1950-2000*, Gramigna, pg. 151 *Light-Lamps 1968-1973: New Italian Design*, Ferrari and Ferrari, fig. 22

Estimate: \$3,000–4,000

Result: \$3,900

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