

IMPORTANT DESIGN (DAY 1)



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JEAN PROUVÉ

desk no. 500 from the Maritime Exchange, Paris

Ateliers Jean Prouvé | France, 1953 | enameled steel, oak
29 h × 59 w × 21 d in (74 × 150 × 53 cm)

This large, demountable variant of the Cité desk was created for the Maritime Exchange, Paris in an edition of forty-four.

Provenance: Maritime Exchange, Paris

Literature: *Jean Prouvé Complete Works Volume 3: 1944-1954*, Sulzer, ppg. 68, 232-233 *Jean Prouvé*, Galerie Patrick Seguin and Sonnabend Gallery, ppg. 404, 410-413

Estimate: \$5,000–7,000

Result: \$4,800

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