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REI KAWAKUBO

No1 chair

Pallucco Italia S.A.S. | Japan, 1983 | zinc-plated and welded steel 26 h \times 20½ w \times 20½ d in (66 \times 52 \times 52 cm)

Rei Kawakubo is renowned for her avant-garde fashion designs. In 1973 she established her company Comme des Garçons, two years later she opened her first boutique in Tokyo, and by the 1980s she added furniture design to her repertoire. Just like her clothing designs, Kawakubo's forms challenge established ideas of beauty.

Estimate: \$3,000-4,000

Result: \$1,800

