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PIERRE JEANNERET

Rare lounge chairs, pair

Switzerland/France/India, $1955 \mid$ oak, rattan, cane $33 \text{ h} \times 19^{3}4 \text{ w} \times 25\% \text{ d}$ in $(84 \times 50 \times 65 \text{ cm})$

Very few of examples of this chair design are known; four examples were ordered by the architect Michel Weill for his apartment in Neuilly and a pair was ordered by the architect Yves Korbendau for his home in Rabat, Morocco. The present lot was ordered in 1955 from the renowned gallery, Kunstzalen DeJong-Bergers, Maastricht by chief designer at Dutch glass factory, the Kristalunie, Maximiliaan Verboeket. Verboeket was also Professor of Applied Arts at the Maastricht Academy and he was awarded the Gold Medal for Industrial Design at the Brussels exposition of 1958.

Provenance: Kunstzalen DeJong-Bergers, Maastricht | Maximiliaan Verboeket, Maastricht, acquired from the previous in 1955 | Private Collection, Maastricht | Private Collection, Amsterdam

Estimate: \$20,000-30,000

Result: \$68,750

