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## **Outstanding result**

Cornet Obolensky Auction with sales rate of 100 %

Münster: In cooperation with the Zhashkov Stud Farm, the Westfälisches Pferdestammbuch e.V. has offered 36 two-year-old youngsters for sale in an online auction. All horses changed owners this evening. Two horses received the highest knock-down price of 34,000 Euros. In total, the international clientele invested an average of 14,556 Euros in the horses.

A very special collection was presented by the Westfälisches Pferdestammbuch e.V. in cooperation with the Zhashkov stud farm in the Ukraine in an online auction this evening. The pedigrees of the 36 two-year-old youngsters were dominated by the star sire Cornet Obolensky. Like all auction candidates, the famous grey stallion is based at the Zhashkov Stud in the Ukraine. The 19 stallions and 17 mares were all born at this stud and are still living there.

The virtual hammer fell twice on this day at a knock-down price of 34,000 Euros. Both the best paid stallion in the collection and the most expensive mare were sold at this top price. The licensed Deep Purple v.d. Molendreef son made the winning bid very exciting. With the head number two he started into the bid up at 18.03. For about 40 minutes the bidding period for the bay, who was bred from a dam by Cornet Obolensky, was extended. For 34,000 euros the bid was awarded to a Bavarian sports stable. The stars for a great future for Delestre are bright. Dam Verb.Pr.St. Cinderella already produced several successful sport horses and licensed stallions. Among them the premium stallion of the Westfalian Main Licensing 2010, Goliaph by Godolphin, who is successful in jumping competitions up to 1.45 m with Hans-Thorben Rüder in the saddle. Much faster but not less successful was the bid up for the head number 6 Catch me. The direct daughter of Cornet Obolensky aroused international desires. For again 34,000 Euros she was sold to regular customers of Zhashkov Stud to a sport stable in Russia. The grey mare descents from a highly interesting dam line. Her dam Verb.Pr.St. Diamond by Diarado is the half-sister of Conthargos, the top performer at the Schockemöhle stallion station.

Cornet Obolensky is not only known all over the world. The star sire is also very popular far beyond the borders of Germany or the Ukraine. On average, the clientele invested 14,556 Euros in his offspring. The youngsters will travel to 10 different countries. 17 of them will spend their future in Germany. Six of them will stay in the Ukraine. "Grandiose, that is all there ist o say," is how Oleg Kuschnier sums up this auction. The Ukrainian has been in charge of the cooperation between the Westfälisches Pferdestammbuch e.V. and the Zhashkov Stud Farm since the beginning.

The attached photos can be used free of charge in connection with the press release.

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BU 1: Head number 2 Delestre by Deep Purple by Molendreef/Cornet Obolensky

BU 2: Head number 6 Catch me by Cornet Obolensky/Diarado