

SA1055865

Antique French Ormolu Table Lamp Manner of Pierre-Jules Cavelier 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1055865****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 30 cm (11.8")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 12 cm (4.7")

Description

This is a fine antique ormolu Louis XVI Revival table lamp in the manner of Pierre-Jules Cavelier (French 1814-1894), circa 1890 in date. The ormolu sculpture is modelled as a classical maiden figure sleeping on a klimos chair, a table set with a lamp behind her, the oval gilt base mounted with a light fitting, complete with a mustard coloured pleated silk lampshade. The craftsmanship is second to none throughout all aspects of this piece and it is sure to add an unparalleled touch of elegance to your home. Condition: In excellent working condition having been beautifully cleaned and rewired in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 30 cm x Width 30 cm x Depth 12 cm - Without Shade Dimensions in inches: Height 1 foot x Width 1 foot x Depth 5 inches - Without Shade Ormolu - (from French 'or moulu', signifying ground or pounded gold) is an 18th-century English term for applying finely ground, high-carat gold in a mercury amalgam to an object of bronze. The mercury is driven off in a kiln leaving behind a gold-coloured veneer known as 'gilt bronze'. The manufacture of true ormolu...

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