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A FINE AND RARE GEORGE II PERIOD CARVED MAHOGANY LIBRARY ARMCHAIR

Price

GBP 54,000

| USD \$73,624 | EUR 63,013

Item Reference: SA1155115**Date of manufacture: Georgian**

Dimensions

Height = 98 cm (38.6")

Width = 76 cm (29.9")

Depth = 67.5 cm (26.6")

Description

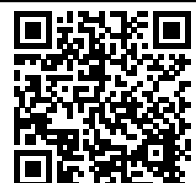
English, ca. 1755 Attributed to Paul Saunders The padded back with serpentine top rail, above a serpentine padded seat, the padded armrests on scrolled supports carved with C-scroll cabochons and foliage, with C-scroll, acanthus, trellis and rockwork carved shaped seatrails, on conformingly-carved cabriole legs with scrolled feet and recessed castors. This chair shows all the hallmarks of Great English Cabinetmaking and is a Masterclass of the exquisite quality of craftsmanship available in the mid 18th century. Incorporate great design, and the highest quality of materials and the result is a true masterpiece for its period. It is therefore needless to say that a chair like this must have been part of an important commission demanding the highest standard and in today's market a rare survival. So far one other chair of this model has been discovered and was part of the highly important collection of Gerald Hochschild, sold by Sotheby's London, 1 December 1978, lot 38. And subsequently bought by the famous London dealers Mallett and Sons. Paul Saunders furniture maker (1722 – 1771) Paul Saunders was one of the most important suppliers of fashionable upholst...

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