

SA436441

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ormolu-mounted 3-piece 'bleu
turquin' marble clock garniture.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA436441

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 38 cm (15.0")

Width = 28 cm (11.0")

Depth = 14 cm (5.5")

Description

Fine quality late C19th French ormolu-mounted 3-piece 'blue turquin' marble clock garniture. Crisply-cast ormolu bronze mounted clock set in the C18th Louis XVI style . The bodies of both the clock and 3-branch side pieces with striking grey 'blue turquin' marble bodies. The clock fitted with an 8-day striking movement with pendulum, chiming on a bell , the enamel dial with finely-painted blue Roman numerals and minute chapter ring ,elaborate pierced and gilded hands and set behind an opening domed/convex glass door . Fitted opening glass door to rear, the movement signed "Mognetti". Strikes on the hour and half-hour . The clock surmounted by an ormolu mounted urn , whilst the body is decorated with swags, rams head , ribbon and floral decorations. The clock raised on detailed ormolu compressed bun feet. The 3-branch candelabra side-pieces of cassiolette form with fine ormolu mounted detail . The bodies raised on stiff-leaf wrapped tripod supports with cloven feet, leaf and acorn motif decoration , the central finial modelled as a basket of floral decorated fruit with a pineapple centre. The marble bodies with a band of cast 'Vitruvian scroll' hand-chased ormolu . The...

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