

SA724147

Antique French Louis XVI Marble and Ormolu Portico Clock Set

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA724147****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Dimensions

Height = 39 cm (15.4")

Width = 21.5 cm (8.5")

Depth = 12.5 cm (4.9")

Description

~ French - Circa 1900 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled ~~ A beautiful antique French portico clock set. It is of Louis XVI style and made of a stunning variegated specimen marble, mounted with ormolu (finely gilded bronze). The marble is veined with oranges, pinks, violets and blues. The movement is held aloft on four marble pillars with the ormolu pendulum swinging gently below. The dial is prettily painted with floral swags between the numbers on porcelain enamel. It is complete with it's original finely fretted gilt brass hands and convex glass. The rear door is also glazed to allow the movement to be seen. The French movement is of high quality and is in excellent clean and running condition having been fully overhauled by our clockmaker. Ormolu sunburst pendulum is original. It runs for 8 days and strikes the hours and halves on a bell. Condition of the ormolu is excellent, beautifully clean and bright some discolouration and wear. The dial is also in excellent condition with no damaged. Marble has some and nibbles to the edges and the rear right hand column has an old repair. The movement backplate is marked for the maker Ferdinand Verger (1851-192...

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