

SA813658

Fine pair of C18th Italian
bronze lions mounted on 'faux'
marble decorated plinth bases .

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA813658

Date of manufacture: 18th Century

Dimensions

Height = 20 cm (7.9")

Width = 28 cm (11.0")

Depth = 18 cm (7.1")

Description

Fine pair of C18th Italian bronze lions mounted on 'faux' marble decorated plinth bases . Superbly modelled and cast pair of bronze regal lions depicted reclining upon integrally cast oak leaf and acorn bases . The front paws raised upon a sphere perhaps in an interpretation of the renowned 'Medici' lions . The tails wrapped around the rear haunches. The lions each portrayed with a slightly differing facial expression. The casting with fine detail to the skin and mane with evidence of fine chiselling to the finished surface . Excellent original condition with a fine green-hued dark patination and colour. Mounted upon later sympathetic C19th wooden bases with 'faux' simulated marble decoration. H 9" W 11" D 7" The bases 7" deep x 11" wide x 2" high The bronze lions 9" wide x 7" high x 4" deep. Italy c. 1780

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