

SA899848

EARLY & SMALL MAHOGANY LONGCASE REGULATOR - HAMPSTON PRINCE & CATTLES OF YORK

Price

GBP 25,000

| USD \$33,830 | EUR 29,253

Item Reference: SA899848

Date of manufacture: 18th Century

Dimensions

Height = 209 cm (82.3")

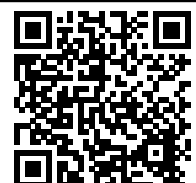
Description

A very attractive mahogany longcase regulator. The case with arched top surmounted by a small cresting, has canted and brass inlaid corners and an opening front door with a round glazed aperture for the round dial. The trunk with full length opening door with fine quality flame mahogany veneers and surrounded by a strong moulding. The panelled base also with fine quality flame veneers. The inside of the trunk door has a printed equation table with various inscriptions marked on it in pen, the earliest from about 1826. The eight-day movement is of fine quality with six nicely shaped pillars, maintaining power and a Graham deadbeat escapement. The wheels run within screwed end caps. The clock employs a wood rod pendulum with a massive brass bob with a calibrated rating nut below which is a large silvered calibrated sphere which can be screwed up or down for further fine adjustment. The dial has a cutout below the centre arbor for the hours, a large minute chapter ring and a smaller seconds ring below 12 o'clock. It is signed for the maker 'Hampston, Prince & Cattles, York.' Hampston, Prince & Cattles are recorded as working in York between 1777 and 1810. John Hampston wa...

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