

SA959388

Pair of Chippendale Period Mahogany Gainsborough Arm Chairs

Price

GBP 8,000

| USD \$10,826 | EUR 9,361

Item Reference: SA959388

Date of manufacture: Georgian

Dimensions

Height = 95 cm (37.4")

Width = 67 cm (26.4")

Depth = 28.5 cm (11.2")

Description

No: 11056 An exceptional PAIR of Mid 18th Century Mahogany Gainsborough Armchairs, the arched backs flanked by shaped, scrolled, moulded and carved arms and terminals, the saddle shaped seats raised on square section chamfered legs united by an "H" stretcher. Circa 1760 Price: £12,500-00p. Height: 37.5", 95 cms / Width: 26.5", 67 cms / Depth: 28.5", 72.5 cms Note: There are numerous examples of this model of chair referred to by Chippendale as "French Chairs" and pieces by him often have the identical arm terminals with the carved inner and outer scrolls. The "H" shaped stretcher is also often seen on Chippendale's own examples. Literature: Thomas Chippendale, "The Gentleman & Cabinet-Makers Director", 3rd. edition, plate XIX. The right hand example has a very similar arm terminal, stretcher and shaped back. "The life and work of Thomas Chippendale" by Christopher Gilbert shows a similar French Chair, p84 Fig 134. "Thomas Chippendale 1718-1779" Adam Bowett & James Lomax, p.38-39, Plate 2.2, p. 45 Plate 2.5, armchair with moulded, scrolling arm terminals, p108-109, Plate 6.6, identical shaped arms with moulded, scrolled arm terminals, "A Chippendale Commission, Internal Ref: 11056 Dum...

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