

SA982964

Antique Ormolu Mounted Pietra Dura Jewellery Cabinet 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA982964****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 22 cm (8.7")

Width = 22 cm (8.7")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

This is an absolutely fabulous antique French engraved ormolu and Pietra Dura mounted jewellery cabinet, Circa 1860 in date. The casket is in the form of a cabinet, with three fitted jewellery compartments on the top, the central compartment is superbly inset with an ornate oval inset Pietra Dura mount, with a lidded compartment to each side. The bow-sided breakfront design with figural supports, with side doors each enclosing a blue glass perfume bottle with a Pietra Dura lid, and hinged doors fitted with further exquisite Pietra Dura panels that open to reveal two small drawers, the interior compartments of the cabinet have all been relined in grey silk. This item is of superb quality with fabulous engraved decoration, is extremely rare and will instantly enhance any desktop. Condition: In excellent condition having been cleaned polished and relined in our workshops, with no dings, dents or signs of repair. Please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 22 x Width 22 x Depth 13 Dimensions in inches: Height 9 inches x Width 9 inches x Depth 5 inches Pietra Dura is a term for the inlay technique of using cut and fitted, highly poli...

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