

Bronze Horse Signed Coustou



2 500 EUR

Period: 19th century Condition: Bon état

Material: Bronze

Length: 50 Width: 25

Height: 58

Description

French bronze from the second half of the 1800s made on the model of the "Horses of Marly" by the French sculptor Guillaume Coustou (Lyon, 11/29/1677 - Paris, 02/22/1746)

The original sculptures, in white Carrara marble, were commissioned in 1743 by Louis XV to adorn

the Abreuvoir de Marly and installed only two years later

The runaway steed, decked out in all its harness, he is barely held by the bridle by a young squire The fusion, rich in details and of excellent workmanship,

shows a nice burnished patina.

Signed lower on the Coustou base

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