Pende Mask "mbangu" Or Disease Mask, No. 2, Democratic Republic Of Congo



290 EUR

Period : 20th century
Condition : Etat d'usage
Material : Painted wood
Width : 20cm
Height : 34cm
Depth : 11cm

Description

Pende "mbangu" mask or disease mask. Pende culture, Democratic Republic of Congo. (formerly Belgian Congo, formerly Zaire) African PENDE Mbangu "disease" masks, also called Bwala-Bwala, exaggerate the symptoms of disorders such as epilepsy or facial paralysis, often attributed to witchcraft practices. h.36 cml. 20 cm

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