



Louis XV Style Cartel Clock In Onyx And Gilt Bronze - 2-bell Movement



1 200 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Semi precious stone

Width : 32 cm

Height : 59 cm

Description

France, 20th century. An elegant and rare Louis XV style cartel clock, featuring an onyx case with warm, delicately veined hues, enhanced by rich, finely chased gilt-bronze decoration. The whole forms a harmonious and dynamic silhouette, characteristic of the Rococo style: supple lines, graceful scrolls, and subtly distributed foliate ornaments. The dial, adorned with enamel cartouches bearing Roman numerals, is set within a finely crafted mount, while the lower section reveals a sunburst pendulum, lending an elegant structural transparency. This model is distinguished by its striking movement with two bells, allowing the hours and half-hours to be announced in a clear and refined tone--an unusually elaborate configuration for a cartel clock of this period, and highly sought after by

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collectors. The unusual combination of onyx and gilt bronze gives this piece a remarkable decorative presence, while maintaining a great deal of overall restraint. Very good overall condition.