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## Banker's Or Notary's Lamp, In Chromed Metal And Green Opaline Glass, Circa 1930



450 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Metal

Diameter : 16

Height : 31,5

Description
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A so-called notary's or banker's lamp, adjustable in height and direction. Chromed metal base weighted for reliable stability. Green opaline glass shade. Good overall condition, only some silver plating loss at the base. Electricity rewired, B22 lamp. Circa 1930. Dimensions: Adjustable height from 31.5 to 52 cm, Base diameter: 16 cm, Shade diameter: 22.3 cm x 14.2 cm. These lamps are called "banker's lamps" or "notary's lamps" because they were very common in banks and law offices in the early 20th century. The most famous model, the Emeraldite lamp, was characterized by a green glass shade and a brass base. Its soft, glare-free light was ideal for reading and writing long documents, making it a preferred tool for notaries, lawyers, and accountants. Over time, their presence in these

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professional circles forged their reputation,  
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