



## Lega Crest Statue Sakimatwematwe Democratic Republic Of Congo



1 800 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Material : Painted wood

### Description

A rare and superb Lega crest statue. Worn as a crest attached to the top of the head during dances preceding the hunt, it symbolizes the magical ability to see game everywhere, even over hills and forests! The faces are particularly beautiful, and the patina with traces of white kaolin enhances this very rare piece! Note a kind of cavity on the back with remnants of an attachment for holding magical substances, likely bones of the hunted animal. Height 43 cm. Note that I have to use powerful lighting to get good definition in the photos; reflections and glare on the images do not exist under normal conditions.

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