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Early 18th Century Queen Anne Period Burr Walnut Chest-on-stand



6 700 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Wallnut

Width : 103

Height : 170

Depth : 56

Description

Very Fine Early 18th-Century Queen Anne Burr Walnut Chest on Stand (Tallboy)A superb and well proportioned early 18th-century Queen Anne period burr walnut country house chest on stand, of excellent colour and patina.The upper section, surmounted by a moulded cornice with solid oak sides sides and a cross-grained moulded waist, is fitted with an arrangement of two short over three graduated long drawers. The lower section is fitted with three further drawers and features a shaped apron, raised on elegant tapering turned legs united by serpentine (wavy) stretchers and terminating in bun feet.All drawers are oak-lined, with beautifully matched burr walnut veneers, herringbone inlay and cross-banded fronts, retaining mid-18th century replacement brass plate fret handles. The primary frame is in pine,

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with oak used for the top, sides and drawer construction, and rich walnut veneers to the front. The upper case is constructed with traditional 17th-century pinned mortise-and-tenon joinery.This fine chest-on-stand, also known as a high chest of drawers or tallboy, is a classic example of Queen Anne period furniture, displaying beautiful burr walnut figuring, refined proportions and outstanding craftsmanship. A piece of great presence and character, it would make a distinguished focal point in any refined interior, whether traditional or contemporary.