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Important Portrait Of A Gentleman With A Noble Coat Of Arms



4 500 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Other

Length : 74

Width : 93

Description

Important portrait of a gentleman, oil on canvas, attributed to the French school of the mid-18th century. The subject is depicted in half-length, slightly in three-quarter profile, with his gaze directed toward the viewer. He wears an austere and elegant dark suit, embellished with a large, finely crafted white collar and snow-white sleeves. His hands, elegantly folded at the waist, lend the composition a solemn and aristocratic air. Particular attention is paid to the rendering of the face, framed by long dark hair and characterized by a thin mustache and a small goatee. The composition is built on a refined contrast between the deep tones of the suit and the background and the luminosity of the complexion and the white fabrics. In the upper right corner appears an elaborate polychrome

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heraldic coat of arms, likely referring to the family of the subject and of particular historical and genealogical interest. The painting is set within a rich carved and gilded plaster frame, finely decorated in relief with plant and floral motifs. France, mid-18th century. Oil on canvas. Dimensions: 93 × 74 cm with frame; canvas 76 × 56 cm.