Silver Betel Box



190 EUR

Signature : HOA

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Sterling silver

Diameter : 7.3

Height : 8.5

Description

Cylindrical box with a snap-on lid, intended for tobacco or areca nuts in a Cambodian betel set, adorned with a superb repoussé design depicting a celestial dancer ASPARA surrounded by an elaborate floral scroll pattern.Silver hallmark indicating 900 parts per thousand (90% pure silver), corresponding to the standard for Khmer and Indochinese silverware, followed by HOA: This stamp in Latin characters identifies the silversmith or workshop (often of Sino-Khmer or Vietnamese origin), which were very active in Phnom Penh and Indochina during the colonial and postcolonial periods.This box is in very good overall condition, with no apparent damage or excessive wear on the reliefs (the details of the faces, jewelry, and floral motifs remain sharp and clear.Shipping to France via

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