



Large Portrait Of An English Actress After Thomas Gainsborough



2 900 EUR

Signature : D'après Thomas Gainsborough (1727 - 1788)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 102 cm, encadré 112 cm

Height : 127 cm, encadré 135 cm

Description

Our painting is a replica from the first half of the 19th century of the portrait that the famous portrait painter and landscape painter Thomas Gainsborough (1727 - 1788) made of Sara Siddons, a very fashionable English actress at the end of the 18th century. Seated in a large armchair, she is shown half-legged and in profile in front of a dark red draped curtain, no doubt an allusion to her profession as an actress. She wears an elegant dress with blue stripes, a yellow silk shawl and a large hat trimmed with ostrich feather. A theatrical, proud-looking, almost aristocratic portrait! Our replica is of great finesse of execution and in excellent condition after professional cleaning and the restoration of a small tear in the bottom at the top left. Its original frame with pearls and ribbons in gilded wood is

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also in very good condition. The size of this exceptional portrait is important: 102 cm x 127 cm, framed 112 cm x 135 cm.