## Lot 866



**Auction Art & Interior** 

**Date** 25.02.2021, ca. 11:18

## RARE CROUCHING BIXIE.

Origin: China.

Technique: Detailed carved from light jade with dark brown skin.

Description: The mythological animal with the body of a lion, is equipped with wings in fine bas-relief

and one horn rolled up at the upper head. In the manner of cats it seems to creep up. The open mouth shows the fangs and the tongue. Above the big eyes powerful brows are curled. From the chin a pointed beard stretches to the left raised paw. The surface of the jade is covered with a brownish, finely granulated skin.

Measurement: L.13.3cm, h.8.5cm.

Condition A/B.

Estimate: 500 € - 700 €; Hammer: 1.100 €