

Lot 936



Auction Art & Interior

Date 25.02.2021, ca. 12:06

LARGE NETSUKE OF SENNIN GAMA WITH HIS TOAD ON HIS SHOULDER.

Origin: Japan.

Date: 18th c.

Technique: Ivory with expressive, amber yellow patina.

Description: Standing, supported on a knotted branch, is he dressed in a wide robe, over which he wears a leaf collar and apron. Although the carver did not remove much of the triangular piece of the precious material, he succeeded in creating a powerfully expressive netsuke. This is particularly evident in the soft folds of the garment and the upward-looking face as well as in the long, curled hair in the neck.

Measurement: H.10.5cm.

Condition A/B.

Provenance:

-Old German private collection.

-Purchased in Klefisch Auction 60, Lot 544.

Estimate: 900 € - 1.200 €; Hammer: 800 €
