



Asian Art Discoveries (AK0122)

Thu, 27th Jan 2022

Viewing:

You may view objects in this auction in our gallery from January 19 to January 26, 2022. We are open Monday to Friday from 10 AM to 6 PM CET, as well as by appointment.

Lot 24

Starting price: €200

Estimate: €400

A BRONZE 'BUDDHIST LION' JOSS STICK HOLDER

China, late Ming Dynasty (1368-1644). Heavily cast and patinated dark as a muscular Buddhist lion with a large bushy tail and curling mane, raising one paw. With an open mouth to insert joss sticks.

Condition: Very good condition with few surface scratches, nicks, and casting irregularities.

Provenance: Austrian private collection, according to the current owner acquired at Gallery Asboth, Vienna.

Weight: 447.9 g

Dimensions: Height 8.7 cm