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LOT 1437

A Sèvres style cobalt blue ground jewelled cabinet cup and saucer, second half 19th century, the cup painted with a titled bust portrait of Marie Antoinette within a gilded frame, flanked by gilded foliate detail enriched with red, green and turquoise 'jewels' against a gilt pointillé ground, the similarly decorated saucer with central gilded crown motif, blue painted interlaced 'L's' marks to bases, diameter of saucer 14cm.

Estimate: £80 - £120

Condition Report

1437. Both pieces in good condition overall with no cracks, chips or restoration.

Saucer - a few minor losses to the jewelled detail but these are few and far between and only noticeable on close inspection. Minor typical rubbing to gilding where cup sits.

Cup - gilding rubbed particularly to footrim, handle and top rim edge. Tiny chip to top edge of one moulded circle on handle angle. A few minor losses to the jewelled detail but again these are few and far between and once again only really noticeable on close inspection. Small manufacturing flaw to body on outer edge of portrait frame at 4 o'clock.

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