



## Islamic & Indian Art (22 Apr 2020 C)

Wed, 22nd Apr 2020

### Viewing:

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### Lot 15

Estimate: £400 - £600 + Fees

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Opaque pigments, silver and gold on paper, the vertical composition portraying a Rajput nobleman seated on a terrace in front of a mirror, smoking from a golden *huqqa* base, wine cups in front of him next to the mirror, to his side his *tulwar* (sword) and *dhal* (shield), the scene set within black lines and red borders, the verso with three lines of black *Devanagari* script and the stamp of 'M/S Kaluram Girdharilal', 24.7cm x 19.5cm.