



Islamic & Indian Art (22 Apr 2020 C)

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Opaque pigments heightened with gold on paper, the horizontal composition depicting a procession with a Rajput ruler smoking from a golden *huqqa* on a cart pulled by two white bulls, the foot attendant at the front holding a long spear, the one at the back carrying the *huqqa*, the verso with small segments of black ink *Devanagari* inscriptions, 14.7cm x 22.7cm.

Condition Report

No clear evidence of repainting, repairs or restoration under UV lights, the corners rubbed and with minor bent, a very small tear to the left hand-side, evidence of rubbing to the green background, otherwise no evidence of pigments loss, the back with two squared residues of transparent tape. Overall in good conditions.