Vase **GRANDE BOULE LIERRE**

By Rene Lalique

First executed in 1912

An extremely rare large clear ball-shaped glass vase, the design comprising of ivy tendrils and leaves running vertically up the vase.

Height	: 35 cms
Signatures	: Early script Lalique on the base.
Reference	: (i) Felix Marcilhac, Rene Lalique – Catalogue Raisonne Des Oeuvres de Verre, Paris, 1989, p. 410, No. 877. (ii) Patricia Bayer & Mark Waller, The Art of Rene Lalique, 1988, p. 131, frame 218.

‘**GRANDE BOULE LIERRE**’ is Lalique’s largest mould blown vase. It was made only in clear and frosted glass. It has a large circular body with a small foot, and therefore is vulnerable to being knocked over. As a result, there are very few surviving examples in acceptable condition.

This particular model is in immaculate condition. Because of its rarity, this model has not appeared on the international market in recent years.

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