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A pair of oak and leather Spanish Chairs (model 2226) by Borge Mogensen (1914 - 1972)

£12,500



REF: 5448

Height: 67.5 cm (26.6") Width: 82 cm (32.3") Depth: 62 cm (24.4")

Description

The oak frames with the original stitched cognac leather backs and seats.

Manufactured by Federicia Stolefabrik. Designed in 1958.

Denmark, circa 1960s

After a trip to Spain where Mogensen was inspired by some of the strong, provincial furniture he saw, he designed a chair with armrests wide enough for a drink to be placed upon, and a solid, bold frame countered by the slung leather seat and back. He named it the 'Spanish Chair' and these early models remain a favourite among collectors of 20th century design.

Mogensen was one of the most important furniture designers of the 20th century. His work is in museums worldwide.