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A rare George III mahogany fall-front secretaire in the manner of Thomas Chippendale (1718 - 1779)

£12,500



REF: 5556

Height: 159.5 cm (62.8") Width: 110.5 cm (43.5")

Depth: 49 cm (19.3")

Description

In two parts, the upper section with a fall front, below a frieze of blind fretwork and a dentil cornice. Secured by a sprung Chubbs lock enclosing a fitted interior of drawers with axe-head handles and pigeonholes behind the leather-lined writing surface, with an integral ratcheted slope. The lower section with two doors enclosing a fitted interior of drawers. All on cabriole spade feet.

England, circa 1770

Depth when fully open: 104cm