

STEPHEN ONGPIN FINE ART



Pablo PICASSO (Malaga 1881 - Mougins 1973)

Nude Self Portrait with Raised Arm (Autoportrait au bras levé)

Pencil on paper.
275 x 202 mm. (10 7/8 x 7 7/8 in.)

Drawn in Paris in 1902.

Provenance:

The artist's estate
Marina Picasso, Geneva
Galerie Krugier, Geneva
Thomas Ammann, Zurich
Acquired from him by Stanley J. Seeger, London
His sale, New York, Sotheby's, 4 November 1993, lot 401
Acquired at the sale by Gianni Versace
His sale, London, Sotheby's, 7 December 1999, lot 3
Private collection, USA, until 2012.

Artist description:

'I do not know if I am a great painter, but I am a great draughtsman.' (Picasso to Max Jacob).