

**No. 12**

**An Important finely carved *Tianhuang* Imperial Lion Seal**

Qing Dynasty, Qianlong period (1736-95)

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The stone finely carved with a reclining lion, its body covered with a flowing mane of gently layered curls, the protruding face with bold eyes, its back haunches tucked under the body with long curly tail. The front side incised with the three characters *huan shi yi zi* (eleventh prince) the seal face carved with the characters '*jing qing hen chuang zuo jiu ban hu*', the stone of an even and rich yellow colour darkening to a rich toffee at places.

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