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Provenience: CHINA

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Field No.

People or Culture: Chinese

Object: shadow figure

Material: painted, hide, wire, bamboo

Description: Probably body of high official having a black robe, with a face on the top of the robe; the face is tan with a green mane and red mouth; a tan and red dragon with cut-out scales appears on upper skirt; tan-rimmed horseshoe-shaped waist decoration with green rectangles inside goes around the waist; black sleeves with tan, red motif of waves have grey, tan, and red cuffs below the motif;

Dimensions:

(in cm.) 19.5 x 6 maximum

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Collection: Purchased from Miss Edna H. Bahr
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red sash with cut-out flowers
hanging from back to the shoes;
there is a red, tan, and green
wave/rock motif on the skirt; tan
and black elevated shoes; body
hinged at wrists, elbows, shoulders,
waist, and legs, having wheels at
leg and waist hinges; 3 complete
wire and bamboo handles attached
to neck and hands.