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BURMANTOFTS FAIENCE POTTERY JARDINIERE WITH A VIVID TURQUOISE GLAZE. ENGLISH CIRCA 1890

The pleasing shaped jardiniere having a thick rim leading to main tapered body, with fourteen raised tubed segments again tapered with arches at the top flower heads and a stylised Greek key below. Burmantofts factory began a business purely focused on the production of piping and construction materials, and then expanded into the production of very colourful art pottery. The pottery they produced was known as faience a type of tin glazed earthenware which the French had perfected. The key vibrant glazes and decoration also included a technique called barbotine (French for ceramic slip) a mixture of clay and water used for moulding or decorating pottery, before the item is fired. Please note that the piece has a minor hair line crack to the rim.

DIMENSIONS: 24cm (9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") High, 29.5cm (11 $\frac{1}{2}$ ") Wide

PRICE: £575

STOCK CODE: 79699

