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URN FROM KAMINALUJYU  
PERIOD (A 550-500)

**DESCRIPTION:** large rare Maya urn in pale beige terracotta with  
coloured pigment. Cylindrical in form, it widens slightly  
at the top. It has a textured decoration consisting of  
a central band, and a series of wavy eyes  
on either side. The figure has a ban-

expression with bulging eyes and very  
impressive disc-shaped earrings. The  
human face. This stylized head is  
crowned with an ornamental frieze.  
cardinal points of the lid.

The cover shows some restoration, very  
ancient times.

**ORIGIN:** Incense burners were very  
popular. They were made of a  
pour blood collected from the tongue of  
vegetable. The result was a  
contact with the gods.

The Kaminaluyu site, located in the  
Classic period. Its prosperity stemmed  
was a hierarchic state, capable of controlling  
over this civilisation came under the control

**DIMENSIONS:** Height: 47 cm / 18,5"  
**TERMO-LUMINESCENT TEST:**

**EXPORT LICENSE:** supplied with a Passeport Culturel issued by the French Ministry of  
Culture number 160970, allowing this piece to travel worldwide.

**MUSEOGRAPHY:** Some very similar urns are exhibited in the private museum of Casa  
Santo Domingo in Antigua – Guatemala

**BIBLIOGRAPHY:** published in "Collecting Masterpieces, Part One" by Beryl Cavallini at  
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