Pierre Noel Violet

Title	Stéphanie Félicité Ducrest de Saint-Aubin, Comtesse de Genlis (1746-1830), in white dress with blue bodice and blue bows tied at her upper arm, striped gauze scarf tied at corsage
Description	PIERRE-NOËL VIOLET (FRENCH, 1749-1819) Stéphanie Félicité Ducrest de Saint-Aubin, Comtesse de Genlis (1746-1830), in white dress with blue bodice and blue bows tied at her upper arm, striped gauze scarf tied at corsage, three-strand pearl necklace, gold-embroidered grey bandeau in her powdered curling hair signed 'P. Violet' (mid-left) on ivory oval, 2¾ in. (70 mm.) high, silver-gilt *réverbère* frame with bright-cut border and engraved with sitter's name, within gilt-metal frame with white enamel pellet border
Medium	miniature on ivory
Size	Height 2.8 in. / Height 7 cm.
Misc.	Signed
Sale of	Christie's London: Tuesday, November 27, 2012 [Lot 00306] Centuries of Style: Silver, European Ceramics, Portrait Miniatures and Gold Boxes
Estimate	3,000 - 5,000 GBP ? (4,808 - 8,014 USD)
Sold For	5,000 GBP Premium ? (8,014 USD)
Provenance	Christie's, London, 10 December 2002, lot 138
Literature	N. Lemoine-Bouchard, *Les peintres en miniature actifs en France 1650-1850*, Paris, 2008, p. 530

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