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Description: A Chinese famille rose Hu vase. The bulbous body is finely enamelled with a brightly coloured phoenix and an iron-red five-clawed dragon pursuing the flaming pearl amidst cloud and fire scrolls. The flaring neck is decorated with flower heads reserved on a yellow ground. The vase is flanked by beast-mask handles, picked out in blue enamel. Ruyi and lappet borders divide each section. The base is decorated with a coiled dragon and has an apocryphal Qianlong iron-red seal mark.

Age: GUANGXU PERIOD (1875-1908)

Size: Approx 24 inches tall

Fair Market/Auction Value: £3000 - £5000

Insurance Value: £6000 to £8000