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A striking French 19th century Louis XVI st. mahogany, ormolu, and Sienna marble commode, signed Forest. The beautiful and uniquely shaped four drawer chest is raised by elegant circular fluted tapered legs with fine ormolu sabots and top caps. Above the straight frieze are three central sans traverse (without crossbar) drawers showcasing the cabinet maker's high skill set and emphasizing the beautiful mahogany wood grain. Each drawer displays elegant berried laurel keyhole escutcheons tied with a bow and lovely finely chased foliate pulls with a fine acanthus leaf in a rich satin and burnished finish. Superb fluted columns flank the drawers below a block rosette while the sides display a most decorative curved shape with the central mahogany panel framed within a delicate wrap around ormolu band.

Above is the original Sienna marble top with a fine mottled border.

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