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Mobili d'Arte



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**TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN**

## **CERTIFICATE OF GUARANTY**



WE HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ANTIQUE WELMAR PIANO HAD BEEN MADE BY "WELMAR" IN LONDON, BETWEEN 1923.

IN THAT YEAR, IT HAD BEEN SOLD TO THE SPORTING COMPANY "RAY STERN & CO." OF HOUSTON - USA. THE PIANO HAD BEEN PLAYED DURING ALL THE EVENTS AND PARTIES UNTIL 1960.

MR. RAY STERN'S SON, AN IMPORTANT WRESTLER, MOVED TO AUBURN - INDIANA (USA) - AND HE BROUGHT THE PIANO WITH HIM. UNFORTUNATELY IN 2004 MR. STERN'S SON DIED AND AFTER SOME YEARS HIS WIFE, MRS. DEBY, SOLD HIS PIANO TO "RED BARON'S AUCTION".

C.G. CAPELLETTI BOUGHT THIS INSTRUMENT FROM "RED BARON'S" IN 2010. C.G. CAPELLETTI TOOK MORE THAN 8 MONTHS TO RESTORING THE PIANO. IN FACT IT HAD BEEN ENTIRELY DISASSEMBLED AND RESTORED IN EVERY LITTLE DETAIL, MECHANIC TOO! THE FRAME HAD BEEN PLAQUED IN BOIS DE ROSE AND WITH VARIOUS FRUITS WOODEN HIGH QUALITY INLAYS AT FLOWERS MOTIVES. ALL THE BRONZE DECORATIONS ARE IN 24KT GOLD PLATED BRONZES.

THIS PIANO HAS BEEN ENTIRELY RESTORED RESPECTING THE ELEGANCE OF THE ORIGINAL PIECE. IN WITNESS WHEREOF

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