



## WINE & SPIRITS ADDENDUM

*(California Estate Sales – Online Auctions)*

This Wine & Spirits Addendum (“Addendum”) supplements and forms part of the Terms & Conditions of Sale for Huisman Auctions (“Auctioneer”). In the event of any conflict, this Addendum shall control with respect to alcoholic beverages.

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### 1. Collectible-Only Sale; No Fitness for Consumption

All wine, spirits, and alcoholic beverages are sold **strictly as collectible property**.

Auctioneer makes **no representation or warranty**, express or implied, regarding drinkability, quality, safety, merchantability, or fitness for consumption. **Consumption is solely at the buyer’s risk.**

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### 2. As-Is, Where-Is; Condition Disclaimer

All alcoholic beverages are sold **AS-IS, WHERE-IS**, with all faults, whether visible or not.

Auctioneer makes **no guarantees** regarding:

- Storage conditions or temperature history
- Cork integrity, fill levels, ullage, seepage, leakage, or label condition
- Age, vintage accuracy, provenance, or authenticity

Variations in fill level, staining, capsule wear, or label condition are common with estate and vintage bottles and **do not constitute misrepresentation.**

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### 3. No Authentication or Provenance Warranty

Auctioneer does **not authenticate** wine or spirits and does not verify original purchase source, storage history, or chain of custody. Any descriptions are provided **for identification purposes only** and are not guarantees.

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### 4. Buyer Inspection Encouraged; No Returns

Buyers are encouraged to carefully review all photographs and attend any published inspection. **All sales are final.** No refunds, returns, credits, or price adjustments will be made for any reason, including but not limited to condition, authenticity, or drinkability.

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### 5. Age Certification (California Compliance)



By bidding, buyer certifies that they are **twenty-one (21) years of age or older** and legally permitted to purchase alcoholic beverages in the State of California.

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#### **6. California Estate Sale & Transfer Disclaimer**

Alcoholic beverages are offered **as part of a private estate liquidation**.

Auctioneer is acting solely as an agent for the estate and is **not a licensed alcohol retailer**. Buyer is responsible for ensuring that purchase, possession, transport, storage, resale, or transfer complies with all applicable **local, state, and federal laws**, including California Department of Alcoholic Beverage Control (ABC) regulations.

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#### **7. No Shipping; Local Pickup Only (Unless Explicitly Stated)**

Unless explicitly stated otherwise:

- **No shipping of wine or spirits is available**
  - Buyer must arrange lawful pickup and transport
  - Auctioneer assumes **no responsibility** for temperature exposure, breakage, or condition after auction close
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#### **8. Risk of Loss**

Risk of loss transfers to the buyer at the **close of auction**. Auctioneer is not responsible for condition changes due to handling, environmental exposure, or transport after sale.

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#### **9. Resale & Licensing Responsibility**

Buyer acknowledges that resale of alcoholic beverages may require proper licensing. Auctioneer makes **no representation** that any item may be legally resold and assumes **no liability** related to resale restrictions.

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#### **10. No Claims or Chargebacks**

Condition, authenticity, fill level, leakage, cork failure, oxidation, or drinkability **shall not be grounds** for non-payment, dispute, or chargeback.

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#### **11. Age Verification and Bid Removal**



Bidding on wine or spirits constitutes certification that the bidder is **21 years of age or older**. If age cannot be verified upon request, Huisman Auctions reserves the right to **remove bids, cancel the sale, refuse payment, and restrict or suspend the bidder's account** without liability.

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## **12. Indemnification**

Buyer agrees to **indemnify and hold harmless** Huisman Auctions, the estate, and their agents from any claims, damages, liabilities, or losses arising from possession, transport, resale, or consumption of alcoholic beverages.

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## **ACCEPTANCE**

Participation in the auction constitutes full acceptance of this Wine & Spirits Addendum and the Auctioneer's Terms & Conditions.