CHAMPAGNE *Michel Fagot*

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE

- **Retention of Title Clause** : "The goods delivered shall remain the property of the sender until full payment of their price by the buyer, who undertakes not to dispose of the goods, resell them or use them before the effective payment of their price."

- **Payment Terms** : "All amounts due must be paid by the due date indicated on the invoice, net and without discount. In the event of late payment, in accordance with Article L. 441-6 of the French Commercial Code, a penalty calculated at three times the statutory interest rate in force shall be payable, together with a fixed compensation fee of €40 for recovery costs."

- **Delivery and Transportation of Goods – Risks and Shipping Costs** : "The wines are transported at the recipient's own risk. We recommend checking the number and contents of the cartons upon delivery, even if they appear to be in good condition. In the event of any delivery irregularity, the recipient is responsible for making the customary reservations with the carrier, who shall be solely responsible. No guarantee is provided against the consequences of frost or improper storage."

- **Waiver of the Right to Taste Before Purchase** : "By the mere act of placing an order with us, buyers expressly waive the benefit of Article 1587 of the French Civil Code."

- **Jurisdiction in the Event of Disputes** : "In the event of a dispute, the Commercial Court of Reims shall have exclusive jurisdiction."

- **Delivery Delays Beyond the Seller's Control** : "Adverse weather conditions, such as snow or severe thunderstorms, transport strikes or the absence of order confirmation constitute delivery delays beyond the seller's control and shall not give rise to any liability on the seller's part."

- **Holder of the unique ADEME identification number** (French Agency for the Environment and Energy Management): FR246127_01QEKR.

ADVICE

- **Champagne Storage Advice** : "Champagne should be stored lying down in a cool place, away from light. The preservation of its effervescence depends on maintaining this constant bottle position. We use premium-quality cork stoppers and, if after a certain period of time in the bottle they no longer return to their original shape, this does not affect the quality of the **Champagne."**

- **Champagne Serving Advice** : "SERVE CHAMPAGNE CHILLED but not ice-cold. The ideal temperature is between 6°C and 8°C. Avoid prolonged storage in the refrigerator, as this may impair the taste of the wine. Instead, use an ice bucket half-filled with ice and water."