

James D. Julia Announces the Matching \$5 for \$5 NRA Foundation Donation

A portion of the late Mr. Bruce Stern's firearms collection was included in our March 2008 auction. Mr. Stern was a passionate collector and staunch supporter of our 2nd Amendment Rights to collect, shoot and bear arms. As proof of his staunch beliefs, he was a very active member of the NRA and recently his wife and family made a significant donation to the NRA in memory of Mr. Stern. In support of Mr. Stern's strong beliefs, James D. Julia has announced a new \$5 for \$5 Pledge to benefit the NRA Foundation.

In 2004, after handling the renowned Eldon Owens firearms collection, we learned of the Owens commitment to the NRA via a significant donation from his estate. At that time, moved by his conviction, we made a pledge to the NRA Foundation to donate \$100,000. We are pleased and proud to announce that this pledge has been fulfilled and there is now a special fund whose proceeds will be used in perpetuity for the sole purpose of educating youth in shooting firearms skills and safety. It is the firm belief of James D. Julia Auctioneers that if we wish to continue to possess, collect, shoot and handle firearms it is going to be imperative that we continue to fight for our rights. The NRA works hard at generating monies to deal with the various anti-gun legislation that we are continually confronted with but money alone is not the answer. It is our sincere belief that we also must continually maintain and increase

a constituency of interested citizens who wish to continue to collect, handle and shoot firearms. To that extent we have designated that our fund be to continually encourage youth interest in guns and shooting sports.

James D. Julia has made an additional pledge to the NRA Foundation. Each time we sell a firearm, we will make a suggestion to buyers for a donation of \$5 to the NRA Foundation and for any customer who makes a donation James D. Julia Auctioneers will match up to \$5 per gun to be donated to the NRA Foundation. If you wish to donate less than \$5, we will match that amount. If you wish to donate more than \$5 per gun, we will match up to \$5.

After the auction and the donation is made from this auction, we will send a notice to everyone that has participated advising them of what the total donation was. The donation will go to the special fund mentioned above, which we have already begun in the NRA Foundation. Please consider joining us in supporting this very worthy endeavor. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Jim and Sandy Julia

Notice Regarding Transfer of Modern Firearms

All modern firearms will be noted with an asterisk (*) at the beginning of the description and may be purchased and taken possession of using one of the following options:

- 1. Hand Guns:** Non-resident buyers of hand guns must first pay for the lot before leaving the facilities. Then after returning home, make arrangements with a local firearms dealer in their resident state to send to us a copy of the firearms dealers FFL license. Upon receipt of the copy of their license, we can package and ship (at buyer's expense) the hand guns to the dealer. This is a federal law and must be complied with regardless of what state you come from. Please allow four weeks for delivery. Any hand gun subject to this condition is so noted at the beginning of the description. Modern hand guns can only be delivered to a Federal Firearms Licensed dealer or to a private individual resident of the State of Maine who may take possession immediately after filing an ATF form 4473 and completing the NICS background check successfully.
- 2. Long Guns:** Both residents and non-residents may take immediate possession of modern long arms by first paying, then filing an ATF form 4473 and completing the NICS background check successfully.
- 3. Antique Guns:** May be purchased and picked up day of sale by anyone, resident or non-resident.
- 4. Special Note:** In most cases, the process will take 2-3 minutes to approve or deny. Exceptions may take up to 3 days. For further information, you may contact the NICS information line at 304-625-2750 or view the information on the website at www.fbi.gov/program/nics/index.htm.

Shipping: We would be happy to assist you with any of your shipping needs and can make arrangements for packing or crating of any of your lots and can ship by one of several methods. There is a charge for the packaging and/or crating. All shipping and insurance costs are borne by the buyer. Please allow 3 to 4 weeks for delivery, after payment. If you have any further questions regarding shipping, please contact our office.

Warning: Neither James D. Julia auctioneers, their consignors, employees or agents warrant the safety or the shootability of any firearm in this catalog. All firearms in this catalog are sold as collector items. If you wish to attempt to shoot them you must have the weapons examined by a competent gunsmith who will test the weapon for its shootability and also to ensure that the caliber of the breech is in fact the caliber that is thought to be. Since all firearms in this catalog are sold as collector items, they are not examined, tested or warranted by James D. Julia's consignor, employees, or agents. Please be sure that if you attempt to fire the gun, you have it properly checked for safety by a competent gunsmith.

James D. Julia, Inc. Policy on Class III Firearms

Collecting Class III Weapons can be a very enjoyable and rewarding experience. In the United States, many but not all citizens of the U.S. have the right to purchase and own machine guns. This is true in most states of the United States but not all states. It is your specific responsibility to determine your right to own and possess a Class III weapon before you bid on it. **Once you have bid on a lot and won it, you are responsible for payment of that lot, regardless of whether you can own it or not.** If you have purchased a lot and later find out that because of the state you live in or for other reasons that you cannot personally own it yourself, you will still be required to pay for the object and we will obviously have to sell it for you again at a future sale.

All buyers of Class III items must pay for their purchases immediately. Then, subject to federal law, the guns must be properly registered and transferred in compliance with BATFE rules. This procedure normally takes a matter of a few months. As per the conditions of our sale in the front of the auction catalog, all warranties regarding items in this catalog expire 45 days after the auction, once we have paid the consignor. Subsequently, if you have successfully purchased a Class III item, it is your responsibility to examine it or to have someone examine it for you immediately, within those 45 days. If a problem is discovered after 45 days there is absolutely nothing we can do about it. We cannot make adjustments or cancel the sale. Also please understand that if for any reason you cannot get cleared by BATFE to obtain the right to take possession of the firearm you purchased, that we will have to sell the gun for you at a future auction. Without appropriate transfer you cannot take possession of the firearm. If there are any questions regarding this, please do not hesitate to contact us prior to bidding on any Class III items. There are no exceptions to the above rules. Please bear that in mind before you bid on Class III items.

First and foremost, All NFA Rules Apply. *All Class III firearms must be registered and properly transferred in compliance with BATFE rules.* Class III Firearms we may be dealing with include the following; Machine Guns (**MG**), (Transferable, Pre-86 Dealer Samples and Post-86 Dealer Samples), Silencers, Destructive Devices (**DD**), Short Barreled Rifles (**SBR**), Short Barreled Shotguns (**SBS**) and Any Other Weapon (**A.O.W.**). If you are an individual who resides in an area where these firearms are legal, you may bid on these items. You are responsible for knowing your State and Local laws.

In order to complete the purchase of a Class III Firearm to a nonlicensed individual, you will need 2 passport photos, 2 sets of fingerprints, 1 ATF Form 5330.20 Certificate of Compliance and the appropriate BATFE Form completed in duplicate, including the signature of your local Chief Law Enforcement Officer. James D. Julia, Inc will supply all the proper forms upon acceptance of your winning bid. If there are any State or local forms required you will be responsible for obtaining these. Regardless of the specific type of Class III Firearm, completing the transfer to an individual usually takes approximately 90 days from the time they receive the completed paperwork. Transfer to a licensed dealer (FFL/SOT) is usually approximately 30 days.

If you are a non-licensed individual the BATFE transfer fee for all NFA firearms (Machine Gun, Destructive Device, Silencer, Short Barreled Rifle, and Short Barreled Shotgun) is \$200.00 with the exception of those narrowly classified as Any Other Weapon (AOW) which has a transfer fee of \$5.00. AOWs may include pen-guns, cane guns, and certain pistols with vertical front pistol grips. These fees must be paid to James D. Julia, Inc. before any transfer paperwork can be submitted to BATFE as well as any other outstanding balances related to your Class III firearm purchase.

As of the publishing of this catalog, it is our understanding (but you must confirm for yourself) that, *silencers are legal for private ownership* in the following states: AL, AR, AK, AZ, CO, CT, FL, GA, ID, IN, KY, LA, ME, MD, MS, MT, NE, NV, NH, NM, NC, ND, OH, OK, OR, PA, SC, SD, TN, TX, UT, VA, WA, WV, WI and WY. Silencers may be owned by Class III licensed dealers and Class II manufacturers (*but not individuals*) in: CA, IA, KS, MA, MO, and MI. It is also our understanding (but you must confirm for yourself) that *Machine Guns may not easily be owned (if at all) by individuals* in CA, DE, HI, IL, IA, KS, MI, NC, NJ, NY, RI and WA. There are some "special" exceptions in a few of these states that are "rarely issued" so while it is possible, this list should be a general rule. Please look into your own particular state law ahead of time when contemplating a bid. For more specific ownership information on NFA firearms, please visit the website of the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives directly at www.atf.gov

If you are an individual (Non FFL/SOT) and reside in the State of Maine we can transfer the firearms to you directly on an approved BATF Form 4 (subject to above rules) if you are the winning bidder. If you are an individual who resides in another State we will need to transfer the Class III firearm to a Class III Dealer in your State to complete the transfer with you. Please understand that there is usually an additional fee from this third party for them to handle your transfer.

Not all Class III may be purchased by individuals and most specifically, anything termed as a "**Dealer sample machine gun**" can only be sold to valid Class III dealers. If you are not a Class III dealer, you cannot purchase what is referred to as a Dealer Sample. Be positive you do not bid on any Dealer Sample in our catalog. All Dealer Samples in our catalog are clearly designated and most of them have been grouped together with a designation at the beginning of the title with three asterisks (***) and the initials "DS" as well as the words "Dealer Sample" in the title. If you have any question as to whether the lot is a Dealer Sample or not, please be sure to check with us. **You MUST BE A CLASS III DEALER (01/SOT or 07/SOT) to place a bid on any Dealer Sample Machine Guns.** *If you are not an FFL holder AND a Special Occupational Taxpayer, please do not bid on any of the Dealer Sample Machine Guns. BATFE will NOT transfer them to you.* If you are not a dealer and wish to purchase a machine gun, please make certain the firearm you are bidding on is a transferable machine gun and not listed specifically as a dealer sample.

Remember, it is your responsibility prior to the purchase to make certain that you may legally purchase and possess a machine gun.

Special Note: We wish to publicly credit and thank two special people for assisting our staff in cataloging and research for some of the Class III weapons: John Keene a Master Sergeant in the Maine National Guard and veteran of the Iraq War and Dr. Edwin Libby. John is a collector and enthusiastic scholar of Class III weapons. Dr. Libby is also a collector and a well known scholar on Japanese machine guns and other Japanese weapons.