

'Buy Now' for Fine Instruments, Live Now

Tarisio launches 'Buy Now' instantaneous purchase option for online auctions

Tarisio – the leading fine instrument auction house – is announcing a new *Buy Now* feature, allowing buyers to purchase select lots instantaneously, at a fixed price, in advance of the bidding process. Having developed this functionality over the summer, Tarisio's October 2014 London auction is the first time it is being used in a sale and the *Buy Now* option has just been released live.

Buy Now is Tarisio's latest innovation to its online auction platform. Back in 2013, Tarisio introduced First in, Last out (FILO) allowing the bidder who is both the first and last on a lot, to pay a reduced buyer's premium. As a result of the introduction of FILO, there has been on average 10.9% of total sale bids received on the first day compared to 0.78% before its introduction.

Buy Now has the same reduced premium as FILO (18% on the first £100,000 and 13% thereafter), and is available for select lots only. Buy Now lots can be purchased until regular bidding opens on Friday 17 October at 11am GMT – or until someone else clicks Buy Now first!