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Mr.
Jens-Uwe Witter
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Dear Mr. Witter,

Congratulations on the 2. Edition of your “Piano Encyclopaedia”. Your significant work will have a major impact on all people working in the field of key instruments. This will mean recognition not only by piano makers and musicologists but also by artisans all over the world.

With your book you made possible to continue the tradition of the “world-address-book” written by Paul de Wit (last edition 1929). I don’t have any knowledge about anybody but you to have done such major work. This needs to be recognized and honored and I hope, that you will continue not only in Europe; especially the United States of America with its long tradition of piano making should be researched. The results should be published as soon as possible. As a piano maker and author of the “Piano Encyclopaedia” you have made a major contribution of significance to our field. You put yourself under pressure to continue working on “the World of pianos”. For your future work I`d like to wish you as much success as possible.

Sincerely Yours

MAX MATTHIAS
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