

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE

DON GIOVANNI COSI GRANDE TWO TIME ZONES

### INTRODUCTION

e congratulate you on having chosen a watch from the prestigious RAYMOND WEIL collection: the Don Giovanni Così Grande Two Time Zones, for the modern day globetrotter.

Apart from the practical advantages of the GMT function, with this new Don Giovanni Così Grande model, RAYMOND WEIL has succeeded in marrying its watchmaking know-how attractively with an entirely contemporary design.

The dial, divided into two, reflects the collection's purity and sobriety on its lower part, while the use of Arabic numerals on its upper segment, together with the simplicity of the hour display, adds a modern touch.

With the applique numbers and indexes, not to mention the blue-coloured steel screws, RAYMOND WEIL expresses a whole watchmaking tradition through its design, even further emphasised by two openings to enable one to admire the detail of the mechanism.

In the same way, on the reverse side of the watch, a transparent sapphire crystal case back reveals the perfection of the mechanical movement with its particularly painstaking finish, including the magnificent circular-grained bridges and the decoration on the rotor with the traditional "Côtes de Genève" motif.

### ABOUT GMT

The system of GMT (Greenwich Mean Time) is the average time that the Earth takes to rotate from noon-to-noon.

It subdivides the world into 25 time zones, each of 15° of longitude, as measured East and West from the Prime Meridian at Greenwich, England.

Starting from the Greenwich Meridian, at  $0^{\circ}$  longitude, there are 12 time zones in each direction, from +1 to +12 hours to the East, and from -1 to -12 to the West.

GMT is therefore the basis of every world time zone and sets current time or official time around the globe. It is fixed all year and does not switch to daylight savings time.

## YOUR RAYMOND WEIL TIMEPIECE

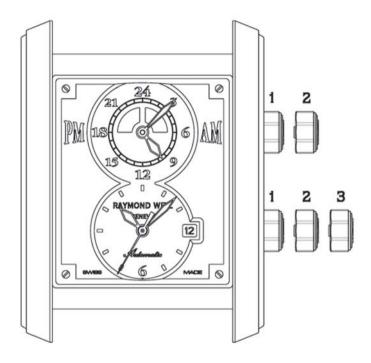
The GMT function of the Don Giovanni Così Grande Two Time Zones enables the local time and the time in another country to be read simultaneously.

Based on ETA mechanical movement calibre 2671 with automatic winding, the Don Giovanni Così Grande Two Time Zones is fitted with an adaptation developed exclusively for RAYMOND WEIL.

While still vibrating 28'800 times each hour with a power reserve of 38 hours, the adapted movement powers both the 12-hour dial with central second hand and date, and the 24-hour second time zone dial.

The local time zone is adjusted by means of the lower crown, while the second 24-hour time zone is adjusted thanks to a special gear system via the upper crown.

# CHANGING THE DATE AND SETTING THE TIME



#### UPPER CROWN

- 1 Normal position
- 2 Correction of GMT

#### LOWER CROWN

- 1 Normal or winding position
- 2 Rapid date change
- 3 Time-setting

#### CHANGING THE DATE

In order to adjust the date rapidly, pull the lower crown out to position 2 and turn it clockwise until the desired date appears in the window. The date changes as the hour hand passes midnight. During this operation, your watch will continue to function and so will not need to be reset.

#### SETTING THE TIME

In order to adjust the local time, pull the lower crown out to position 3 and turn it clockwise or anti-clockwise until the hands indicate the desired time. The single movement keeps the two zones permanently in phase when wound clockwise. If wound anti-clockwise, the minute hands should be rewound clockwise again for at least a half dial rotation, to ensure they are once more fully synchronised.

To adjust the second time zone, pull the upper crown out to position 2 and turn it clockwise or anti-clockwise until the hands indicate the desired time. Adjustment is only effected at the hourly level and does not take the minutes into account.

After finishing all your changes, always push the crown back in to position 1, in order to preserve your watch's water-resistance.

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