

# THE HOUNDS OF SPRING

B♭ Contrabass Clarinet

A Concert Overture for Winds

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(1980)

Allegro con brio

98 **Molto moderato ed espressivo**  
*p*

106  
*mp*

114 **Broadly (but with motion)**  
*f molto sonore* *poco a poco cresc.*

121 *f* *mf* *mp* *p*

allarg. 135 **A tempo (Broadly)**  
*poco a poco cresc.* *ff* *f*

141 *calmato* *p* *sempre p* *molto ritard.*

(lunga) 149 **Tempo I° (Allegro con brio)** 157 170  
*ppp* *mfz*

1 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8  
*mf* *cresc.* *f* *marc.* *cresc.*

186  
*sfz > mp cresc.* *ff*

1  
*marc.*

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199

1

208

Soli

mp

2

mp

p

221

mf

f

1

1

1

1

dim.

236

p

244

7

252

f (molto sost.)

264

ff

271

ff sost.

4

sffz