## **GSI BURN – ADDENDUM TO USER'S MANUAL: EXTERNAL FOOTSWITCH**

This document explains how to connect an existing 3<sup>rd</sup> party dual footswitch to the BURN. Two types of footswitches can be found, some have "momentary" pushbuttons, others have "latched" on/off buttons. If using latched buttons, you must make sure that they are of type SPDT (Single Pole Double Throw). Preferably, these must also be of type "Break before make", a kind of switch that breaks all contacts between poles before making contact with a pole, all most common switches are of this type.

## The following schematic shows the wiring of a footswitch with two MOMENTARY pushbuttons.



PLEASE NOTE: when using this kind of footswitch, you must set the option [MIDI] SPEED TYP to LATCHED because the accessory uses momentary switches, and the latching must be made by the software.

## The following schematic shows the wiring of a footswitch with two LATCHED SPDT switches.



PLEASE NOTE: when using this kind of footswitch, you must set the option [MIDI] SPEED TYP to MOMENTARY because the latching is already done by the external accessory.

## IMPORTANT: In order to enable the use of an external footswitch, remember to activate the EXT button.