

MOTHBALLING GUIDE



GUIDE FOR SHORT OR LONG TERM MOTHBALLING OF A COMMERCIAL REFRIGERATOR/FREEZER OR HEATED CABINET



1

DISCONNECT POWER SUPPLY

Completely disconnect (i.e. unplug if possible) the unit from power. If hardwired turn off the power at the circuit breaker and follow proper Lockout/Tagout procedures.



2

INSPECT GASKETS

Open the door(s) and inspect the gasket(s). Clean and/or replace as necessary.



3

REMOVE INTERIOR ARRANGEMENTS

Remove all interior arrangements and wash (but do not sanitize to prevent corrosion) in conformance with local Health Department requirements and allow to air dry.



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CLEAN INTERIOR SURFACES

Thoroughly clean all interior surfaces using a soft, non-abrasive cloth and a mixture of warm water and baking soda (mixed to a 1 tbsp baking soda to 1 pint water ratio).



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CLEAN CONDENSER COIL

Lift the louver assembly and clean the condenser coil by using a stiff bristled pot brush to remove any accumulated debris, then wipe or vacuum away (refrigerators and freezers only).



6

REMOVE WATER FROM CONDENSATE EVAPORATOR PAN

Remove any water and/or debris from the condensate evaporator pan (refrigerators and freezers only).



7

LEAVE DOORS OPEN

Leave the door(s) open for the duration of the out-of-service time.



8

WIPE EXTERIOR SURFACES

Wipe down all exterior surfaces using a soft, non-abrasive cloth and a warm water and mild soap mixture (do not use bleach or other harsh cleansers).

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