



## **SUPPORT**

# **Overhead Heaters**

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#### **WHAT and WHY**

- ➤ A recent incident involving overhead heaters could have resulted in serious injury and/or major property damage. All overhead heaters must be visually inspected and have some preventative maintenance performed.
- The stores' Safety Leaders will conduct an initial visual inspection of their overhead heaters.
- You will receive notification from stores that believe it is necessary to shut a heater down.

### **ACTION**

#### Warehouse Adjustment Manager or Maintenance Manager:

\*\* If a Safety Leader identifies a rusted heating tube, the heating unit will be shut down (lock out/tag out) and temporary heat may be needed at that location.

- Perform a visual inspection of each overhead heater
  - Check thermostat for each unit
  - Check for "set screws"
  - Check that all reflectors are connected in-line
  - Look for rusted and/or bent heating tubes
  - Observe all chains. Note if any are loosely attached or attached at an angle
- Complete the needed repairs:
  - "Thermostat" ENSURE functionality, connections and mounting.
  - "Set Screws" **INSTALL** set screws into each coupling. \**If screws are in place, make sure they are secure and in good condition (replace if necessary).*
  - "Reflectors" INSTALL connectors
  - "Pipe Corrosion" **REPLACE** the rusted tube. \*If rust was observed by the Safety Leader, the unit may be shut down.
  - "Chain Attachments" ADJUST/CORRECT (if possible)

#### \*\* Also refer to instructions in iAuditor

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### **FINAL STEP**

\*Please be sure you have the latest version of iAuditor downloaded.

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