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# ATTENTION BURNTECH FIREPLACE INSTALLER: THIS NOTICE MUST BE PLACED IN THE HEARTH OF THE FIREPLACE FOR THE HOMEOWNER! FAILURE TO DO SO WILL VOID THE BURNTECH WARRANTYAND COULD CREATE A POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS CONDITION 

## BURNTECH MODULAR FIREPLACE START UP CURING INSTRUCTIONS:

Burntech Fireplace's require a specific curing process prior to normal useage. Doing so will help to minimize shrinkage cracks in the mortar and in the fireplace components. Please follow the curing process as described below prior to normal use of your Burntech Fireplace.

First Lighting - After construction is completed, all elements of the fireplace and chimney system must be completely dry. This means that the unit must stand without any firing for a minimum of 28 days. The first fire must be small and well-controlled, started with a small amount of kindling. Add no more than eight pounds of wood, preferably small logs not more than 3" (three inches) in diameter. Do not let the fire burn for more than one hour.

Second Lighting - Start the fire slowly and gradually as you did with the first lighting, but this time you can burn up to ten pounds of firewood, probably four to five logs that are 3" (three inches) in diameter. With the second lighting you can let the fire burn two hours - no more.

After First and Second Lighting - When the fireplace has been properly cured with 1st and 2nd lighting, you will be able to add a full fuel load to the Fireplace which is about 10 to 15 pounds of firewood at any given time.

