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Installation and Maintenance Manual

Please retain this manual for future reference.

1800B(L)

Construction Heater









NRTL ANSI Z83.7 CONST. HTR

For your safety: Do not use this heater in a space where gasoline or other liquids having flammable vapors are stored.

CONSTRUCTION HEATER GENERAL HAZARD WARNING:

Failure to comply with the precautions and instructions provided with this heater, can result in death, serious bodily injury and property loss or damage from hazards of fire, explosion, burn, asphyxiation, carbon monoxide poisoning, and/or electrical shock.

Only persons who can understand and follow the instructions should use or service this heater.

If you need assistance or heater information such as an instruction manual, labels, etc., contact your local Heat Wagon dealer or the manufacturer.

WARNING

Fire, burn, inhalation, and explosion hazard. Keep solid combustibles, such as building materials, paper or cardboard, a safe distance away from the heater as recommended by the instructions. Never use the heater in spaces which do or may contain volatile or airborne combustibles, or products such as gasoline, solvents, paint thinner, dust particles or unknown chemicals.

Never Use The Heater In Spaces Which Are Not Sufficiently Sized Or Ventilated For The Heater Being Utilized.

Not for home or recreational vehicle use!

IMPORTANT INFORMATION! READ FIRST

The heater is designed for use as a construction heater under ANSI Z83.7a-1993. Heater is not intended for use in pest remediation. The primary purpose of construction heaters is to provide temporary heating of buildings under construction, alteration, or repair and to provide emergency heat. Properly used, the heater provides safe, economical heating. Products of combustion are vented into the area being heated.

The heater **IS NOT** designed as an Unvented Gas Fired Room Heater under ANSI-Z21.11.2 and **SHOULD NOT** be used in the home.

ANSI A119.2(NFPA 501C)-1987 Recreational Vehicle Standard prohibits the installation or storage of LP-gas containers even temporarily inside any recreational vehicle. The standard also prohibits the use of Unvented Heaters in such vehicles.

NFPA-58 1989 STANDARD FOR THE STORAGE AND HANDLING OF LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GASES AND THE NATURAL GAS AND PROPANE INSTALLATION CODE, CSA B149.1

Use of the heater must be in accordance with this Standard and in compliance with all governing state and local codes. Storage and handling of propane gas and propane cylinders must be in accordance with standard for the storage and handling of liquified petroleum gases, ANSI/NFPA 58 and CSA B149.1, natural gas and propane installation code and all local governing codes.

We cannot anticipate every use which may be made for our heaters. CHECK WITH YOUR LOCAL FIRE SAFETY AUTHORITY IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT LOCAL REGULATIONS.

Other standards govern the use of fuel gases and heat producing products in specific applications. Your local authority can advise you about these.

FOR YOUR SAFETY

DO NOT USE THIS HEATER IN A SPACE WHERE GASOLINE OR OTHER LIQUIDS HAVING FLAMMABLE VAPORS ARE STORED OR USED.

Installation and Maintenance Manual Model 1800B(L) Construction Heater

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WARRANTY

All new Heat Wagon and Sure Flame heaters and fans are guaranteed against defective materials and work-manship for one (1) year from invoice date.

Warranty repairs may be made only by an authorized, trained and certified Heat Wagon dealer. Warranty repairs by other entities will not be considered. Warranty claims must include model number and serial number.

LIMITATIONS

Warrant claims for service parts (wear parts) such as spark plugs, igniters, flame rods will not be allowed. Diagnostic parts such as voltage meters and pressure gauges are not warrantable.

Evidence of improper fuel usage, fuel pressures outside of manufacturer's specification, poor fuel quality, and improper electric power, misapplication or evidence of abuse may be cause for rejection of warranty claims.

Travel time, mileage and shipping charges will not be allowed. Minor adjustments of heaters are dealers' responsibility. Defective parts must be tagged and held for possible return to the factory for 60 days from date of repair. The factory will provide a return goods authorization, (RGA) for defective parts to be returned.

No warranty will be allowed for parts not purchased from Heat Wagon.



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DESIGN RELATED SAFETY FEATURES

1) FLAME FAILURE

The electronic safeguard control shuts off the gas supply in .8 seconds if flame is lost to prevent raw gas from leaving the heater.

2) OVERHEATING

The totally enclosed motor is protected by a manual reset thermal overload. A high temperature limit switch is mounted in the control box.

3) COMPLETE VISUAL/SELF DIAGNOSIS LIGHTS

4) BLOCKED AIR SUPPLY

An airflow switch detects the differential pressure in the combustion chamber and shuts off the gas flow when airflow is insufficient.

5) LOCKING GAS SELECTOR LEVER

To avoid over firing of the heater and damage to property, make sure the lever is locked in position when using propane.

6) LOW SHELL TEMPERATURE

The Model 1800B(L) is designed with a burner heat shield to keep the outside shell cool for added safety in the work place.

7) DURABLE CONSTRUCTION

The Model 1800B(L) uses a heavy gauge steel housing and a stainless steel burner for long life and consistent performance.

NOTE: In order to maintain the highly efficient combustion of the heater, the combustion chamber must remain as manufactured. Any change or distortion could alter the fuel/air mixture and create excessive products of combustion.

SPECIFICATIONS

Model No. 1800B & 1800BL

Designed to ANSI Z83.7-1993 Standard Construction Heater

Gases: Natural or Propane

Capacity: 750,000 Btu/h maximum, 450,000 Btu/h minimum

Orifice Size: 36 DMS (x18) Blower: 4,200 CFM

Electrical Rating: 120V 60Hz 15 amps, single phase

Minimum Temperature Rating: Minus 20 degrees F

Gas Supply:	Inlet Pressur	re	Hi Fire	Lo Fire
	Max PSI	Min PSI	W.C.	W.C.
Propane	60 lbs.	2	8.25"	3"
Natural Gas	60 lbs.	2	8"	3"

(Minimum inlet pressure as low as 9.5" W.C. can be achieved by removing 2nd stage 40SV06 regulator)

Inlet Connection: Maximum Duct Length Straight: 50 ft @ 20" diameter

Model 1800BL 1/4" FNPT

Model 1800B 3/4" FNPT Weight (approximate): 200 lbs.



INSTALLATION

The Heat Wagon Model 1800B(L) is a direct fired gas heater intended to be used primarily for the temporary heating of building under construction, alteration, or repair. Since all the products of combustion are released into the area being heated, it is imperative that adequate ventilation is provided. The flow of supply air and combustion gases must not be obstructed in any way.

1. The heater is designed for indoor or outdoor installation in a horizontal position. Allow the following clearances from any combustible material or fuel containers.

Front Outlet: 20 feet Sides: 2 feet Intake: 2 feet Top: 4 feet

Also make sure that no flammable vapors are present in the space where the heaters is being used.

- 2. The heater should be inspected before each use, and at least annually by a qualified service person.
- 3. The hose assembly must be inspected prior to each use of the heater. If it is evident that there is excessive abrasion or wear, or the hose is cut, it must be replaced prior to the heater being put into operation. The replacement hose assembly shall be that specified by the manufacturer.
- 4. When connecting the heater to a natural gas or propane supply line ensure that the pressure at the heater inlet is within the specified range. Excessive pressure over (14" W.C.) will damage the controls and void the warranty.
- 5. Connect the hose assembly to the heater gas inlet elbow. The 1800B elbow has a 3/4" female NPT thread, 1800BL elbow has a 1/4" female NPT thread. Use a minimum inside diameter of 1/2" on LP or 3/4" on natural gas installations. Ensure that the hose assembly is protected from traffic, building materials, and contact with hot surfaces.
- 6. After installation, check hose assembly for gas leaks by applying a soap and water solution to each connection.
- 7. Connect the heater to an adequate 120 volt electrical supply as specified on the rating plate. For protection against shock hazard the supply cord should be plugged directly into a properly grounded three-prong receptacle.

EXTENSION CORDS:

Properly Wired and Grounded Use #14 wire up to 100' Use #12 wire up to 200' Use #10 wire up to 300'

8. Replacement parts are available from any Heat Wagon distributor or by calling 1-888-432-8924 for parts information.

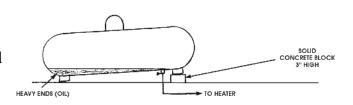


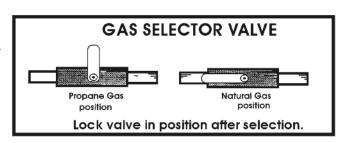
MODEL 1800B & 1800BL

PROPER SET UP:

Model 1800BL is a liquid withdrawal unit. This unit will use 8.25 gal of LP per hour. Use at least (1) 200 gal. withdrawal tank. This will insure 20 hours of continuous operation. Since the 1800B(L) is a Liquid Propane unit, it must be set up outside of the building. Use 3/8" or 1/2" LPG approved hose or copper tube.

Model 1800B is a Vapor Propane or Natural Gas unit. When using Propane (liquid or vapor) turn the fuel selector valve (located on the lower manifold) to the **Propane** position. When using **Natural Gas** turn the selector valve to the **Natural Gas** position. This unit can be set up indoors or out.





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VAPOR PROPANE QUICK REFERENCE HOSE CHART

	Hose	BI	U
	Length	750,0	000
	in Feet	1/2PSI	10PSI
(10 25 35 50 75 100 125 150 175 200 225	1 1-1/4 1-1/4 1-1/2 1-1/2 1-1/2 2 2 2 2	3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4 3/4

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NATURAL GAS QUICK REFERENCE HOSE CHART

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	Length	750,000			
	in Feet	<1PSI	1PSI	2PSI	5PSI
	10	1-1/2	1	3/4	3/4
	25	1-1/2	1	3/4	3/4
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	75	2	1-1/4	1	3/4
	100	2	1-1/4	. 1	3/4
	125	2	1-1/4	1-1/4	3/4
	150	2	1-1/4	1-1/4	3/4
	175	2	1-1/4	1-1/4	3/4
	200	2-1/2	1-1/4	1-1/4	3/4
	225	2-1/2	1-1/4	1-1/4	3/4

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VAPORIZATION RATES IN BTUH @ 0 DEG. F							
TANK SIZE	NUMBER OF TANKS MANIFOLDED	PERCENTAGE OF TANK FILLED					
		<u>10%</u>	<u>20%</u>	<u>30%</u>	<u>40%</u>	<u>50%</u>	<u>60%</u>
250							
	1	126,900	169,200	197,400	225,600	253,800	282,000
	2	279,180	372,240	434,280	496,320	558,360	620,400
	3	486,027	648,036	756,042	864,048	972,054	1,080,060
500		·	·				
	1	198,135	264,180	308,212	352,240	396,270	440,300
	2	435,897	581,196	687,066	774,928	871,794	968,660
	3	758,857	1,011,809	1,180,451	1,349,079	1,517,714	1,686,349
1000		·					-
	1	354,240	472,320	551,040	629,760	708,480	787,200
	2	779,328	1,039,104	1,212,288	1,385,472	1,558,656	1,731,840
	3	1,356,739	1,808,985	2,110,483	2,411,980	2,713,478	

NOTE: USE FOLLOWING MULTIPLIERS FOR OTHER AIR TEMPERATURES

For -10° F multiply x 0.50

For + 10°F multiply x 1.5

For +20°F multiply x 2.0

For +40°F multiply x 3.0

For +50°F multiply x 3.5

For +60°F multiply x 4.0



INSTALLATION USING A PROPANE SUPPLY TANK(S)

- 1) When installing the heater for use with propane gas, set the gas selector to "Propane" and lock in position.
- 2) The propane supply system must be set up for vapor withdrawal from the operating tank(s). Liquid Propane can cause the heater to overfire and will damage valve train components.
- 3) The heater must be located at least 6 ft from any LP-Gas container, and not directed toward any LP-Gas container within 20 ft.

4) Minimum Tank Size(vapor propane) Outdoor Temperature

500 Gal. Above +25°F 1000 Gal. +25°F to + 10° F 2 x 1000 Gal. Below +10°F

- 5) The installation must conform with local codes, or in the absence of local codes, with the Standard for Storage and Handling of Liquefied Petroleum Gasses ANSI/NFPA 58.
- 6) Turn off the propane supply valve at the tank(s) when the heater is not in use.
- 7) When the heater is to be stored indoors the propane tank(s) must be disconnected from the heater and the tank(s) stored in accordance with Chapter 5 of the above National Standard.

COMMON INSTALLATION AND OPERATIONAL PROBLEMS

1) LOW VOLTAGE AT THE HEATER

This is one of the most common problems and is usually the result of the supply cord having too small a wire gauge for its length, or low voltage at the power source. Low voltage results in the motor overheating, burnt relay contacts, or a relay that will not make contact. Check voltmeter before start-up.

- 2) SUPPLY LINE TOO SMALL See Reference Hose Chart page 6.
- 3) INSUFFICIENT VAPORIZATION AT SUPPLY Normally caused by undersized supply tank.
- 4) IMPROPER GAS SUPPLY PRESSURE

Usually a result of propane supply pressure being too high because of improper or lack of regulation or too low of natural gas pressure at meter.

- 5) DIRTY GAS SUPPLY OR AIR IN SUPPLY LINE
 - Dirty gas can cause strainers to plug or form a build-up in the burner orifice. Bleed line before tightening connections at heater duing install.
- 6) LACK OF PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE Heaters must be cleaned as required, especially when used in a dirty environment.
- 7) IMPROPER SUPPLY OF FRESH AIR
 It is strongly recommended that the intake air of the heater be taken from outside the enclosed area. This provides a slight pressurization and prevents any problems associated with recirculation of products of combustion.



ON-SITE SAFETY PROBLEMS

- 1) SHORTING OUT OF DEFECTIVE COMPONENTS
 - This is a very common problem which saves short term expense at the risk of a large future cost. Any heaters found in this condition should be removed immediately.
- 2) IMPROPER ENCLOSURES
 - When heaters are installed partially to the outside for fresh air intake, strict adherence must be made to the minimum clearance to combustibles given on the instruction plate. Wood framing around a heater can cause a safety hazard.
- 3) SUPPLYING LIQUID PROPANE TO HEATER NOT EQUIPPED WITH A BUILT IN VAPORIZER This problem has occurred upon initial start-up. To minimize the damage, shut off the gas supply and let the heater run until all of the liquid in the lines had been consumed.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1) Set the **gas selector valve** for fuel being used. Confirm incoming supply gas pressure.
- 2) Open **manual shut-off valve** on heater.
- 3) Connect power supply (120 volt). Check with a voltmeter to confirm full voltage.
- 4) **SLOWLY** open shut-off valve at gas meter or propane tank. Check for leaks, bleed air from supply hose at heater.
- 5) Push up the "ON" switch.
- 6) Set **thermostat** for desired room temperature.
- 7) To stop, turn **thermostat** down or push down the stop switch. (Burner will turn off; after 5 seconds fan will turn off.)
- 8) Close manual shut-off valve on heater.

NOTE: "FAN ONLY" switch must be in the Off position for Heat Mode.

NOTE: If the heater will be shut down over night, close valve at fuel supply first and burn all gas out of line.

The appliance area should be kept clear and free from combustible materials, gasoline, and other flammable vapors and liquids.

Ensure that the flow of supply air and combustion gases is not obstructed.

The installation and operation of the heater shall comply with the code requirements specified by the authorities having jurisdiction.

General criteria for the use of construction heaters may be found in the applicable sections of American National Standard A-10.10-1987, Safety Requirements for Temporary and Portable Space Heating Devises and Equipment Used in the construction industry.

THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE HEATER MUST BE ACCOMPLISHED BY A QUALIFIED SERVICE PERSON.

MODEL 1800B & 1800BL SEQUENCE OF COMPONENT OPERATION

1) POWER SUPPLY

Plug the heater into a 120 Volt grounded receptacle. Power is now at the 20 amp fuse and the 3 amp circuit breaker. Power light illuminates.

2) 20 AMP FUSE & 3 AMP BREAKER

If the circuit breaker and fuse are good there will be power at the thermostat and at the motor relay (normally open). Fuse light illuminates.

3) ON SWITCH

With the "ON" switch on, it sends power to the "OFF" switch and the control relay. (Normally open terminal and it's solenoid coil.)

4) CONTROL RELAY

After receiving power from the "OFF" switch, the relay closes, a loop between the 3amp breaker and the (NC) "OFF" Switch.

5) OFF SWITCH

Power is sent from "OFF" Switch to (L1) terminal of DSI control and the (COM) terminal of the thermostat.

6) THERMOSTAT

When the thermostat calls for heat there will be power at (TH) terminal of the DSI control and Air Flow Switch (COM) Terminal.

7) DSI CONTROL

Sends power from (IND) terminal to coil of the motor relay.

8) MOTOR RELAY

With its coil energized it closes its contacts, sending power to the fan motor.

9) FAN MOTOR

Turns the fan blade causing the air flow switch to close.

10) AIR FLOW SWITCH

Received its power from the thermostat and sends the power to the indicator light and the DSI control (PSW) terminal.

11) DSI CONTROL

Sends power from the (V1) post to the high limit.

12) HI TEMPERATURE LIMIT SWITCH

This switch has normally closed contacts, it sends power to the gas solenoid valves. Lo valve and Hi valve lights illuminate.

13) GAS SOLENOID VALVE

With the coil energized, the valve opens, gas passes through to the burner and ignites.

14) FLAME SAFEGUARD CONTROL

This is now sensing flame through the flamerod and the spark stops. The heater is operating.

15) THERMOSTAT

When it is satisfied, the contacts open taking power away from the (TH) terminal of the DSI control, the gas valve closes, and the built-in fan delay timer is activated.

16) BUILT-IN FAN DELAY TIMER ON DSI CONTROL

This will operate the fan motor for approximately 10 seconds and turns the fan off.



TROUBLE SHOOTING

DIRECTIONS: Find the specific **symptom**. refer to the **Sequence of component Operation Guide**. Check the components listed with a **voltmeter** for proper operation as described. Replace any components not operating correctly.

Fan will not start when ON switch & thermostat are ON.

• Check sequences 1 through 8 (Page 9).

Fan runs, no spark for ignition.

- Check sequences 10 and 11 (Page 9).
- Check continuity of igniter leads. Replace if shorted or broken.
- Check igniter for carbon buildup, gap spacing (1/8"), secure mounting.
- Replace spark plug if porcelain is cracked or if electrodes are rubbery.

Have spark but no flame.

- Check sequences 11, 12 and 13 (Page 9).
- Check for gas pressure on the manifold gauge, if gas is present clean the port holes in burner.

Flame occurs but burner locks out after a few seconds.

- Check the flame rod, if the porcelain is cracked or the electrode is rubbery, replace it.
- If the 1st step checks out, replace the DSI control.

Flame occurs but small.

- Verify supply pressure, hose diameter.
- Check proper pressure at manifold gauge. If yes:
 - A) Clean port holes in burner.
 - B) Check proper position of Gas selector valve (For Natural Gas).
- Not enough pressure at manifold gauge:
 - A) Check fuel supply.
 - B) Check strainer for restriction.
 - C) Check for restriction at high pressure regulator.
 - D) Check for restriction at solenoid valves.

Fan does not shut off when thermostat turns off burner.

• Fan should run for 10 to 15 seconds after burner shuts off. Replace DSI control if fan runs over 30 seconds.

Fan runs, no fuel or spark.

• Check to see if the Air Switch light is on, if not, clean or adjust the airflow switch.



CONTROL BOX TROUBLESHOOTING LIGHTS

LIGHT ON LIGHT OFF

POWER Power to Unit Check Power Source

FUSE Fuse Good Replace Fuse

MOTOR Power to Motor Relay No Power to Motor Relay

AIR SWITCH Switch Closed When No Power Going Through

Fan Running Good Switch - Switch Open Check & Adjust With

Fan Running

GAS LOW Thermostat calling for Check Thermostat

First Stage Heat and High Limit

GAS HIGH Thermostat calling High Heat Check Thermostat

BURNER FAILURE Failure to Light Burner No Problems

Check Ignitor and Flame Sensor

Check High Limit
Check Gas Pressure
Check Manifold Press

Check Manifold Pressure

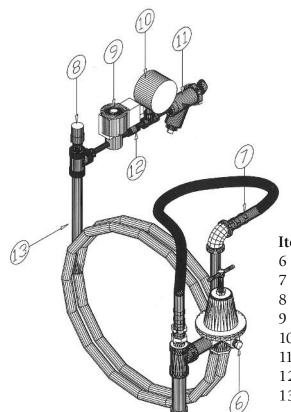
PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE

Heat Wagon Construction Heaters are built to withstand the rigors of operating on construction sites, for mining applications, and a multitude of other locations. To maintain the reliable performance required it is necessary to do a certain amount of regular maintenance.

- 1) CHECK POWER CORD
 - A. Insulation not frayed or cracked.
 - B. Ground peg is there on male end.
 - C. Polarity is correct (Black wire on fuse, white wire on neutral block).
- 2) CHECK ALL WIRING FOR PROPER CONNECTIONS
- 3) CHECK MOTOR RELAY
 - A. If it buzzes, clean contacts or replace.
 - B. Check for voltage drop through contacts, if its more than 2 volts replace.
- 4) CHECK AIR FLOW SWITCH
 - A. Blow out the inlet tube and negative pressure fitting.
 - B. Adjust the switch, light on control panel stays on if the heater is

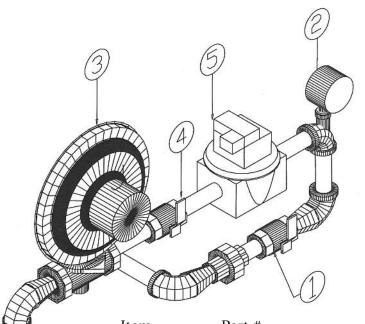
- 5) CLEAN THE BURNER
 - A. Clean out the port holes (gas outlet).
 - B. Clean air mixture holes.
- 6) CHECK IGNITER/SENSOR
 - A. Move sensor probe; if rubbery, replace.
 - B. If stiff; clean and regap igniter at 1/8".
- 7) CHECK FOR GAS LEAKS
 - A. Operate the heater, (with leak detector or soapy water) check all pipe connections for leaks.
- 8) TIGHTEN ALL BOLTS
 - A. Motor mounts
 - B. Fan blade
 - C. Burner mount
 - D. Pipe train mounts





MODEL 1800BL LIQUID PIPE TRAIN

Part #	Description
HWP HR1053	HIGH PRESSURE REGULATOR
HWP HV1042B	HOSE
HWP HV1039	SAFETY RELIEF VALVE
HWP HV1137	LIQUID PROPANE SOLENOID VALVE
HWP HV1060	LIQUID PRESSURE GAUGE
HWP HV1129	LIQUID STRAINER
HWP HV1123	MANUAL SHUT-OFF VALVE
HWP HV1140	COIL
	HWP HR1053 HWP HV1042B HWP HV1039 HWP HV1137 HWP HV1060 HWP HV1129 HWP HV1123

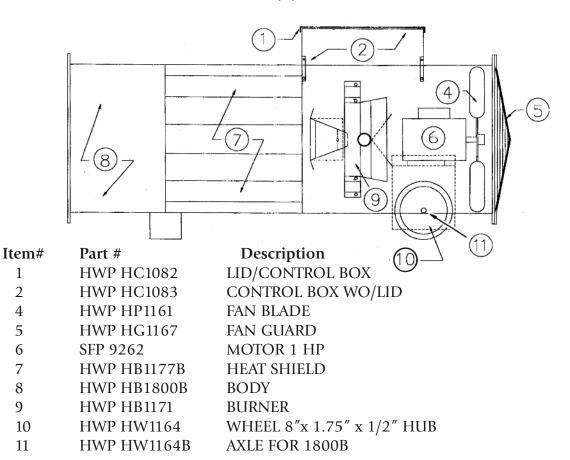


MODEL 1800B VAPOR PIPE TRAIN

<u>Item</u>	Part #	<u>Description</u>
1	HWP HV1160	1" Locking Gas Selector Valve
2	HWP HV1169	15" W.C. Low Pressure Gauge
3	HWP 40SV06	2nd Stage Regulator 3/4" x 1"
4	HWP HV1035	1" Ball Valve
5	SFP 4490	2nd Stage Regulator Valve



MODEL 1800B(L) PARTS BREAKDOWN



Accessories



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REGULATOR #HWP-HR1053



P-O-L FITTING TO **CONNECT TO** PROPANE SUPPLY #ACC-G1680



0-30 PSI **PRESSURE GAUGE** #HWP-HV1027



HIGH **TEMPERATURE DUCT** 950H #ACC-WD2425HT

1800B #ACC-WD2010UHT



GAS HOSE

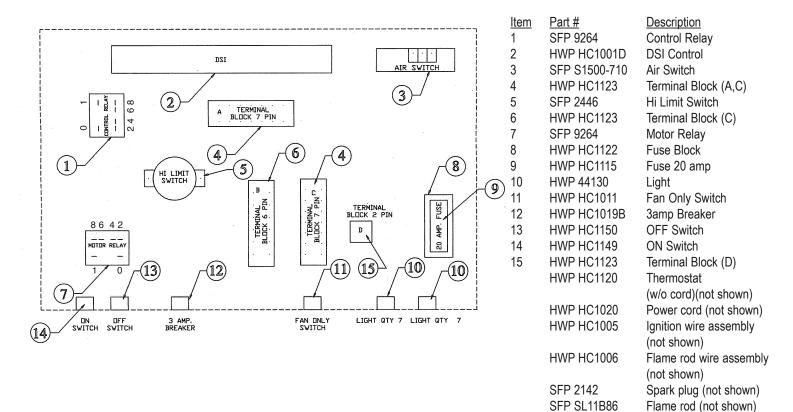
#ACC-7525 - 3/4" x 25' #ACC-7550 - 3/4" x 50' #ACC-1025 - 1" x 25' #ACC-1050 - 1" x 50'

CSA certified for NG and Propane

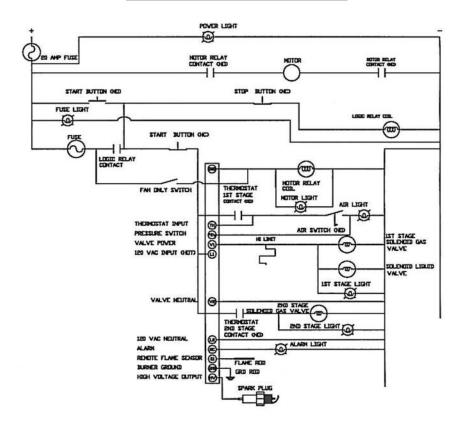
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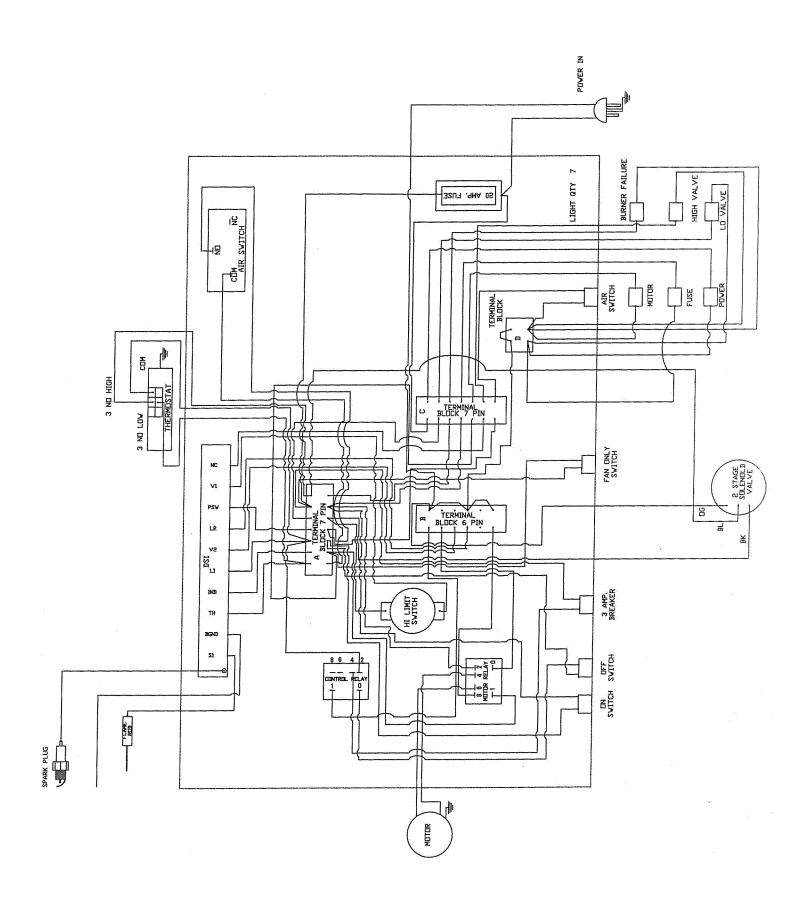
CONTROL BOX PARTS



MAIN CIRCUIT DIAGRAM









1800B CONTROL BOX WIRING

No Neutral Shown

