



PIONEER STATE MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY
INDOOR SOLID FUEL DEVICE (SFBF) SURVEY

Must be completed and attached (along with current photos) to any Solid Fuel Device Exposure

Name: _____ Policy# _____ Date _____

GENERAL INFO

- 1. Manufacturer _____
Model Name and Number _____
2. Listed by a recognized testing laboratory? Yes [] No []
If Yes, name of laboratory? _____
Minimum clearances as listed on the label _____
If No, do not bind coverage.
3. Age: _____ Estimated [] Actual []
4. Condition: Excellent [] Good [] Fair [] Poor []
5. Construction: Cast Iron or Plate Steel [] Sheet Metal []
6. Installed by: Contractor [] Manufacturer [] Owner []
If installed by other than manufacturer or contractor, risk is ineligible.
7. Is SFBF only source of heat? Yes [] No []
8. Where is the SFBF located? _____

INSTALLATION

- 1. Type of SFBF: Corn [] Pellet [] Wood [] Fireplace Insert []
If Space heating stove: Radiant [] Circulating []
Central Solid Fuel Furnace [] Add on unit attached to gas []
Add on unit attached to oil furnace [] Kit built barrel stove []
2. Unit Clearances: (Complete diagram on the back)
3. The walls in the area of the unit are:
Plaster, drywall, wood paneling, or Z brick over studs []
Brick or stone veneer over wood studs []
Solid concrete, block, brick or stone []
4. Describe the protective covering on the walls and ceilings:

5. Is the protective covering spaced 1" from the wall utilizing
Noncombustible spacers? Yes [] No []
6. The floor beneath the unit is: Combustible []
Noncombustible [] If combustible describe protective covering
(wood, other)

7. Has installation been approved by local building authority or
inspector for code compliance? Yes [] No []
If No, risk is ineligible

PROTECTION

- 1. Is someone on the premises whenever the unit is operating?
Yes [] No []
2. Does the residence have a fire extinguisher? Yes [] No []
Smoke alarm? Yes [] No []
3. Are ashes cleaned regularly? Yes [] No []
4. Are ashes placed in a covered metal container? Yes [] No []
5. Are ashes stored more than 25 feet from the dwelling?
Yes [] No []
6. Is vent pipe or chimney free of creosote deposits? Yes [] No []

CHIMNEY

- 1. Masonry [] Factory Built "all fuel" [] Other []
If masonry, does it have a fire liner? Yes [] No []
2. Total heating units connected to the same chimney? _____
If more than one, does each have a separate flue?
Yes [] No []
3. How often is the chimney cleaned? _____
Cleaned by: Contractor [] Owner []
4. Is vent pipe or chimney free of creosote deposits? Yes [] No []
5. Has there ever been a chimney fire? Yes [] No []
If Yes, has the chimney been inspected by a professional
since the fire? Yes [] No []

Name of Contractor _____

Date of Inspection _____

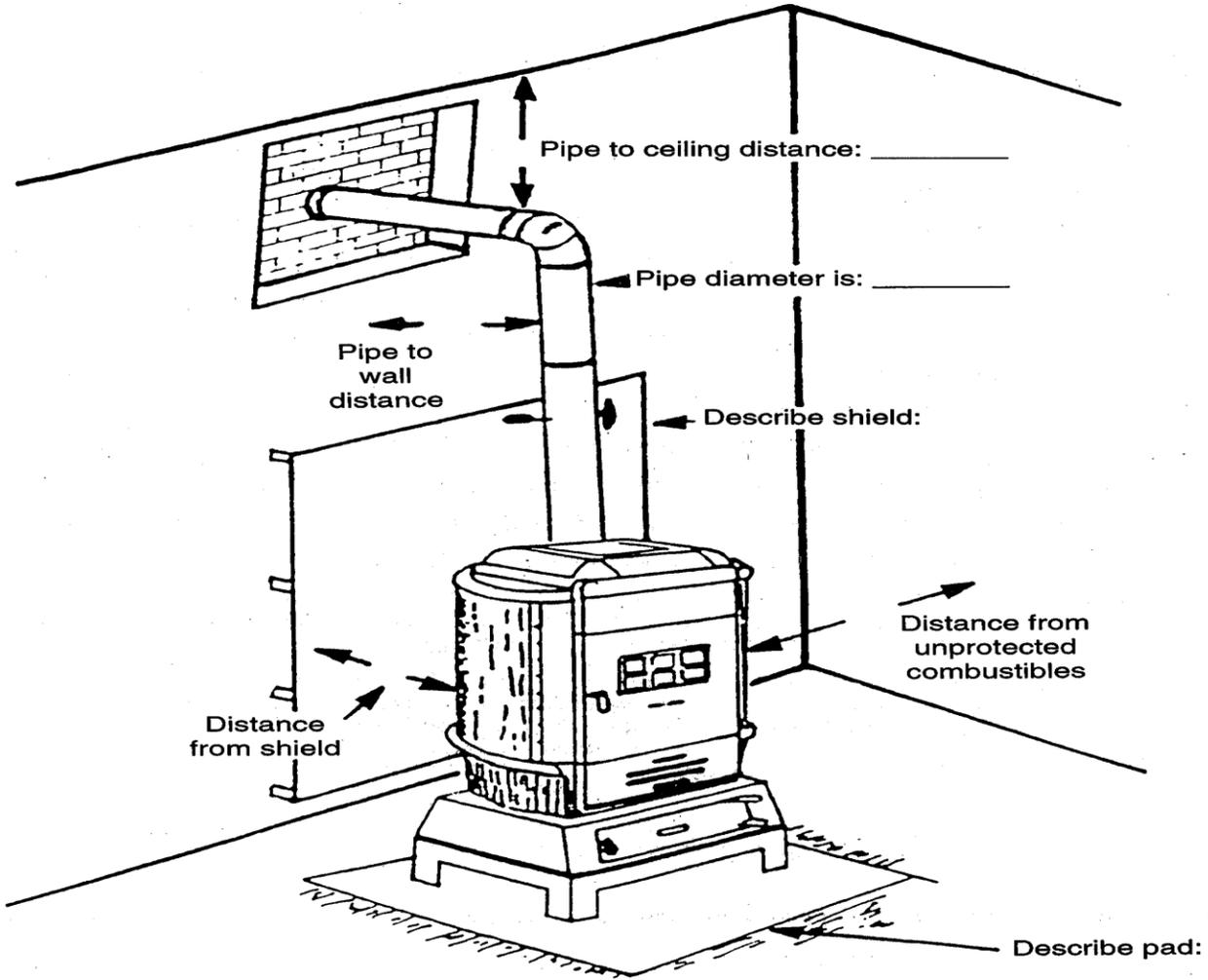
CHIMNEY CONNECTOR/STOVEPIPE

- 1. Type of connector?
No connector - factory built chimney attaches directly to
Unit [] Single wall stovepipe [] Double Wall Stovepipe []
Other _____
2. Diameter _____" Length _____" Number of elbows _____
3. Describe the method and clearances used to connect
Connector/stovepipe to the chimney: _____

Does the stovepipe attach directly to the masonry chimney
without passing through a wall? Yes [] No []
Does the factory built chimney extend to the interior of the
structure? Yes [] No []
Does the stovepipe pass through any other walls, floors, closets,
concealed space or connected to a chimney in the attic?
Yes [] No []
If Yes, explain _____

4. Stovepipe connects through combustible wall/ceiling into
chimney; protection and clearances are:
[] Short insulated factory wall sleeve/chimney
section _____ clearance
[] Solid masonry surrounding fire clay thimble: _____
clearance
[] Metal ventilated thimble: _____ clearance
[] Wall cut back from pipe: _____ clearance
[] Wall cut back, opening covered by _____
Area inside of covering is open [] or filled with _____
Other _____
5. Does stove pipe fit snugly into thimble? Yes [] No []

FILL IN BLANKS ON DIAGRAM BELOW



ADDITIONAL UNDERWRITING QUESTIONS (please complete)

1. Is unit spaced at least 36 inches from any combustible material or as required by UL label? Yes No
 2. Is there at least 18 inches between top of stove pipe and ceiling or combustible side walls? Yes No
 3. Does chimney terminate 3 feet above roof penetration and 2 feet above any portion of the roof within 10 feet? Yes No
 4. Does unit have a heat reclaimer? Yes No If Yes, do not bind coverage (**ineligible per underwriting guidelines**).
 5. For woodstoves, has firewood been seasoned? Yes No If Yes, how long? _____
 6. What other type of materials are burned? _____
- If anything other than manufacturer's recommendations, risk is ineligible.**
7. What is the percentage of time during the year that the SFBD is used? _____
 8. Is the unit free of cracks, broken parts or welding repairs? Yes No

Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

Agent's Signature

Date

Applicant's Signature

Date