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Preferred Foam Products is informing you of a pending product change required for the polyurethane foam system purchased from PFPI. The blowing agent HCFC 22 currently used in your product will be phased out by March 1, 2008. The United States EPA has mandated this phase out due to its Ozone Depletion Potential (ODP). In accordance with the Montreal Protocol, HCFC 22 must be eliminated from use in all foam products. Further regulatory and publication information regarding this ruling can be found on our Website www.prefoam.com or by following link:
www.epa/ozone/snap/foams/finalfoamrule03_12_07.pdf

PFPI has commercially proven products available based on blowing agents that meet all EPA requirements for use in polyurethane foam. All users of 9302 products will add HFC to the product code. (example 9302-1.65 will be changed 9302-1.65 HFC) The new HFC product is the identical chemical formulation except for the blowing agent. This translates to an easy switchover with very little in process changes. In most cases, shot-times and de-mold times will remain the same. All replacement HFC foam systems are UL recognized under UL94 HF-1. Data & MSD sheets will be available on our website www.prefoam.com.

The replacement blowing agents 134A and 245fa are more expensive, thus increasing the cost of the new foam system. PFPI appreciates your patience and understanding as we address this legislation change and work together for a successful product transition.