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USER MANUAL FOR KEROSENE LAMPS

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS KEROSENE LAMP IS INTENDED TO BE USED AS A PRIMARY SOURCE OF LIGHT IN SPACES WITH NO ELECTRICAL LIGHTING*

CHOICE OF FUEL

We recommend that you use fuel containing 100% pure paraffin oil, preferably Karlskrona Lampfabrik's own brand. Pure kerosene, or lamp oil as it is also colloquially known, minimizes the risk of oozing and unpleasant odors. Used correctly, you never have to change your wick as it is the fuel that burns and not the wick.Just make sure you always have kerosene in your lamp, preventing the wick from drying out.

SAFETY REGULATIONS

The kerosene is volatile and when refilling can easily end up on the outside of the lamp, which is why the lamp should not be placed on sensitive surfaces.

When the lamp is lit, the glass chimney emits a very hot stream of air. Therefore, do not place the lamp near flammable materials, such as curtains. Also leave an area of about one meter free above the top of the chimney.

Do not leave burning lamps unattended or near children or pets.

HANDLING INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. To refill the fuel remove lampshade and glass chimney and unscrew the burner. The oil vessel should be filled to about three quarters.
- 2. A new or dry wick first needs to absorb kerosene, by letting the lamp stand with the oil vessel filled for at least a day. If you are in a hurry, you can instead pull the wick up as far as it will go and then dip it into the oil vessel for five minutes.

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- 3. If the wick has become dry and hard, it needs to be replaced. Then pull it out from below do not use the folding screw, as the gears can then be damaged. Insert the new wick from below and turn the wick screw until the gears get hold of the wick. If necessary, trim the protruding part with scissors so that it is straight and even.
- 4. Light the wick and quickly put on the chimney, which will immediately become very hot. Adjust the wick so that approx. 2 mm is visible. If the wick is screwed up too high, the wick itself burns, the flame becomes too high and the chimney may soot.
- 5. To extinguish the lamp, blow diagonally down the chimney, or turn the wick down, so that the flame burns out. Be aware that the glass chimney, and the air above it, is very hot.

GUARANTEE

The burner, the wick and the chimney are consumables. Normally these last for several years, but depending on how and how much they are used, they can wear out sooner. Hence, no guarantee can be given on the wick or the chimney, while we always provide a one-year functional guarantee on the burner.

* Our kerosene lamps are not intended for decorative lighting purposes, but only as a primary light source in spaces that lack electric lighting (such as cabins, porches and patios). All our kerosene lamps are equipped with Round burners designed according to Aimé Argand's patent. These burners, with their brightness of 6-15 times that of simpler Flat burners, are intended for functional lighting in rooms that lack other lighting.

According to EU directive EN 14059:2002, lamps for decorative purposes must be designed in such a way that the risk of children under three years of age accessing the kerosene inside the lamp is minimized. Should our lamps - contrary to our intentions - be used for decorative purposes, there is a risk that children under the age of three, by sucking on the wick or drinking from the kerosene, will be exposed to life-threatening lung damage. IF SWALLOWED: Do not induce vomiting. Contact the Poison Information Center or doctor immediately!