

Congratulations on your purchase of a Groen manufactured piece of equipment. Groen believes strongly in the products it builds. Standard with every unit comes the peace of mind that this unit has been thoroughly engineered, properly tested, and manufactured to excruciating tolerances by a manufacturer with over 40 years of industry presence. On top of that front end commitment, Groen has a dedicated staff of certified technicians that monitor our own technical service hotline at 1-888-994-7636 to assist you with any questions or concerns that may arise after delivery of your new Groen equipment.

Limited Warranty To Commercial Purchase

Groen warrants to original commercial purchaser/users that foodservice equipment manufactured by Groen ("Groen Equipment") shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for (i) 2000 actual operating hours (provided that such equipment has a device that has recorded actual operating hours since the installation of such equipment), (ii) twelve (12) months from the date of installation or (iii) fifteen (15) months from date of shipment from Groen, whichever first occurs (the "Warranty Period"), in accordance with the following terms and conditions:

- I. This warranty is limited to replacement parts and related labor for Groen Equipment located at its original place of installation in the United States, Puerto Rico and Canada.
- II. Damage to Groen Equipment that occurs during shipment must be reported to the carrier and is not covered under this warranty. The reporting of any damage during shipment is the sole responsibility of the commercial purchaser/user of such Groen Equipment.
- III. For Groen steamers, Groen further warrants to the original commercial purchaser/users of such Groen Equipment that such equipment shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for (i) twenty-four (24) months or 4000 actual operating hours (provided that such equipment has a device that has recorded actual operating hours since the installation of such equipment) from the date of installation or (ii) twenty-seven (27) months from date of shipment from Groen, whichever first occurs (the "Warranty Period"), provided that the original purchaser/user had a Groen Free Start-Up completed by a Groen Authorized Service Agent. Free start-up must be scheduled within 30 days of shipping. Part of the Groen Free Start-Up is a water quality test. Upon receiving the results, if they are out of the Groen water specification, Groen will recommend a water treatment system. If the recommended treatment system is purchased, installed, and maintained, all water related service issues will be covered for such equipment for the duration of the warranty period.
- IV. For Groen steamers, Groen further warrants to the original commercial purchaser / users of such Groen Equipment categorized as K-12 School Segment that such equipment shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for (i) 4000 actual operating hours (provided that such equipment has a device that has recorded actual operating hours since the installation of such equipment), (ii) twenty-four (24) months from the date of installation or (iii) twenty-seven (27) months from the date of shipment from Groen, whichever first occurs (the "Warranty Period"). Groen further warrants to the original commercial purchaser / users categorized as K-12 School Segment that such equipment shall be free from defects in material and workmanship for (i) 6000 actual operating hours (provided that such equipment has a device that has recorded actual operating hours since the installation of such equipment), (ii) thirty-six (36) months from the date of installation or (iii) thirty-nine (39) months from the date of shipment from Groen, whichever first occurs (the "Warranty Period") provided that the original purchaser/user categorized as K-12 School Segment had a Groen Free Start-up completed by a Groen Authorized Service Agent. Part of the Groen Free Start-up is a water quality test. Upon receiving the results, if their water quality is out of the Groen water quality standards, Groen will recommend a water treatment system. If the recommended treatment system is purchased, installed and maintained, all water related service issues will be covered for such equipment for the duration of the warranty period.
- V. During the Warranty Period, Groen, directly or through its authorized service representative, will either repair or replace, at Groen sole election, any Groen Equipment determined by Groen to have a defect in material or workmanship. As to any such warranty service during the Warranty Period, Groen will be responsible for related reasonable labor and portal to portal transportation expenses (time & mileage) incurred within the United States and Canada.

VI. This warranty does not cover boiler maintenance, calibration, periodic adjustments as specified in operating instructions or manuals, consumable parts (such as scraper blades, gaskets, packing, etc.), and labor costs incurred for removal of adjacent equipment or objects to gain access to Groen Equipment. This warranty does not cover defects caused by improper installation, abuse, careless operation, or improper maintenance of Groen Equipment. This warranty does not cover damage to Groen Equipment caused by poor water quality or improper boiler maintenance.

VIII. THIS WARRANTY IS EXCLUSIVE AND IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, EACH OF WHICH IS HEREBY EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMED. THE REMEDIES DESCRIBED ABOVE ARE EXCLUSIVE AND IN NO EVENT SHALL GROEN BE LIABLE FOR SPECIAL, CONSEQUENTIAL, OR INCIDENTAL DAMAGES FOR THE BREACH OR DELAY IN PERFORMANCE OF THIS WARRANTY.

VII. Groen Equipment is for commercial use only. If sold as a component of another (O.E.M.) manufacturer's equipment, or if used as a consumer product, such Equipment is sold AS IS and without any warranty.

*When Export Warranty Applies (outside the U.S, Puerto Rico and Canada) Groen will cover the cost of labor and parts under the same guidelines of the 1-year domestic standard warranty. There are no available extended international warranties that will be offered or applied. Labor and Travel restrictions to 100 miles radius, ground transport only.

Limited Extended Warranty Coverage

*Available for Domestic Purchase/Use only

Limited Extended Warranty Coverage is available on all standard Groen Equipment covered by the above Groen Limited Warranty. Commercial purchasers/users of Groen Equipment may elect to extend the standard limited warranty to cover parts, labor and portal to portal transportation costs (time and mileage) for an additional (i) 2000 actual operating hours, or (ii) twelve (12) month period, or for an additional (i) 4000 actual operating hours, or (ii) twenty four (24) month period, whichever first occurs, in addition to the time period of the standard limited warranty described above. Limited Extended Warranty Coverage is not available to extend the supplemental limited warranty for: (a) atmospheric steam generators or boilers contained in Groen HyPerSteam Convection Steamers and HyPlus Pressureless Steamers, or (b) electronic relay and control boards contained in Groen Convection Combo Steamer-Ovens, or (c) Groen SmartSteam Boilerless Steamers.

Conditions of Coverage

- Limited Extended Warranty Coverage must be purchased at the time the Groen equipment is purchase to be covered.
- All conditions and limitations on the Standard Limited Warranty Coverage apply to the Limited Extended Warranty Coverage. See above for details of conditions and limitations on the Standard Warranty Coverage.

Items Not Covered Under Warranty

- Maintenance and repairs such as cleaning, clogged drains, gasket replacement, filter replacement re-establish vacuum in jacket, adding water to jacket, boiler maintenance, calibration, periodic adjustments as specified in operating instructions or manuals, consumable parts (such as scraper blades, gaskets, packing, etc.), and labor costs incurred for removal of adjacent equipment or objects to gain access to Groen Equipment
- Repairs caused by abuse such as freight damage such as scratches and dents or assembly damage,
- Repairs caused by improper installation, abuse, careless operation, or improper maintenance of Groen Equipment
- Electrical component failure due to water damage from cleaning procedures
- Equipment failure due to incorrect water/gas pressure or poor water quality
- Work performed by a Non-Authorized Service Company
- Food/Product Loss