

## care and use instructions:

Proper care and maintenance of your new furniture will help to keep it in top condition. Below are some important tips:

### WOOD:

-Because wood expands and contracts according to seasonal fluctuations in humidity, one of the most important things customers can do to care for their furniture is to avoid extremes of moist, dry, hot, or cold environments. Also, avoid placing your furniture in direct sunlight as many species are prone to fading with exposure to ultraviolet light. Such conditions may also cause warping or shrinkage.

-Avoid placing plastic or rubber materials directly on your furniture, as certain synthetic materials contain ingredients that may damage the finish. Felt pads are recommended for lamps, vases, etc.

-The use of coasters, placemats and trivets is recommended to prevent water marking, heat damage, and abrasion. Spills should be wiped away immediately.

-A lightly dampened, clean and warm cloth followed immediately by a clean, dry cloth is the recommended procedure for cleaning. Furniture polishes are not recommended but may be used sparingly if desired.

-Owners of skram casegoods with large drawers (bureaus, nightstands, sideboards, etc) should avoid opening multiple drawers at once as tipping could result.

### LEATHER:

-Skram products using leather or saddle leather may be periodically treated with a leather conditioner or cleaner. It is always advised to test the product on an inconspicuous area prior to general application.

### GLASS:

-Ammonia-based products may be used to clean glass. Use care to avoid contact of glass cleaner on wood elements.

### METAL:

-A lightly dampened, clean and warm cloth followed immediately by a clean, dry cloth is the recommended procedure for cleaning opaque metal finishes.

-It is recommended that patinized steel finishes are periodically rejuvenated by the application of a clear furniture paste wax. The manufacturer's product instructions should be followed when applying paste wax.

