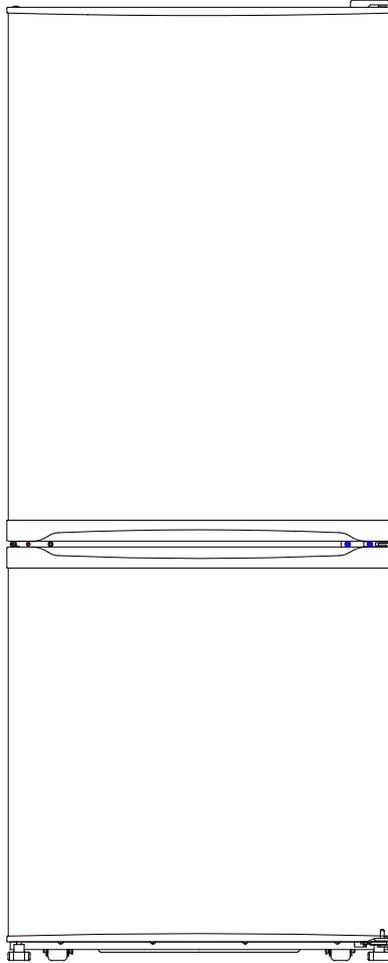


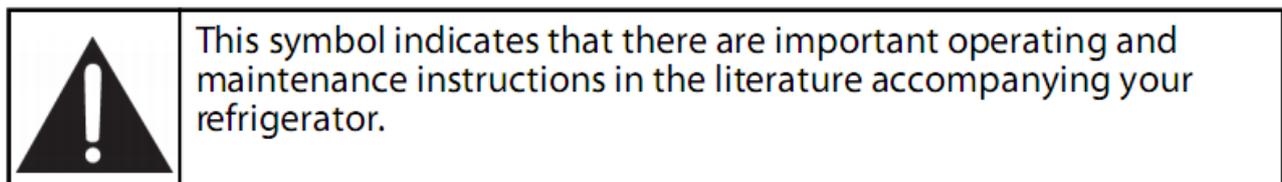
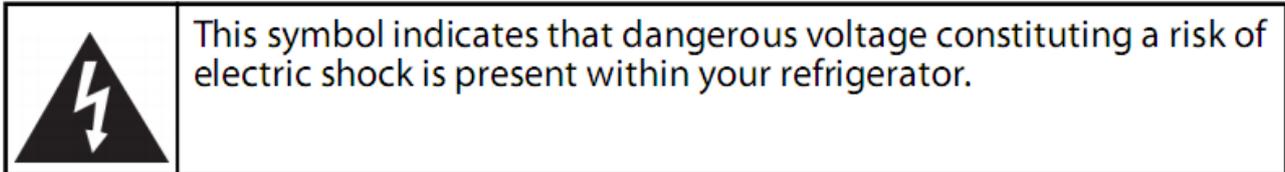
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## INSTRUCTION MANUAL

**ModelNo.:CQRB09Y1GD1RW/CQRB09Y1GD1RS**

## IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS



### WARNING 1 Read these instructions.

1. Read these instructions.
2. Keep these instructions.
3. Heed all warnings.
4. Follow all instructions.
5. Do not use your refrigerator near water.
6. Clean only with a damp cloth.
7. Do not block any ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
8. Do not install near any heat sources, such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
9. Do not defeat the safety purpose of the polarized or grounding-type plug. A polarized plug has two blades with one wider than the other. A grounding type plug has two blades and a third grounding prong. The wide blade or the third prong is provided for your safety. If the provided plug does not fit into your outlet, consult an electrician for replacement of the obsolete outlet.
10. Protect the power cord from being walked on or pinched, particularly at plugs, convenience receptacles, and the point where it exits from your refrigerator.
11. Do not attempt to modify or extend the power cord of your refrigerator.
12. Unplug your refrigerator during lightning storms or when it will not be used for long periods of time.
13. Make sure that the available AC power matches the voltage requirements of your refrigerator.
14. Do not handle the plug with wet hands. This could result in an electric shock.
15. Unplug the power cord by holding the plug, never by pulling the cord.
16. Turn off your refrigerator before unplugging it.
17. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when your refrigerator has been damaged in any way, such as the power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into your refrigerator, your refrigerator has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.
18. To reduce the risk of fire or electric shock, do not expose your refrigerator to rain, moisture, dripping, or splashing, and no objects filled with liquids should be placed on top of it.
19. Do not use extension cords or ungrounded (two prong) adapters. If the power cord is too short, have a qualified electrician install an outlet near your refrigerator. Use of an extension cord can negatively affect your refrigerator's performance.
20. Your refrigerator is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory, or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of your refrigerator by a person responsible for their safety.
21. Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with your refrigerator.
22. If the power cord is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent, or similarly qualified person, in order to avoid a hazard.



## WARNING

### Electric Shock Hazard

Failure to follow these instructions can result in electric shock, fire, or death.

**1.WARNING**—Keep ventilation openings, in both your refrigerator and the built-in structure, clear of obstruction.

**2.WARNING**—Do not touch the interior of your refrigerator with wet hands. This could result in frostbite.

**3.WARNING**—Do not use mechanical devices or other means to accelerate the defrosting process, other than those recommended by the manufacturer.

**4.WARNING**—Do not damage the refrigerant circuit.

**5.WARNING**—Do not damage the refrigerant tubing when handling, moving, or using your refrigerator.

**6.WARNING**—DANGER—Never allow children to play with, operate, or crawl inside your refrigerator.

**Risk of child entrapment. Before you throw away your old refrigerator:**

- Take off the door.

- Leave the shelves in place so that children may not easily climb inside.

**7. WARNING**—Do not use electrical appliances inside the food storage compartments of the appliance unless they are of the type recommended by the manufacturer.

**8.**Unplug your refrigerator before carrying out user maintenance on it.

**9.**If a component part is damaged, it must be replaced by the manufacturer, its service agent, or similar qualified persons in order to avoid a hazard.

**10.**Follow local regulations regarding disposal of your refrigerator due to flammable refrigerant and gas. All refrigeration products contain refrigerants, which under the guidelines of federal law must be removed before disposal. It is the consumer's responsibility to comply with federal and local regulations when disposing of this product.

**11.** Do not store explosive substances such as aerosol cans with a flammable propellant in this appliance.

**12 .**This appliance is intended to be used in household and similar applications such as

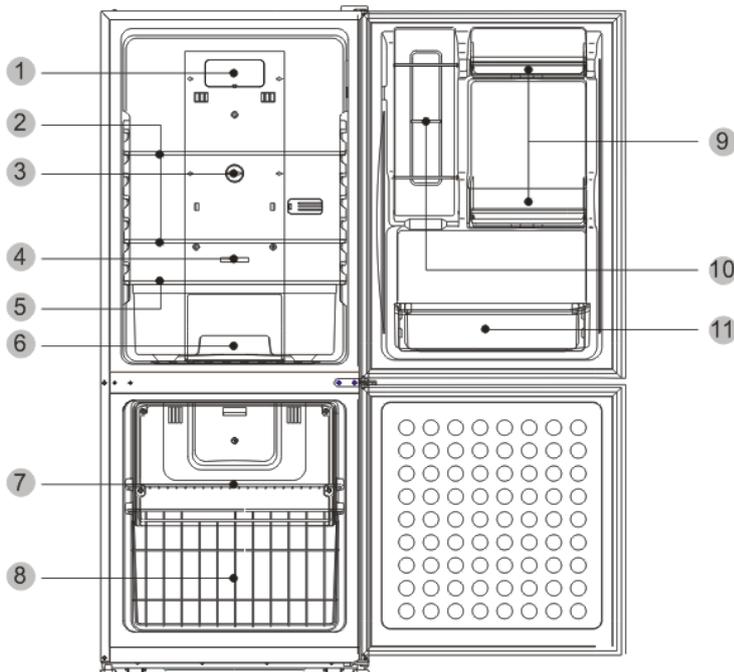
- staff kitchen areas in shops, offices and other working environments.
- farm houses and by clients in hotels, motels and other residential type environments.
- bed and breakfast type environments.
- catering and similar non-retail applications.

## Grounding requirement

Your refrigerator must be grounded. Your refrigerator is equipped with a cord having a grounding wire with a grounding plug. The plug must be inserted into an outlet that is correctly installed and grounded.

Incorrect use of the grounding plug can result in a risk of electric shock. Consult a qualified electrician or service person if the grounding instructions are not completely understood, or if doubt exists as to whether your refrigerator is correctly grounded.

## INTRODUCTION



No	Description
1	Interior LED Light
2	Refrigerator Shelves (2)
3	Refrigerator Temperature Control
4	Freezer Temperature Control
5	Crisper Cover
6	Crisper
7	Wire Freezer Shelf
8	Freezer Basket
9	Refrigerator Door Racks(2)
10	Can Dispenser
11	Bottle Storage Bin

## INSTALLATION

### Installing Your Refrigerator

This appliance is designed to be free standing only, and should not be recessed or built-in.

Place your refrigerator on a floor that is strong enough to support the refrigerator when it is fully loaded.

Allow 5 inches of space between the back and sides of the refrigerator, which allows the proper air ventilation. Adjust the feet to keep the refrigerator level.

Locate the refrigerator away from direct sunlight and sources of heat (stove, heater, radiator, etc.). Direct sunlight may affect the acrylic coating and heat sources may increase electrical consumption. Ambient temperature below 50°F or above 85°F will hinder the performance of this appliance. This unit is not designed for use in a garage or any other outside installation.

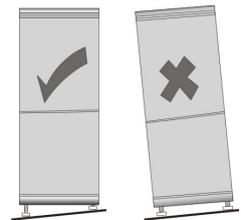
Avoid locating the refrigerator in moist areas.

Plug the refrigerator into dedicated, properly installed-grounded wall outlet. Do not under any circumstances cut or remove the third (ground) prong from the power cord. Any questions concerning power and/or grounding should be directed toward a certified electrician or an authorized service center. This unit is not designed to be installed in an RV or used with an inverter.

After plugging the appliance into a wall outlet, turn the unit on and allow the unit to cool down for 2~3 hours under before placing food in the refrigerator or freezer compartment.

### Leveling the Fridge/Freezer

If the Fridge/Freezer is not level, the door and magnetic seal alignment will be affected and may cause you Fridge/Freezer to work incorrectly. Once the Fridge/Freezer is placed in its final location, adjust the leveling feet at the front by turning them.



### Cleaning before use

Wipe the inside of the Fridge/Freezer with a weak solution of bicarbonate of soda. Then rinse with warm water using a damp sponge or cloth. Wash the baskets and shelves in warm soapy water and dry completely before replacing in the Fridge/Freezer. The external parts of the Fridge/Freezer can be cleaned with wax polish.

**Before plugging in YOU MUST**

Check that you have a socket which is compatible with the plug supplied with the Fridge/Freezer.

**Before switching on!**

DO NOT SWITCH ON UNTIL FOUR HOURS AFTER MOVING THE FRIDGE/FREEZER.

The coolant fluid needs time to settle. If the appliance is switched off at any time, wait 30 minutes before switching back on to allow the coolant fluid to settle.

**Before filling your Fridge/Freezer**

Before storing foods in your Fridge/Freezer, turn the Fridge/Freezer on and wait for 24 hours, to make sure it is working properly and to allow the Fridge/Freezer to fail to the correct temperature.

**Electrical Connection**

**⚡WARNING⚡**

Improper use of the grounded plug can result in the risk of electrical shock. If the power cord is damaged, have it replaced by an authorized service center.

This refrigerator should be properly grounded for your safety. The power cord of this refrigerator is equipped with a three-prong plug which mates with standard three prong wall outlets to minimize the possibility of electrical shock.

Do not, under any circumstances, cut or remove the third ground prong from the power cord supplied.

This refrigerator requires a standard 115V A.C. ~/60Hz electrical outlet with three-prong ground.

This refrigerator is not designed to be used with an inverter.

The cord should be secured behind the refrigerator and not left exposed or dangling to prevent accidental injury.

Never unplug the refrigerator by pulling the power cord. Always grip the plug firmly and pull straight out from the receptacle.

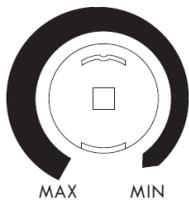
Do not use an extension cord with this appliance. If the power cord is too short, have a qualified electrician or service technician install an outlet near the appliance. Use of an extension cord can negatively affect the performance of the unit.

**START**

**OPERATING YOUR REFRIGERATOR**

Temperature Control Panels

Refrigerator Temperature Control



Freezer Temperature Control



Setting the Temperature Control

Your refrigerator has a separate control for regulating the temperature for each section independently.

The temperature control is located at the rear of each section (refrigerator / freezer). (See the graphics shown above).

- The first time you turn the unit on, set the temperature control to “MAX” in refrigerator section and “MAX” in freezer section.
- The range of the temperature controls are from position “MIN” to “MAX” the coldest in refrigerator section and from position “MIN” the warmest to “MAX” the coldest. After 24 to 48 hours, adjust the temperature control to the setting that best suits your needs. The setting in freezer section between “MIN” and “MAX” in refrigerator section should be correct for home or office refrigerator use.

**NOTE:**

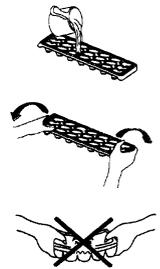
AMBIENT TEMPERATURES BELOW 50°F (10°C) WILL AFFECT THE OPERATION OF YOUR REFRIGERATOR. WHEN THE UNIT IS PLACED IN AN AREA WHERE THE TEMPERATURE DROPS LOWER THAN 50°F (10°C), SET THE TEMPERATURE CONTROLS SELECTORS TO “MAX” IN BOTH THE REFRIGERATOR AND FREEZER SECTIONS.

**NOTE:**

IF THE UNIT IS UNPLUGGED, has LOST POWER, OR is TURNED OFF, YOU MUST WAIT 3 TO 5 MINUTES BEFORE RESTARTING THE UNIT. IF YOU ATTEMPT TO RESTART BEFORE THIS TIME DELAY, THE REFRIGERATOR-FREEZER WILL NOT START.

Using Your Ice Cube Tray

- Recommended thermostat setting for ice making is position “COLD”.
- Fill the ice cube tray (two thirds of it) with cold water or with any liquid suitable for freezing and place the tray on the bottom of the freezer to freeze properly.
- Dry the tray, otherwise it may stick to the bottom of the freezer.
- The best method to get ice cubes out of the tray is to hold the tray under cold tap water for a second.
- To eject the ice cubes from the tray, place over the ice bucket and twist slightly



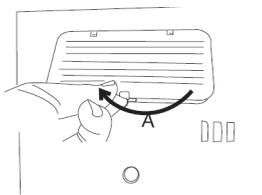
### Freezing Fresh Foods

- Proper use of the appliance, adequately packed food, correct temperature and taking into account hygienic precautions will substantially influence the quality of freezing the food or storing of the frozen foods.
- This compartment is designed for the long-term storage of frozen food.
- The storage life of frozen foods varies and the recommended storage time should not be exceeded.
- Pre-packed commercially frozen food should be stored in accordance with the frozen foods manufacturer's instructions for a three star frozen food storage compartment or home freezer.
- Place frozen food into the freezer as quickly as possible after purchase. If there are instructions on the packet, carefully follow these instructions regarding storage times.
- Carefully select food you intend to freeze, it should be of adequate quality and suitable for freezing.
- Use correct packaging and wrap it tight.
- The packaging should be airtight and shouldn't leak since this could cause substantial vitamin loss and dehydration of foods.
- Foils and bags should be soft enough to tightly wrap around the foods.
- When preparing foods to be frozen, consider sanitary precautions.
- Mark packages with following data: kind and amount of foods and the date of loading.
- It is extremely important that the food is frozen as quickly as possible.
- If the loading amount is too large, the quality of freezing is reduced which affects the quality of frozen foods.

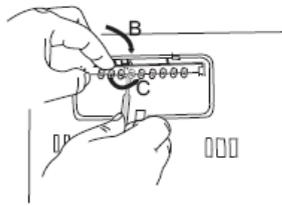
### Changing the Light Bulb

Before removing the light bulb, turn off the refrigerator first and then unplug the unit from the wall outlet. Failure to do so could result in electrical shock or personal injury.

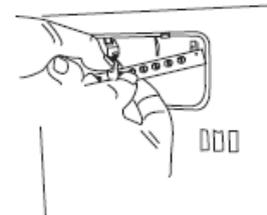
- As shown in Figure step 1, remove the lamp cover;
- As shown in Figure step 2, use left hand to press the LED light panel to inside along the direction of arrow B and pull out the circuit boards along the direction of "arrow C" with flat had screwdriver.
- As shown in Figure step 3, hold down of wire terminal with left hand and remove the LED lamp circuit with right hand seizing the other wire terminal .
- Replace with LED light that is the same shape and size.
- Reinstall the LED light panel and lamp cover.



Step 1



Step 2



Step 3

## Tips for keeping food perfect in the Fridge

### Take extra care with meat and fish

Cooked meats should always be stored on a shelf above raw meats to avoid bacterial transfer. Keep raw meats on a plate which is large enough to collect juices and cover it with cling film or foil.

### Leave space around food

This allows cold air to circulate around the Fridge, ensuring all parts of the Fridge are kept cool.

### Wrap up food!

To prevent transfer of flavors and drying out, food should be separately packed or covered. Fruit and vegetables need not be wrapped.

### Pre-cooked food should be cooled properly

Allow pre-cooked food to cool down before placing in the Fridge. This will help to stop the internal temperature of the Fridge from rising.

### Shut the door!

To prevent cold air escaping, try to limit the number of times you open the door. When returning from shopping, sort foods to be kept in your Fridge before opening the door. Only open the door to put food in or take it out.

### Where to store your foods in the fridge

#### Cool area

This is where to store foods which will keep longer if they are kept cool. Milk, eggs, yogurt, fruit juices, hard cheeses eg. Cheddar. Opened jars and bottles of salad dressings, sauces and jams. Fats, eg. Butter, margarine, low-fat spreads, cooking fats and lard.

#### Coldest area

This is where foods which must be cold to keep them safe should be kept:

- Raw and uncooked foods should always be wrapped.
- Pre-cooked chilled foods, eg. Ready meals, meat pies, soft cheeses.
- Pre-cooked meats eg. Ham,
- Prepared salads(including pre-packed mixed green salads, rice, potato salad etc).
- Desserts, eg. Fromage frais, home-prepared food and leftovers or cream cakes.

#### Salad bin

This is the most humid part of the Fridge. Vegetables, fruit, fresh salad items eg. Unwashed whole lettuce, whole tomatoes, radishes etc can be stored here.

WE RECOMMEND THAT ALL PRODUCE KEPT IN THE SALAD BIN IS WRAPPED.

**NOTE:** Always wrap and store raw meat, poultry and fish on the lowest shelf at the bottom of the fridge. This will stop them dripping onto, or touching other foods. Do not store inflammable gasses or liquids in the fridge.

### Tips for shopping for frozen foods

#### Your Freezer is 4 star

When you are buying frozen food, look at the Storage Guidelines on the packaging. You will be able to store each item of frozen food for the period shown against the 4 star rating. This is usually the period stated as "Best, Before", found on the front of the packaging.

#### Check the Fridge/Freezer temperature

Check the temperature of the frozen food cabinet in the shop where you buy your frozen foods. It should show a temperature lower than  $-18^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

#### Choose packs carefully

Make sure the frozen food package is in perfect condition.

#### Purchase frozen food last

Always buy frozen products last on your shopping trip or visit to the supermarket.

#### Keep frozen foods together

Try to keep frozen food together whilst shopping, and on the journey home as this will help to keep the food cooler.

#### Store food straight away

Don't buy frozen food unless you can freeze it straight away. Special insulated bags can be bought from most supermarkets and hardware shops. These keep frozen food cold for longer.

#### Thawing frozen food

For some foods, thawing before cooking is unnecessary. Vegetables and pasta can be added directly to boiling water or steam cooked. Frozen sauces and soups can be put into a saucepan and heated gently until thawed.

#### Freezing fresh foods, useful tips

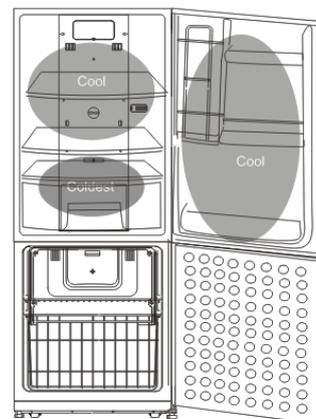
Use quality food and handle it as little as possible. Freeze food in small quantities, it freezes faster, takes less time to thaw and enables you to eat it in the quantity you need.

#### Freezing fresh foods

First, estimate the amount of food you will be freezing. If you are freezing large amounts of fresh food, remember to turn the control dial to Max. This will lower the temperature in the Freezer (approx  $-30^{\circ}\text{C}$ ), freezing your food quicker and helping to keep the goodness in. However you should do this sparingly to conserve energy.

#### Preparations for freezing

- Leave cooked food to cool completely.
- Chill food in a Fridge before freezing if possible.
- Consider how you want to cook the food before freezing it.
- Don't freeze food in metal containers as you may want to microwave it straight from the Freezer.
- Use special Freezer bags available from supermarkets, Freezer film, polythene bags, plastic containers, aluminum foil for acidic foods(such as citrus fruits).



Do not use thin cling film or glass. Do not use used food containers (unless cleaned thoroughly first).

·Exclude as much air from the container as possible. You could buy a special vacuum pump which sucks excessive air out of the packaging.

·Leave a small amount of "air space" when freezing liquids, to allow for expansion.

·You can use the space in the Freezer most efficiently if you freeze liquids(or solids with liquids, such as stew) in square blocks.

This is known as "performing" Pour the liquid into a polythene bag which is inside a square sided container. Freeze it like this, then remove it from the container and seal the bag.

### **Defrosting**

This appliance is designed as automatic defrosting ,no need to defrost by hand.

### **Recommended storage periods**

For recommended food storage time, refer to the information given on your food packaging.

### **Cleaning inside the Fridge/Freezer**

You should clean the Fridge/Freezer internally with a weak solution of bicarbonate of soda. Then rinse with warm water using a damp sponge or cloth and wipe dry. Wash the baskets in warm soapy water and ensure they are completely dry before replacing in the Fridge/Freezer.

### **Cleaning outside the Fridge/Freezer**

Use standard non-abrasive detergent diluted in warm water to clean the Fridge/Freezer exterior.

The grille of the condenser at the back of the Fridge/Freezer and the adjacent components can be vacuumed using a soft brush attachment.

Do not use harsh cleaners, scouring pads or solvents to clean any part of the Fridge/Freezer

## **TROUBLESHOOTING AND MAINTENANCE**

### **Trouble Shooting**

#### **Power cut**

If the internal temperature of the Fridge/Freezer compartment is  $-18^{\circ}\text{C}$  or less when the power returns, your food is safe.

The food in your Fridge/Freezer will remain frozen for approx 16 hours with the door closed. Do not open the Fridge/Freezer door more than necessary.

#### **The Fridge/Freezer is exceptionally cold**

You may have accidentally set the refrigerator temperature to a higher position.

#### **The Fridge/Freezer is exceptionally warm**

The compressor may not be working. Set the refrigerator temperature to maximum setting and wait a few minutes. If there is no humming noise, it is not working. Contact the local store where your purchase was made.

#### **The Fridge/Freezer is not working**

Check it is plugged in and switched on. Check that the fuse in the plug has not blown. Plug

In another appliance, such as a lamp, to see if the socket is working. The Fridge/Freezer should be placed in a well ventilated room with an ambient temperature of between  $16^{\circ}\text{C}$  and  $32^{\circ}\text{C}$ . Leave the Fridge/Freezer for 30 minutes.

#### **Condensation appears on the outside of the Fridge/Freezer**

This may be due to a change in the room temperature. Wipe off any residue of moisture. If the problem continues contact the local store where your purchase was made.

### **GURGLING, WHOOSHING**

These noises are caused by the circulation of the refrigerant liquid in the cooling system. It has become more pronounced since the introduction of CFC free gases. This is not a fault and will not affect the performance of your Fridge/Freezer.

### **HUMMING, PURRING OR PULSATING**

This is the compressor motor working, as it pumps the refrigerant around the system.

### **Moving the Fridge/Freezer**

#### **Location**

Do not place your Fridge/Freezer near a heat source, eg. Cooker, boiler or radiator. Also avoid direct sunlight in out-buildings or sun lounges.

#### **Leveling the Fridge/Freezer**

Make sure the Fridge/Freezer is level. Use the rotating leveling feet at the front. If the Fridge/Freezer is not level, the doors and magnetic seal alignments will be affected and may cause your Fridge/Freezer to work incorrectly.

Do not turn on the Fridge/Freezer for 4 hours

After the Fridge/Freezer is in place it needs to be left for 4 hours. This allows time for the coolant to settle.

#### **Installation**

Don't cover or block the vents or grilles of your appliance.

### **Vacation Time**

- Turn off the refrigerator first and then unplug the unit from the wall outlet.
- Remove all the food.
- Clean the refrigerator.
- Leave the lid open slightly to avoid possible formation of condensation, mold, or odors.
- Use extreme caution in the case of children. The unit should not be accessible to child's play.
- Short vacations: Leave the refrigerator operating during vacations of less than three weeks.
- Long vacations: If the appliance will not be used for several months, remove all food and unplug the power cord.

Clean and dry the interior thoroughly. To prevent odor and mold growth, leave the door open slightly: blocking it open if necessary or have the door removed.

### **Servicing**

This product should be serviced by an authorized engineer and only genuine spare parts should be used.

Under no circumstances should you attempt to repair the appliance yourself.

Repairs carried out by inexperienced persons may cause injury or serious malfunctioning. Contact the local store where your purchase was made.

When the appliance is not in use for long periods, disconnect from the electricity supply, empty all foods and clean the appliance, leaving the door ajar to prevent unpleasant smells.

**THIS APPLIANCE MUST BE EARTHED.**

This appliance is fitted with a plug which will be suitable for use in all houses fitted with sockets to current specifications. If the fitted plug is not suitable for your socket outlets, it should be cut off and carefully disposed of. To avoid a possible shock hazard, do not insert the discarded plug into a socket.

**WARNING!**

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\* "DANGER – Risk Of Fire Or Explosion. Flammable Refrigerant Used. To Be Repaired Only By Trained Service Personnel. Do Not Puncture Refrigerant Tubing".

\* "CAUTION – Risk Of Fire Or Explosion. Flammable Refrigerant Used. Consult Repair Manual/Owner's Guide Before Attempting To Service This Product. All Safety Precautions Must be Followed".

\* "CAUTION – Risk Of Fire Or Explosion. Dispose Of Property In Accordance With Federal Or Local Regulations. Flammable Refrigerant Used".

\* "CAUTION – Risk Of Fire Or Explosion .Due To Puncture Of Refrigerant Tubing; Follow Handling Instructions Carefully. Flammable Refrigerant Used".



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