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Heatin' that Tent

- Use only Army approved heaters (see U.S. Army NSRDEC Commanders' Smartbook Equipment Catalog)
- Operate all heaters and stoves per the applicable technical manual
- Post a fire guard when heaters are in operation, even while Soldiers are sleeping
- Ensure operational fire extinguishers are visible and within reach, but not placed next to the heater
- Place stoves in sandboxes when heating tents with wooden floors
- Never operate heaters at full capacity
- Immediately evacuate the tent in the event of fire or suspected presence of carbon monoxide
- Never place combustibles on or near heaters