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- Do your babysitters (and you) know the first rule of safety in fire emergencies: Get everybody out fast and don't go back in?
 - Are your children trained to keep a safe distance from flame and spark sources?

ELECTRICAL

- Has wiring been checked by a qualified person since its installation?
- When new appliances were added to the load, was wiring inspected and any necessary new wiring installed by a qualified electrician?
- Do you check your fuse box regularly to see that only specified "sizes" are being used?
- Are all electrical appliances in good condition; are they being properly operated?
- Are all electric motors kept oiled, clean and free from dirt accumulation?

LIGHTNING PROTECTION

- Has your radio or television antenna been equipped with a properly grounded lightning arrester?

HEATING EQUIPMENT

- Have your stoves, furnace, chimney and smoke pipes been checked and cleaned where necessary within the past year?
- Are furnaces and stoves at least 45 cm from any exposed woodwork?
- Do any stove pipes run through attics or concealed spaces?
- Are smoke pipes, when running through combustible partitions, protected by a double ventilating metal thimble?
- Do you prohibit the use of gasoline or kerosene for starting or quickening fires in your home?
- Does your fireplace have a metal screen in front of it to prevent sparks from flying onto the carpet or furniture?
- Are all portable heaters of a type comparable with those listed by the Canadian Standards Association?
- Is your portable oil heater always placed on a level floor to ensure proper operation?
- Do you always refill the fuel tanks of portable heaters out of doors and in the daylight?