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Subject: Removal of protective film from the stainless exterior

After installing Hoshizaki equipment, it is necessary to remove the protective film from the stainless steel exteriors. This film is used to protect the stainless finish during the manufacturing process and comes in multiple types and colors. Below you will find instructions to assist in removing this protective covering.

1. Typically start pulling the film from the top corner in a diagonal direction.
2. If necessary lightly score the film along the edges and along seams with a razor blade. This will allow the film to be removed with straight edges and reduce tearing.

Note: When removing the film from (-PF) bins and DB models, care should be taken not to cut through the vinyl clad coating of the metal.

3. The film is easier to remove if it is warm. The use of a heat gun or hair drier will make the process easier and reduce tearing of the plastic while pulling.

It is recommended that the protective film be removed from the unit at the time of installation. If the film remains on the unit in a working environment it will be more difficult to remove and could cause staining of the finish.

If you have any questions about this process contact Technical Support for assistance at Techsupport@hoshizaki.com or 1-800-233-1940.