Ice Sculptures™ offer a consistent system for adding beauty and value to any presentation. By utilizing the Carlisle FoodService Products exclusive features of a CONTRACTING CONE BASE™ and E-Z CUT BEAD™, Carlisle FoodService Products Ice Sculptures™ produce highly detailed Ice Sculptures™ requiring little effort and no special skills.

Each mold will produce ONE Ice Sculpture™.

By following these instructions, you will create a breathtaking Ice Sculpture™ with tap water, a carton knife and a freezer.

**FILLING:**

Pour regular chilled tap water into the hole at the top. (The use of distilled water or mineral water makes NO DIFFERENCE in the clarity of the ice). Fill completely. Do not seal. Next, lightly tap the sides of the mold to remove air bubbles. Finally, place the mold onto a sheet pan to catch any overflow of water that may occur during freezing.

**NOTE:** On occasion, an Ice Sculpture™ may become inadvertently punctured along the seam line. Use the pack of sealing putty (attached to this sheet) to patch any leaks.

* **SPECIAL NOTE:** To achieve the scalloped beauty of our Grecian Bowl and Heart Ice Sculpture™, we have drilled air holes in the top ridge to facilitate proper filling and freezing. When filled, these Ice Sculptures™ will weigh approximately 90 lbs. We recommend wearing gloves and using two people when handling the Grecian Bowl or the Heart Ice Sculpture™.

For further freezing and de-molding instructions, please read the directions continued on the back of this sheet.
**FREEZING**

NEVER FREEZE OVER 72 HOURS.

Place the Ice Sculptures™ on the sheet pan into your freezer. Ideally, Ice Sculptures™ should be frozen for 48 hours. Do not blast freeze. If after 48 hours a small amount of water remains in the base of the Ice Sculpture™, simply poke a hole in the base of the Ice Sculpture™, and drain off the water.

**CAUTION:** Freezing longer than 72 hours will cause the ice to dry, expand, and crack (or fissure), resulting in unusable Ice Sculptures™.

**DE-MOLDING**

**NOTE:** Wear heavy gloves to prevent accidents.

1. Remove the Ice Sculpture™ mold from the freezer and allow to stand in open air for 15 to 30 minutes. Do not place near a heating source. The surface of the mold must adjust gradually to the surrounding temperature, allowing a thin layer of water to build up between the mold and the Ice Sculpture™ so the unit can be easily demolded.

2. **USING A STANDARD CARTON OR CASE CUTTER KNIFE,** (see Fig. 1) like the Stanley #10-499, cut the bottom of the mold along the seam line and around the inner cone (see Fig. 2). Be sure to cut completely through the plastic mold. If base cone collapses inward, leave the plastic in. Do not attempt to pull it out, as this could cause cracking. If the cone bubbles out, chisel the excess ice until the base is flat.

**NOTE:** When cutting the Basket, it is important to cut completely around the underside and rim of the rope portion of the Basket, removing the center piece before the Basket is demolded.

3. Cut along the side of the exclusive E-Z CUT BEAD™ (see Fig. 3), making sure to go completely through the plastic. **NOTE:** The bead has a smooth side and an angular side. **Cut on the angular side of the bead** (see Fig. 4). The bead line that remains on the finished Ice Sculpture™ may be scraped smooth after the mold is removed, if you deem it desirable to do so.

4. Use care to peel the mold from the ice. If you are not planning to use the Ice Sculpture™ immediately, place it back in the freezer.

**DISPLAYING SUGGESTIONS**

1. If the base of the sculpture has bowed, you can carefully chip away the excess ice until the base is flat. Or, the Ice Sculpture™ can be placed on a bed of crushed ice to assure stability.

2. For added flair, garnish the base of the Ice Sculpture™.