



## *An Important Chanukah Safety Message From Hatzolah*

### **THE MENORAH IS A SIGNIFICANT PART OF THE CHANUKAH CELEBRATION.**

**It is, however, important to ensure the safety of your family and avoid fire hazards when lighting your menorah.**

- Choose a menorah that's sturdy and made of fire-safe materials.
- Clear the table from all flammable materials like papers and plastic items where you put your menorah.
- Never put your menorah in closed areas like spaces between cabinets or bookshelves.
- If you are to display your menorah in your window, make sure that your curtains are not too close to the candle's flames.
- Never leave lit candles unattended.
- Do not let children or pets play around the area where the menorah is placed.
- Always keep a fire extinguisher in your home for emergency use.
- Don't use PRE-FILLED PLASTIC CUPS.
- Know where your fire extinguisher is located! WATER WILL NOT PUT OUT AN OIL FIRE.

**In case of fire,  
CALL 911 IMMEDIATELY!**