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**CUSTOMER NOTICE****FIRE SUPPRESSION SYSTEMS  
ON BATTERY POWERED SCOOPS**

Recently it was brought to our attention that the Ansul Fire Suppression system may not be properly installed to comply with Ansul and MSHA guidelines. If the system on your machine(s) is not equipped with the Ansul "Triple Tee" (Fairchild part no. TH2023), one should be installed at the junction between the hosing between the dry chemical canister and the hosing to the dry chemical spray nozzles. Also, the ¾" fitting in the bottom of the dry chemical canister that feeds the triple tee should be changed to a straight fitting (Fairchild part no. 02823) if it has a 90 degree hydraulic fitting installed. Hoses running from the triple tee to the individual spray nozzles should also be inspected and may require rearranging their location on the tee or the tee may need to be relocated.

If Ansul, or one of its distributors have inspected your machine(s), the required changes should already have been made.

If you need additional information, please contact your Fairchild Warehouse or our service department at (540) 726-2380. Please have the drawing number of the Fire Suppression System hoses and fittings that is included in the parts catalog for your machine(s) or the serial numbers of the machine(s) ready when you call. This will aid in determining if your system needs to be modified.

**Triple Tee Connection**  
(Part No. TH2023)



**Straight Fitting**  
(Part No. 02823)