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ELECTRICAL & PLUMBING LAYOUT

(USING CENTER PARTITION & GAS UNIT HEATERS)

NOTES:

1. Gas pipe size to be based on heater capacity, gas supply pressure, and length of line. Contact gas supplier or an Agricultural Engineer for required size.

2. All piping to be plastic N.H.C. exposed, or in conduit, according to local and national codes.

3. Do not use a partition for houses less than 30 feet (30 ft. compartments). Use alternate ventilation plan shown below for houses without a partition. For houses less than 30 ft. in length, position heaters in diagonal corners directing heat toward opposite ends of house.


5. Single row of fluorescent lights through center of house can be used for economy, or row of fixtures over benches and beds for more light is optional.

VENTILATION FAN & MOTORIZED SHUTTER WIRING

NOTE: CAN PROVIDE CONTINUOUS WINTER AIR CIRCULATION BY RE-WIRING HEATER FAN TO RUN CONTINUOUSLY WITH THERMOSTAT CONTROLS IN GAS VALVE CIRCUIT FOR SAFETY.

GAS HEATER & THERMOSTAT WIRING