## 12.0 LIMITED WARRANTY

Automated Merchandising Systems Inc. (AMS) warrants this equipment to the Original Purchaser only, for a period of one (1) year from the date of shipment, to be free under normal use and service from defects in material or workmanship, and for three (3) years on the refrigeration unit, electronic control board, and the two sensor boards. The refrigeration unit consists of the compressor, fan motors, relay, and the sealed components of the system. Light bulbs, glass, and painted surfaces are not covered by this warranty.

Should any part prove defective within the warranty period, AMS will repair or replace (at its option) the defective component. AMS will provide normal ground shipment for parts replaced under warranty. This warranty does not cover the labor or other costs associated with removal and reinstallation of a defective component. All defective components, at the option of AMS, are to be returned, properly packaged, freight prepaid, to AMS or to the authorized dealer or distributor from whom the equipment was purchased for verification of the defect. Prior to returning any parts for replacement the customer is to contact the AMS Service Department at (304) 725-6921 for return authorization. AMS reserves the right to refuse any collect shipment.

This warranty applies only if the equipment has been serviced and maintained in strict accordance with the instructions presented in this service manual and no unauthorized repair, alteration, or disassembly has been done. Any defects caused by improper power source, abuse of the product, accident, alteration, vandalism, improper service techniques, or damage incurred during return shipment due to improper packaging will not be covered by this warranty. Likewise, any equipment that has had the serial number removed, defaced or otherwise altered will not be covered by this warranty.

AMS reserves the right to make changes or improvements in its products without notice and without obligation, and without being required to make corresponding changes or improvements in equipment already manufactured or sold.