Retrofit Applications - Framing

The Reduced Clearance versions of the H3 backing plates are specifically designed for retrofit applications where an existing fireplace is being removed, and the existing wall finish and cavity remain. These backing plates incorporate a ventilation slot that allows for a lower combustible header height of 33”, and combustible wall finishes from 31” of the base of the appliance. Reduced Clearance backing plates DO NOT ADJUST for additional finishes applied later.

Note: Installers to verify all clearances to existing combustible materials are adequate before installing this appliance.

Note: Cement board is not required above main cavity opening in retrofit applications (provided all clearances are met).
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H3 1000J

23-7/16" [596 mm]

31-1/8" [791 mm]

5-1/8" from back of backing plate

1" clearance from vent pipe

Center of vent

6-5/8" dia. venting field-convertible from top to rear outlet

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