

PEKUTHERM® ULT, ULT Fine

INJECTION PURGING DIRECTIONS

175°F to 625°F (79°C to 330°C)

- **1.** Leave the barrel full of the out-going polymer.
- 2. Move the barrel back from the tool. (do not run Pekutherm® through the tool or any other restrictions -manifold, dispersion disc, etc. Min. nozzle opening 3mm.)
- 3. Put a receptacle, carton or box in front of the machine nozzle to catch the purged material.
- **4.** Set the screw in the forward position and leave it there. Turn up the back pressure enough to keep the screw forward.
- **5.** Purge at approximately 50% of injection-molding speed.
- **6.** Rotate the screw until the hopper throat is empty of out-going material.
- 7. Introduce a small amount of Pekutherm®, about 20-30% of the total barrel capacity (add it in small amounts. Too much at one time could block the barrel.)
- **8.** Move the Pekutherm® down the barrel and introduce some in-coming material at this time. (If more cleaning is needed, add another small amount of Pekutherm® at this time.)
- **9.** Put in enough in-coming material to fill the barrel and run it through the machine.
- **10.** At this point the change should be complete.

NOTE: Additional amounts of Pekutherm® should be run on extremely dirty or worn machines.

Also, add 10-15% more Pekutherm® when purging a vented barrel machine or a worn machine.

For further assistance, please contact us at UniTemp, Inc. or our sales representative.

