BAKING INSTRUCTIONS FOR PAR-BAKED ARTISAN BREADS

- 1. <u>PULL OUT DESIRED BREAD</u>: Place bread on a pizza stone or directly in oven on center rack at 385° F until the bread reaches the color you desire. Depending on the oven being used, the baking times should be as follows:
 - BAKING TIMES FROM FROZEN STATE:
 - o Dinner Rolls/ Baguettes/mini loaves 12 to 15 minutes.
 - o 1 lb. Loaves 18 to 22 minutes.
 - o 2 lb. Loaves Do not bake from frozen state.
 - BAKING TIMES FROM THAWED STATE:
 - o Dinner Rolls/Baguettes/mini loaves 8 to 10 minutes.
 - o 1 lb. Loaves 12 to 15 minutes.
 - o 2 lb. Loaves 18 to 22 minutes.
- 2. <u>COOLING TIMES</u> (Very Important): Allow the loaves to cool before slicing. This will prevent the center from becoming "doughy".
 - o Dinner Rolls/Baguettes/mini loaves 8-10 minutes.
 - o 1 lb. Loaves 20 minutes.
 - o 2 lb. Loaves 30 minutes.

Note on color: Par-baked loaves are very light in color and not fully baked inside.

Fully baked loaves have a consistent golden-brown color over the entire loaf. However, the loaves may be baked much darker to a deep caramel brown (which is how we prefer them).



