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Image: Front view of the HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet, featuring a white body with a natural wood grain top, two drawers, and two cabinet doors.

1. INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing the HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet. This manual provides essential information for the safe assembly, operation, and maintenance of your new furniture. Please read all instructions carefully before beginning assembly and retain this manual for future reference.

2. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Anti-Tipping Design:** For your safety and to prevent injury, it is crucial to properly attach the cabinet to the wall using the provided anti-tipping hardware. This is especially important if the cabinet will hold heavy items or if children are present in the household.
- **Weight Capacity:** Do not exceed the stated weight capacities for the cabinet. The overall weight capacity is 110 lbs, shelf capacity is 18 lbs, and drawer capacity is 7 lbs. Overloading can lead to instability and damage.
- **Assembly:** Assembly requires careful attention to detail. Do not use power tools for assembly unless explicitly instructed, as overtightening screws can damage the components. It is recommended to have assistance during certain assembly steps, particularly when flipping the cabinet.
- **Proposition 65 Warning:** This product may contain chemicals known to the State of California to cause cancer and birth defects or other reproductive harm.



Image: Close-up view of the anti-tipping mechanism, showing a bracket and screw for securing the cabinet to the wall.

3. PRODUCT COMPONENTS

The HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet is designed for versatile storage and display. Key components include:

- **Top Surface:** A sturdy countertop with a natural wood grain finish, ideal for displaying decorative items or serving dishes.
- **Drawers (x2):** Two smooth-gliding drawers for storing smaller accessories, cutlery, or personal items.
- **Double Door Cupboard:** A spacious lower cabinet with two doors, providing concealed storage for larger items like cooking utensils or dinnerware.
- **Adjustable Shelf:** The interior of the cupboard features an adjustable shelf, allowing you to customize the storage space to fit items of various heights.
- **Sturdy Base:** An elevated base provides stability and a clean aesthetic.



Image: The cabinet with its drawers pulled out and doors open, revealing ample storage space within the drawers and behind the cabinet doors.

4. SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Assembly of the HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet is required. Please follow the detailed instructions provided in the separate assembly manual included with your product. Here are some general tips:

1. **Unpack and Verify:** Carefully unpack all components and hardware. Compare them against the parts list in your assembly manual to ensure nothing is missing or damaged.
2. **Prepare Your Workspace:** Assemble the cabinet on a clean, flat, and soft surface to prevent scratches.
3. **Follow Instructions Carefully:** Pay close attention to the orientation of each piece and the type of hardware used for each step. Some steps may require the cabinet to be built upside down before being flipped.
4. **Do Not Overtighten:** Hand-tighten screws initially and only fully tighten once all components are correctly aligned. Overtightening can strip screws or crack wood.
5. **Seek Assistance:** For certain steps, such as flipping the cabinet or attaching the anti-tipping hardware, having a second person assist will make the process easier and safer.
6. **Install Anti-Tipping Device:** Once assembled and in its final position, securely attach the anti-tipping device to the wall as per the instructions to prevent accidental tipping.



5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet is designed for practical and versatile use in various rooms such as the living room, dining room, or entryway.

- **Storage Utilization:**
 - Use the top surface for displaying decorative items, photos, or as a serving area.
 - The two drawers are ideal for organizing smaller items like keys, mail, remote controls, or cutlery.
 - The double-door cupboard provides ample space for larger items, keeping them neatly out of sight.
- **Adjusting Shelves:** The interior shelf in the cupboard can be adjusted to different heights to accommodate items of varying sizes. To adjust, carefully remove the shelf, reposition the shelf pins to the desired height, and then place the shelf back onto the pins.



Image: Close-up view of the adjustable shelf inside the cabinet, with arrows indicating the ability to move it up or down.

6. MAINTENANCE

To ensure the longevity and appearance of your HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet, follow these simple maintenance guidelines:

- **Cleaning:** The cabinet is melamine coated, making it easy to clean. Wipe surfaces with a soft, damp cloth. Avoid using harsh chemicals, abrasive cleaners, or excessive moisture, as these can damage the finish.
- **Spills:** Wipe up spills immediately to prevent staining or damage to the finish.
- **Hardware Check:** Periodically check all screws and fasteners to ensure they remain tight. Retighten if necessary, but do not overtighten.
- **Avoid Direct Sunlight:** Prolonged exposure to direct sunlight can cause fading or discoloration of the finish.

- **Protect Surfaces:** Use coasters or placemats under hot or wet items placed on the top surface to prevent damage.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

If you encounter issues during assembly or use, consider the following common solutions:

- **Difficulty with Assembly / Long Assembly Time:**
 - Ensure you have all parts laid out and identified before starting.
 - Carefully review each step in the assembly manual, paying attention to diagrams and part orientations.
 - Do not rush the process. Assembly can take several hours.
 - If a step seems unclear, re-read it and check for any small details you might have missed.
- **Drawers or Doors Not Aligning / Gaps:**
 - This is often due to incorrect orientation of a piece or screws not being fully tightened or being overtightened.
 - Carefully re-examine the assembly steps related to the drawers and doors. Ensure all slides and hinges are installed in the correct direction and position.
 - Loosen relevant screws slightly, adjust the component for better alignment, and then retighten carefully.
 - Check if the cabinet itself is level on the floor. Uneven flooring can sometimes affect door and drawer alignment.
- **Wobbly Cabinet:**
 - Ensure all screws are securely tightened.
 - Verify that the cabinet is placed on a flat, level surface. Use shims if necessary to stabilize.
 - Confirm the anti-tipping device is properly installed and secured to the wall.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	HOMCOM
Model Number	838-303V00WT
Color	White
Product Dimensions (D x W x H)	13.75" x 33.5" x 31.5"
Item Weight	57.64 lbs

Overall Weight Capacity	110 lbs
Shelf Weight Capacity	18 lbs
Drawer Weight Capacity	7 lbs
Material	Engineered Wood
Finish Type	Painted
Number of Shelves	1 (Adjustable)
Number of Drawers	2
Assembly Required	Yes
Mounting Type	Floor Mount
Special Feature	Adjustable Shelf, Anti-Tipping Design

9. WARRANTY AND CUSTOMER SUPPORT

For any questions regarding your HOMCOM Sideboard Buffet Cabinet, including assembly assistance, missing parts, or product defects, please contact HOMCOM customer support. While specific warranty details may vary, HOMCOM typically offers support for product issues. Please refer to your purchase documentation or the HOMCOM website for the most current warranty information.

You may also be eligible for a 30-day easy return policy, as indicated at the point of purchase. For all inquiries, please have your model number (838-303V00WT) and purchase details ready.