



Fire Fighter I Certification

Skill # 8 Automatic Sprinkler Systems	Maximum Time Allowed: 15 min.						
<u>INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE</u>							
As an individual, candidate will stop the flow of water from a sprinkler head using sprinkler wedges or stoppers and operate a main control valve on a sprinkler system. Candidate will wear full PPE, SCBA optional.							
CANDIDATE PERFORMANCE				1st Attempt	2nd Attempt		
				Yes	No	Yes	No
STOPS SPRINKLER FLOW							
Evaluator acting as company officer tells candidate “You need to stop the flow of water from the sprinkler head with a wedge or stopper”.							
Candidate has informed the evaluator that they have been trained in this skill ♦							
Stops the majority of flow of water from sprinkler head							
Wears full PPE and SCBA (“on air” optional)							
Wedges or device remain in place after candidate releases them							
OPERATION OF MAIN CONTROL VALVE							
Evaluator acting as company officer tells candidates “You need to shut down flow to automatic sprinkler system.”							
Locates main control valve and shuts down water source to sprinkler system							
Verbalizes how to visually check to see if main control valve is shut down							
Total steps candidate must complete to pass:			4	Total			

♦ **Critical Step** - Failure on this step results in failure of the entire skill.

Candidate Name _____

1st Evaluator Signature _____ Date _____

2nd Evaluator Signature _____ Date _____



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Objective(s): **5.3.14(B) NFPA 1001 Standard 2008 Edition**

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE PROCTOR/EVALUATOR

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Proctor/Candidate Comments

I was informed of the task steps missed that resulted in the failure of this skill and the OSU-FST re-test policies.

Candidate Signature

Date