



AERIAL DRIVER/OPERATOR COMPETENCY EVALUATION

Objective(s): 6-2.3, 6-2.5

Candidate: _____

2003 NFPA 1002 Standard

Primary Task: Position aerial apparatus for elevated stream operation

Skill No. 9 PERFORMANCE CRITERIA AND INSTRUCTIONS

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE MONITOR/EVALUATOR

Given an operational aerial apparatus the candidate shall:

1. Maneuver and properly position the apparatus for the given operation
2. Stabilize the apparatus and transfer power to the aerial device
3. Perform the given evolution

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATE

Given an operational aerial apparatus, the candidate shall maneuver, position and stabilize the apparatus preparing it for elevated stream operation.

PERFORMANCE

	Points	
	Assigned	Earned

1. Candidate safely maneuvers the aerial apparatus into position for the proper placement for situation description.	20	
2. Candidate applies parking brake, engages aerial hydraulic system, exits the apparatus and deploys wheel chocks.	20	
3. Candidate deploys all outrigger/stabilizers according to manufacturer's recommendations and transfers power to the aerial device.	20	
4. Candidate shall: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Raise, extend and rotate the aerial device to the appropriate position. b. Communicates with the pump operator to charge the water way to the appropriate pressure for the nozzle being used. c. Adjusts the direction and pattern of the fire stream as required d. Ensures that the fire stream is shut off before moving the aerial device into a new position or before someone climbs to the top of the ladder to change settings. 	20	
5. Candidate uses safe practices during the entire evolution including staying alert for overhead obstructions and dangling or falling debris.	20	

Notes:

Reference: IFSTA Aerial Apparatus Driver/Operator Handbook 1st Edition

TOTALS

Passing Score

70

Candidate can receive a maximum of the points listed for each performance evaluation section.

**PREVENT OR PROHIBIT UNSAFE ACTS!
CONTACT THE MONITOR AT ANY TIME WITH QUESTIONS**

TEST DATE _____ LOCATION: _____

EVALUATOR NAME (Print): _____

EVALUATOR SIGNATURE: _____