



FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER
(NFPA 1521-2020)

PRACTICAL SKILLS

INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER – NFPA 1521-2020: 5.3.4, 5.3.6

DETERMINE HOSTILE CONDITIONS AND EGRESS OPTIONS

STUDENT NAME:

SKILL SHEET # 3

Skill Objective: Perform the duties of an Incident Safety Officer in identifying hostile fire event conditions at building fires and determine suitability of entry and egress options.

Skill Procedure: The candidate, at an incident or planned event, will perform the duties of an Incident Safety Officer, monitor building/ structure for potential flashover and hostile fire conditions, determine suitability of entry and egress conditions, read smoke conditions (volume, density, velocity and color), eliminate unsafe conditions and communicate effectively within the ICS system.

<u>Items to be checked</u>	FIRST TEST		RETEST	
	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
<i>If the candidate:</i>				
1. Analysis site conditions				
2. Review IAP				
3. Establish incident safety plan				
4. Identify and interpret hazards and conditions				
5. Ability to interpret smoke conditions based on volume, velocity, density and color				
6. Monitor suitability of entry and egress points on the structure				
7. Communicate hazards with incident command (face-to-face and radio)				
8. Anticipate evolving hostile fire conditions				
9. Exercise authority to suspend imminent danger operations				

Candidate MUST successfully master each step listed to pass this skill.

Candidate's Grade: *Pass* *Fail*

Evaluator's Signature: _____ **Date:** _____