



# FIRE DEPARTMENT SAFETY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

**INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER**  
(NFPA 1521-2015)

**PRACTICAL SKILLS**

## INCIDENT SAFETY OFFICER – NFPA 1521-2015: 5.5.1, 5.5.2, 5.5.3, 5.5.4 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS OPERATIONS

**STUDENT NAME:**

**SKILL SHEET # 16**

**Skill Objective:** Perform the duties of an Incident Safety Officer in identifying the need for Hazardous Materials Technician-trained ISO or assistant ISO, perform a review of a Hazardous Materials IAP and conduct a Hazardous Materials incident safety briefing.

**Skill Procedure:** The candidate, at an incident or planned event, will perform the duties of an Incident Safety Officer, determine the need for an assistant ISO, review IAP, deliver a hazardous materials safety briefing and communicate effectively within the ICS system.

<u><b>Items to be checked</b></u>	<b>FIRST TEST</b>		<b>RETEST</b>	
	<b>Pass</b>	<b>Fail</b>	<b>Pass</b>	<b>Fail</b>
<i>If the candidate:</i>				
1. Analyze hazardous materials scene conditions				
2. Determine need for assistant ISO				
3. Review hazardous materials IAP				
4. Identify hazardous materials incident resource needs				
5. Establish incident safety plan				
6. Develop and deliver a safety briefing (hazards, PPE, zones, decon)				
7. Identify and interpret technical documentation, complete required reports				
8. Forecast hazardous materials stabilization strategies and tactics				
9. Establish control/exclusion zones and adapt to changing conditions				
10. Communicate hazards with incident command (face-to-face and radio)				

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

**Candidate's Grade:**

**Pass**

**Fail**

**Evaluator's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_