



Office of Training
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New Jersey Division of Fire Safety

BASIC PRACTICAL SKILLS EXAMINATION REPORT

Skill sheet #

FF2-14

Certification title

Firefighter II
RESCUE OPERATIONS
VEHICLE EXTRICATION--HYDRAULIC RESCUE
SHEARS/CUTTERS

Applicant Information

Candidate name

DFS ID #

Course #

Evaluation

Standard:
NFPA 1001, 2013 Edition
6-4.1

Task

Set up and Operate Hydraulic Rescue Shears/Cutters

Conditions and Outcome

Given personal protective clothing (boots, pants, coat, hood, gloves, eye protection, and helmet), Hydraulic Rescue Shears/Cutters, hydraulic pump, and connectors, the candidate shall demonstrate the proper set-up and use of Hydraulic Rescue Shears/Cutters. An assistant may operate the hydraulic pump under the direction of the candidate. **The candidate will complete this task with a minimum of 9 items answered correctly.**

Number	Task Steps	First Test		Retest #1		Retest #2	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
1	Inspect all furnished hydraulic equipment for damage						
2	Position hydraulic pump outside the work area within hose reach of the scene						
3	Connect the shears/cutting tool to the pump with secure connections						
4	Open the blade arms						
5	Grasp the work to be cut, at the proper angle, well back into the blades						
6	Safely operate the shears/cutting arms to cut the object						
7	Open the blade arms fully and remove the shears/cutting arms from the work						
8	Repeat steps 4-8, to make any additional cuts called for						
9	Close the shear/cutter arms						
10	Disconnect the rescue shears from the pump						
11	Place the rescue shears and all components in the designated area in a ready state for reuse						
Final Test Result for Entire Task							

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