



Office of Training  
and Certification

# New Jersey Division of Fire Safety

## BASIC PRACTICAL SKILLS EXAMINATION REPORT

Skill sheet #

**FF1-55**

Certification title

**Firefighter 1**  
**Performing the One-Fire Fighter Foot-Tilt Method of**  
**Coupling a Fire Hose**

### Applicant Information

Candidate name

DFS ID #

Course #

### Evaluation

**Standard:**  
**NFPA 1001, 2019 Edition**  
**Skill Drill 15-2**  
**Fire Fighter I, 4.3.10**

**Task**  
Properly connect the hose using the one-fire fighter foot-tilt method.

**Conditions and Outcome**  
The candidate shall be provided with a hose and gloves. The candidate shall demonstrate the ability to properly connect a hose using the foot-tilt method.

Number	Task Steps	First Test		Retest #1		Retest #2	
		Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail	Pass	Fail
<b>1</b>	Place one foot on the hose behind the male coupling. Push down with your foot to tilt the male coupling upward.						
<b>2</b>	Place one hand behind the female coupling and grasp the hose.						
<b>3</b>	Place the other hand on the swivel of the female coupling. Bring the two couplings together and align the Higbee indicators. Turn the female coupling counterclockwise until it clicks, which indicates that the threads are aligned. Rotate the swivel in a clockwise direction to connect the hose.						
<b>Final Test Result for Entire Task</b>							
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