7.10: PREVENTION

7.10.1: FIRE INSPECTOR I

7.10.1.1: Overview

A. Fire Inspector I covers those subject areas and skills necessary to conduct basic routine fire inspections and code enforcement.

7.10.1.2: History

A. Established
   • October 2010 (previously Fire Prevention Officer)
B. Revised
   • Not applicable
C. Retired
   • Not applicable

7.10.1.3: Prerequisites

A. None

7.10.1.4: Education

A. Fire Inspector 1A: Duties and Administration
B. Fire Inspector 1B: Fire and Life Safety
C. Fire Inspector 1C: Field Inspection
D. Fire Inspector 1D: Field Inspection – California Specific
E. Hazardous Materials First Responder Awareness

7.10.1.5: Certification Exam

A. None

7.10.1.6: Certification Task Book

A. Fire Inspector I Certification Task Book

7.10.1.7: Experience (one of the following two options)

A. Fire Service
   1. Have a minimum of one year’s full-time paid experience in a Recognized Fire Agency in California as fire inspector or fire prevention officer
2. Have a minimum of two years’ volunteer or part time paid experience in a Recognized Fire Agency in California as a fire inspector or fire prevention officer

7.10.1.8: Rank or Position

A. Appointed to the position of fire inspector or prevention officer

7.10.1.9: Application

A. See 7.2.4: Application Process – With a Certification Task Book.

B. Supporting Documentation
   1. Copies of course completion certificates from SFT for each educational requirement
   2. A verification letter signed by the fire chief, or his/her authorized designee, describing the candidate’s specific background as it relates to the experience requirement (See 4.1.1: Letters of Verification.)

7.10.1.10: Maintenance

A. Not applicable