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Damage Inspection Implementation of New Curriculum

This document is intended to provide information for all State Fire Training (SFT) stakeholders on the new **Damage Inspector Specialist** and **Damage Inspector Manager** training courses utilizing the FIRESCOPE curriculum. Stakeholders are encouraged to study this information carefully and seek clarification from SFT if questions arise.

<p>AH-221: Damage Inspector Specialist (DINS) (16-hours) AH-321: Damage Inspector Manager (DINM) (18-hours)</p>
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COURSES AVAILABLE..... October 1, 2018

The new AH-221: Damage Inspector Specialist (2018) and AH-321: Damage Inspector Manager (2018) utilize the FIRESCOPE curriculum.

INSTRUCTOR REQUIREMENTS Effective October 1, 2018

Instructors for the new Damage Inspection courses must continue to meet the SFT requirements for Registered Instructor. Instructors for the initial roll out of this new curriculum will need to apply for a PACE II review of their instructor qualifications, including appropriate education and practical experience relating to course content. In the future, new instructors will be required to either complete the new course or apply for a PACE II review.

POTENTIAL AGENCY IMPACTS

Fire agencies utilizing Damage Inspection curriculum need to review the new curriculum to ensure that all agency training needs are being met. If not, the local agency may need to augment the curriculum at the local level.

Accredited Regional Training Programs (ARTP), Accredited Local Academies (ALA), community colleges and all other local delivery venues need to review the curriculum and seek approval from their curriculum committee / program sponsor, as appropriate. ARTPs should review the new Fire Marshal curriculum and discuss potential impacts with their advisory committees.