

SCBA RECERTIFICATION TEST

- 1) The remote pressure gauge should read within _____ psi of the cylinder pressure gauge.
 - a. 100
 - b. 200
 - c. 300
 - d. 400

- 2) All regulators have an audible alarm (low-pressure alarm) that sounds when the cylinder pressure decreases to approximately ____ of the maximum rated pressure of the cylinder.
 - a. One-third
 - b. One-fourth
 - c. One-fifth
 - d. One-sixth

- 3) At what percent cylinder capacity does NFPA 1404 consider a cylinder full?
 - a. No less than 80 percent
 - b. No less than 85 percent
 - c. No less than 90 percent
 - d. No less than 95 percent

- 4) Approximately how many seconds must a firefighter remain motionless before the PASS device emits a loud, pulsating shriek?
 - a. 10
 - b. 20
 - c. 30
 - d. 60

- 5) When is the appropriate time to check the SCBA facepiece fit for a positive pressure?
 - a. During weekly inspections
 - b. After each use
 - c. On entering the hazardous atmosphere
 - d. On donning the facepiece.

- 6) What should a firefighter do with SCBA cylinders that are out of hydrostatic test date?
 - a. Discard to be recycled.
 - b. Overhaul in the fire department shop and then send to the manufacture for hydrostatic testing.
 - c. Inspect, hydrostatic test, and then return to service.
 - d. Remove from service and tag for further inspection and hydrostatic testing.

- 7) What should be done if one team member's low-pressure alarm sounds during the suppression of a fire?
 - a. Both members of the team should exit the fire area immediately.
 - b. The team member with air should share his/her air supply with the team member low on air.
 - c. The team should begin controlled breathing and realize that they have approximately 15 minutes to exit the fire area.
 - d. The team member who is low on air should exit the fire area immediately after informing their partner of their intentions.

- 8) SCBA waist straps are designed to properly distribute the weight of the SCBA to the _____.
 - a. Shoulders
 - b. Hips
 - c. Pelvis
 - d. Upper back

- 9) What type of SCBA units does the Derby Fire Department use?
 - a. On demand open-circuit
 - b. On demand closed-circuit
 - c. Positive pressure open-circuit
 - d. Positive pressure closed-circuit

- 10) The Bypass valve on a SCBA unit provides what function?
 - a. To clear the facepiece of fog.
 - b. To make sure that the regulator works.
 - c. To provide a direct air supply from the cylinder to the facepiece in the event of a regulator failure.
 - d. To be used in lieu of the donning switch.