PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHING - INSPECTION/CHECK

1. General

A. This section has the inspections and checks necessary to keep the portable fire extinguishing system in a serviceable condition.

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2. Portable Fire Extinguisher Restoration (Internal Inspection)

NOTE: One hand operated portable fire extinguisher is mounted in the flight compartment on the pilot's door, or mounted between the pilot and the copilot seats on the cargo barrier.

- A. General
 - (1) This task includes the steps necessary to do a restoration (internal inspection) of the portable fire extinguisher.
- B. Special Tools
 - (1) None
- C. Access
 - (1) None
- D. Do the Portable Fire Extinguisher Restoration (Internal Inspection).
 - (1) Remove the hand fire extinguisher from the quick release, clamp type bracket assembly.
 - (2) Send the portable fire extinguisher to an approved fire extinguisher service facility for the internal inspection.
 - (3) Install the hand fire extinguisher in the guick release, clamp type bracket assembly.
- E. Restore Access
 - (1) None

END OF TASK

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3. Portable Fire Extinguisher Functional Check (Weight Check)

NOTE: One hand operated portable fire extinguisher is mounted in the flight compartment on the pilot's door, or mounted between the pilot and the copilot seats on the cargo barrier.

- A. General
 - (1) This task includes the steps necessary to do a functional check of the portable fire extinguisher.
- B. Special Tools
 - (1) None
- C. Access
 - (1) None
- D. Do the Portable Fire Extinguisher Functional Check (Weight Check).
 - (1) Remove the portable fire extinguisher from the quick release, clamp type bracket assembly.
 - (2) Weigh the portable fire extinguisher.
 - (3) Compare the weight of the portable fire extinguisher bottle to the weight shown on the NFPA or UL specification placard, attached to the portable fire extinguisher.

NOTE: It is possible for the pressure gage to show full pressure when the portable fire extinguisher is not fully charged.

- (4) Make sure that the weight of the portable fire extinguisher agrees with the weight shown on the NFPA or UL specification placard.
- (5) If the portable fire extinguisher weight is less than the NFPA or UL specification placard weight, replace the portable fire extinguisher or send it to an approved fire extinguisher service facility.
- E. Restore Access
 - (1) None

END OF TASK

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4. Portable Fire Extinguisher Restoration (Hydrostatic Test)

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NOTE: One hand operated portable fire extinguisher is mounted in the flight compartment on the pilot's door, or mounted between the pilot and the copilot seats on the cargo barrier.

- A. General
 - (1) This task includes the steps necessary to do a restoration (hydrostatic test) of the portable fire extinguisher.
- B. Special Tools
 - (1) None
- C. Access
 - (1) None
- D. Do the Portable Fire Extinguisher Restoration (Hydrostatic Test).
 - (1) Remove the hand fire extinguisher from the quick release, clamp type bracket assembly.
 - (2) Send the portable fire extinguisher to an approved fire extinguisher service facility for the hydrostatic test.
 - (3) Install the hand fire extinguisher in the quick release, clamp type bracket assembly.
- E. Restore Access
 - (1) None

END OF TASK

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