



PRACTICAL CHECK SHEET

Candidate: _____

Successful

Evaluator: _____

Unsuccessful

Date: _____

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Standard:	NFPA 1006 – 2021 edition – 5.3.11
Task:	Demonstrate the ability to escape from a jammed or malfunctioning device during a fixed-rope descent in a high-angle environment
Performance Outcome:	The person descending is attached to the fixed rope in a manner that will not allow him or her to fall, the person descending is attached to the rope by means of a descent control device, the means for escape will allow the rescuer to escape either upward or downward from the malfunctioning descent control device, injury potential to the rescuer is minimized, the system will not be stressed to the point of failure, the system is suitable for the site, and the objective is reached.
Conditions:	Given an anchored fixed-rope system with a simulated malfunctioning descent control device, a system to allow escape from the malfunctioning device, a belay system, a life safety harness worn by the person descending, and PPE
Candidate Directive:	“Using the provided equipment, fixed rope and high-angle environment, demonstrate an escape from a jammed or malfunctioning device”.

NO.	TASK STEPS	TEST	
		Successful	Unsuccessful
1	The person descending was attached to the fixed rope in a manner that would not allow him or her to fall		
2	The person descending was attached to the rope by means of a descent control device		
3	The means for escape would allow the rescuer to escape either upward or downward from the malfunctioning descent control device		
4	Injury potential to the rescuer was minimized		
5	The system would not be stressed to the point of failure		
6	The system was suitable for the site		
7	The objective was reached		



Evaluator/Candidate Comments: _____
