

# ONBOARD FIRE



<b>Member's Name:</b>	<b>Member's Number:</b>
<b>EVALUATION CRITERIA</b>	
Demonstrate corrective actions for combating a Fire onboard an auxiliary facility. A drill will automatically be deemed unsatisfactory if any of the following conditions are met: <b>(S)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jeopardizing safety of passengers and crew (i.e., Engine Cutoff Switch, jewelry, etc.)</li> <li>Unsafe operation or navigation of the boat</li> <li>Failure to wear and use serviceable crew safety and survival equipment.</li> <li>Failure to properly assign and utilize crewmembers.</li> <li>Failure to use applicable operational risk management and updating as necessary.</li> </ul> <b>(COX)</b> required for Coxswain. <b>(BCM)</b> required for Crewmember. All steps with an <b>(S)</b> must be performed for a satisfactory drill by the crew position(s) indicted.	
<b>INITIAL ACTION</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Sound an alarm. Any crewmember who discovers a fire or any indication of fire must sound an alarm and give a location (e.g., "FIRE, FIRE, FIRE IN THE BILGES"). <b>(BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Reduce RPM to neutral on engine(s). <b>(COX)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Secure affected engine(s), if engine fire. <b>(COX)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> If engine fire, secure fuel source if safe to do so and if applicable <b>(BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Verify current position, depth of water, evaluated situation, and informed controlling authority of situation and location. <b>(COX)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Initiate a MAYDAY call to alert boats in the area of the situation. <b>(COX) or (BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> If boat is equipped with an automatic extinguishing system, ensure it is discharging. If the system is manually operated, on Coxswain command, energize it and check to ensure it is discharging. <b>CAUTION: Never enter a compartment after a fire until you are sure it has been properly ventilated. (COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> If no installed extinguishing system and if safe to do so, on coxswain command, crew member combat fire using portable fire extinguisher. <b>(COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> If unable to extinguish fire, prepare life raft or dingy, if available, put it over the side and inflate it, if necessary. <b>(COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
<b>FOLLOW UP ACTIONS</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Stand a fire watch, with portable fire extinguisher (if fire is extinguished). <b>(BCM)</b>	
Secure non-vital electrical power. <b>(COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
Crew member rigs the anchor, as directed by the coxswain. <b>(COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Discuss abandon boat options. Ensure all crewmembers are accounted for and have PPE/survival gear. Discuss operation of Personal Locator Beacon (PLB). <b>(COX) &amp; (BCM)</b>	
<b>(S)</b> Inform unit/Operational Commander as situation/risk changes, tow or other assistance. <b>(COX)</b>	
<b>COMMENTS</b>	