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FIREWORKS SALES SITE INSPECTION

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- At least one of the required fire extinguishers shall be of the pressurized water type. **6.5.2.3**
- At least one of the required fire extinguishers shall be of the multipurpose dry chemical type having a minimum rating of 4A. **6.5.2.4**
- Consumer fireworks storage or work buildings shall not be located within 50 ft (15.2 m) of motor vehicle fuel-dispensing station dispensers, retail propane-dispensing station dispensers, compressed natural gas dispensing facilities, or aboveground storage tanks for flammable or combustible liquid, flammable gas, or flammable liquefied gas **6.7.3.2**
- Consumer fireworks storage or work buildings shall not be located within 300 ft (91.2 m) of any aboveground bulk storage or bulk dispensing area for Flammable or combustible liquid, flammable gas, or flammable liquid gas. **6.7.3.1**
- Exterior doors and windows shall be kept locked when the building is not occupied or otherwise attended. **6.11.3**
- Firearms, unless carried by authorized personnel or law enforcement personnel, shall not be permitted inside a consumer fireworks storage or work building, room, or area or within 50 ft (15.2 m) of stored consumer fireworks. **6.11.5**
- Smoking materials, matches, lighters, or open flame devices shall not be allowed within 50 ft (15.2 m) of any area where fireworks or other pyrotechnic materials are present. **6.11.5.1.1**
- Authorized smoking locations shall be so marked, shall contain designated receptacles for disposal of smoking materials, and shall be provided with at least one approved portable fire extinguisher for use on Class A fires. **6.11.5.1.2**
- Signs that read as follows in letters not less than 4 in. (102 mm) high on a contrasting background shall be conspicuously posted on the outside of any consumer fireworks storage building: FIREWORKS — NO SMOKING **6.11.6**
- No loose Black Powder or other exposed pyrotechnic composition shall be permitted. If loose composition is discovered, it shall be removed immediately and disposed of in an approved manner. **6.12.1**
- Consumer fireworks storage or work buildings, rooms, or areas shall be kept clean, dry, and free of grit and rubbish; Tools used for cleaning up loose pyrotechnic composition shall not have spark-producing metal parts; and sweepings shall be disposed of in an approved manner. **6.12.2**
- The area around consumer fireworks storage or work buildings shall be kept clear of brush, dried vegetation, rubbish, and similar combustibles for a distance of at least 25 ft (7.6 m). **6.12.3**
- The requirements of this chapter shall not apply to CFRS facilities or stores where the

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consumer fireworks are in packages and where the total quantity of consumer fireworks on hand does not exceed 125 lb (net) [56.8 kg] of pyrotechnic composition or, in a building protected throughout with an approved automatic sprinkler system installed in accordance with NFPA 13, *Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems*, 250 lb (net) [113.6 kg] of pyrotechnic composition. **7.3.1.1**

- Where the actual weight of the pyrotechnic composition of consumer fireworks is not known, 25 percent of the gross weight of the consumer fireworks, including packaging, shall be permitted to be used to determine the weight of the pyrotechnic composition. **7.3.1.2**
- Smoking shall not be permitted inside or within 50 ft (15.5 m) of the CFRS area. **7.3.11.1**
- At least one sign that reads as follows, in letters at least 2 in. (51 mm) high on a contrasting background, shall be conspicuously posted at each entrance or within 10 ft (3.05 m)
- of every aisle directly serving the CFRS area in a store: FIREWORKS — NO SMOKING **7.3.11.2**
- CFRS facilities and stores shall not be located within 50 ft (15.2 m) of retail propane-dispensing station dispensers, aboveground storage tanks for flammable or combustible liquid, flammable gas, or flammable liquefied gas; or compressed natural gas-dispensing station dispensers. **7.3.12.1**
- New CFRS facilities and stores, existing CFRS stands and tents, and temporary CFRS facilities shall not be located within 50 ft (15.2 m) of motor vehicle fuel-dispensing station dispensers. **7.3.12.2**
- The minimum number of exits provided from the retail sales area shall be not less than three or as determined in accordance with

NFPA 101, *Life Safety Code*, whichever number is greater. **7.3.14.1.1**

- Required means of egress from the retail sales area shall not be allowed to pass through storage rooms. **7.3.14.1.2**
- Exits provided for the retail sales area of tents, membrane structures, canopies, and permanent CFRS facilities, including Class C stores, shall be located so that the maximum egress travel distance, measured from the most remote point to an exit along the natural and unobstructed path of egress travel, does not exceed 75 ft (22.9 m). **7.3.14.2**
- Aisles serving as a portion of the exit access in CFRS areas shall comply with this paragraph. **7.3.14.3**
- Aisles shall have a minimum clear width of 48 in. (1.2 m). **7.3.14.3.1.1**
- The required width of aisles shall be maintained unobstructed at all times the facility is occupied by the public. **7.3.14.3.1.2**
- Not less than one aisle shall be provided and arranged so that travel along the aisle leads directly to an exit. **7.3.14.3.2.1**
- Other required exits shall be located at, or within 10 ft (3.05 m) of, the end of an aisle or a cross-aisle. **7.3.14.3.2.2**
- Aisles shall terminate at an exit, another aisle, or a cross-aisle. **7.3.14.3.2.3**
- Dead-end aisles shall be prohibited. **7.3.14.3.2.4**
- To provide for visual access of the retail sales area by the employees and customers, partitions, counters, shelving, cases, and similar space dividers shall not exceed 6 ft (1.8 m) in height above the floor surface inside the perimeter of the retail sales area. **7.3.15.2***

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- Merchandise on display or located on shelves or counters or other fixtures shall not be displayed to a height greater than 6 ft (1.8 m) above the floor surface within the CFRS area. **7.3.15.2.1**
- Where located along the perimeter of the consumer fireworks retail sales area, the maximum height of sales displays shall be limited to 12 ft (3.66 m). **7.3.15.2.2**
- Where continuous displays of consumer fireworks are located on shelving, cases, counters, and similar display fixtures, a flame break shall be provided so that the maximum distance between flame breaks does not exceed 16 ft (4.9 m) where measured along the length of the display. **7.3.15.3.1**
- Only consumer fireworks meeting the criteria for covered fuses 7.3.15.5.2 shall be permitted where the retail sales of consumer fireworks are conducted. **7.3.15.5.1**
- A consumer fireworks device shall be considered as having a covered fuse if the fireworks device is contained within a packaged arrangement, container, or wrapper that is arranged and configured such that the fuse of the fireworks device cannot be touched directly by a person handling the fireworks without the person having to puncture or tear the packaging or wrapper, unseal or break open a package or container, or otherwise damage or destroy the packaging material, wrapping, or container within which the fireworks are contained. **7.3.15.5.2**
- Aerial devices shall be packaged and displayed for sale in a manner that will limit travel distance of ejected pyrotechnic components if ignition of the fireworks occurs. **7.3.15.6***
- Means of egress, including but not limited to aisles, doors, and exit discharge, shall be clear at all times when the facility or the building is occupied. **7.3.19.1**
- No consumer fireworks shall be displayed for sale or stored within 5 ft (1.5 m) of any public entrance in an enclosed building or structure. **7.3.19.2.1**
- No consumer fireworks shall be displayed for sale or stored within 2 ft (0.6 m) of any exit or private entrance in an enclosed building or structure. **7.3.19.2.2**
- CFRS facilities and stores shall be secured when unoccupied and not open for business, unless fireworks are not kept in the facility during such times. **7.3.19.3.1**
- The fireworks displayed or stored in a CFRS facility or store shall be allowed to be removed and transferred to a temporary storage structure or location. **7.3.19.3.2**
- Fireworks shall not be ignited, discharged, or otherwise used within 300 ft (91.5 m) of a CFRS facility or store. **7.3.19.4**
- Not less than 50 percent of the available floor area within the retail sales area shall be open space that is unoccupied by retail displays and used only for aisles and cross-aisles. **7.3.20 Display and Handling.**
- CFRS areas and storage rooms shall be kept free of accumulations of debris and rubbish. **7.3.21.1**
- Any loose pyrotechnic composition shall be removed immediately. **7.3.21.2**
- Vacuum cleaners or other mechanical cleaning devices shall not be used. **7.3.21.3**
- Brooms, brushes, and dustpans used to sweep up any loose powder or dust shall be made of nonsparking materials. **7.3.21.4**
- Consumer fireworks devices that are damaged shall be removed and not offered for sale. **7.3.21.5**
- Damaged consumer fireworks shall be permitted to be returned to the dealer or

