



New Penalty Sheets (March 2025)

P1	Infringement of any rule laid down in the Rules Governing Events for which a definite penalty has not been stated	10 Sec
P2	Any competitor acting in an unbecoming manner in accordance with the Fire Rescue NSW Regulations	10 Sec
P3	Mishandling of appliances or equipment, kicking, or kinking hose, throwing equipment. (Abuse of Equipment in anyway)	10 Sec
P4	Pump operator not wearing the vest & one competitor to wear vest in other events (except ladder practice)	10 Sec
P5	Leaving a fully charged hose lying on the ground with or without branch attached unattended by a competitor. (With water coming out)	10 Sec
P6	Failing to have each branch held by a separate competitor before both hoses are fully charged. Fully charged hose defined as a hose with water coming out at one end	10 Sec
P7	Strike both targets by a competitor in charge of a branch	10 Sec
P8	Pump operator leaving designated area (crossing line)	10 Sec
P9	Competitor leaving standpipe unattended and washout occurs at any coupling	10 Sec
P10	Competitor in charge of the branch failing to have part of the branch and part of the body on or over branch line when target hit	10 Sec
P11	Failure to complete hose connections at Standpipe or motor at competition of the event	10 Sec
P12	Hose trays are not to be removed from the hose box when removing hose. (If hose trays fall out and are replaced before competition of the event there is no Penalty)	10 Sec
P13	Failure to start on the sounding of the start signal	10 Sec
P14	Not obeying Instructions / Commands given by Marshalls or Examiners	10 Sec
P15	Competitor running out more than one length of hose at a time from the Pumper or Hydrant. (A competitor may take two ends of a flaked hose to the Breeching piece without penalty)	10 Sec
P16	A competitor after the target has been struck or the electronic alarm sounded, as the case maybe, touching the hose or gear before being requested by the Examiner. (Working on gear after the end of the event)	10 Sec
P17	Branch operator upright and stable when target hit	10 Sec
P18	Failure to have standpipes within one half turn of being hand tight (Standpipes to be checked with hose/s disconnected)	2 Sec
P19	Standpipe jumping out of hydrant after time having been recorded but before being tested or checked by the Examiner	5 Sec
P20	Collector / Feed or filler hoses must pass under the delivery hoses	5 Sec
P21	Charged hose in hose lockers or trays. (Hose expanded by air or water)	5 Sec
P22	Branch or coupling coming off after time recorded but before being tested or checked by the Examiner	5 Sec
P23	Failure to run out coiled and rolled lengths of hose in the approved method. Hose is to be out of the locker and move in a forward motion.	5 Sec
P24	Failure to have both lugs engaged on hose with Storz couplings	2 Sec
P25	Pump operator leaving Pump unattended. (Must not cross pump operator lines)	10 Sec
P26	If the second 70mm hose, 38mm hose or Davey Pump are touched before the first evolution is complete	10 Sec
P27	If the motor driver does not say "Pump Disabled"	2 Sec
P28	If the Engine throttle, Pump collector valve and delivery valve are not turned off after the first evolution	5 Sec (each)
P29	If the rolled hose from Davey Pump delivery is not deployed around the outside of the standpipe	10 Sec
P30	Failure to complete connecting second filler hose before target two is struck	10 Sec
P31	Failure to turn off isolating valve on booster, before opening booster delivery	10 Sec
P32	Competitor in charge of the branch failing to have control of the branch prior to turning on the valve	10 Sec

BA		
P33	Facemask strap not overhead prior to donning	1 Sec
P34	SCBA not donned "coat style"	1 Sec
P35	Harness and air hose lines not positioned correctly. (Inc Twisted straps)	1 Sec
P36	DSU tally not placed correctly in BA Control Board. Writing facing out	1 Sec
P37	SCBA wearers not crossing the Pump Operators line together (1 pace)	1 Sec
P38	SCBA wearers not keeping within 1 pace of each other after crossing the Pump Operators line until they strike the target	1 Sec
P39	SCBA wearers running	4 Sec
P40	Failing to complete the Pre-Operational check component before the BA event commences on the track	10 Sec
P41	Competitors must be in a stable upright position one on either side of the branch and in control of the hose before hitting the target with water	10 Sec
P42	BA wearers only to be in control of branch beyond pump operator's 5 m penalty line	10 Sec
P43	Use water from the First Aid tank	10 Sec
P44	Incorrect pump pressure on foam making line. This is pre-set and penalty will apply if pump speed NOT operated by competitor. Checked by Motor Examiner	5 Sec
P45	Incorrect Eductor setting to be (3). This is pre-set to "OFF" and penalty will apply if NOT adjusted to (3) by competitor. Checked by Motor Examiner	10 Sec
P46	Incorrect branch setting (230 LPM). This is pre-set and penalty will apply if adjusted by competitor. Checked by branch line examiner.	5 Sec
Combi		
P47	Life knots tied incorrectly	10 Sec
P48	Life knots packed incorrectly	5 Sec
P49	General knots tied incorrectly	5 Sec
P50	General knots packed incorrectly	5 Sec
P51	Not entering & exiting the work area through the witches hats	2 Sec
P52	(Combi Tool operator not giving the correct commands (Power On, Power Off.) Operator not in control of tool when giving command for power on)	2 Sec Per Command
P53	Not fully opening the Combi jaws prior to cutting	10 Sec
P54	Not returning the combi tool jaws to the park position (the gap being daylight through jaws & not more than the thickness of the off cut piece of steel)	10 Sec
P55	Not turning off the hydraulic valve before stopping the pump	5 Sec
P56	Not returning equipment to designated area	2 Sec
Rik		
P57	Not entering & exiting the work area through the witches hats	2 Sec
P58	Not opening the wheel valve &/or close the hydraulic valve before operating the pump	2 Sec
P59	Not using hammer to insert door opener	2 Sec
P60	Not operating pump using hand-grip on pump handle	10 Sec
P61	Door Opener operator not giving the correct commands (Power On, Power Off.) (Operator not in control of tool when giving command for power on)	2 Sec Per Command
P62	Not opening the door until the buzzer sounds	2 Sec
P63	Not opening the hydraulic valve, &/or closing the air valve &/or locking the handle down when stowing the pump after use	2 Sec
P64	Not returning equipment to designated area	2 Sec
P65	Door opener not returned to park position correctly	10 Sec

Stokes		
P66	Not entering & exiting the work area through the witch's hats	2 Sec
P67	Any competitor straddling the stokes litter	2 Sec
P68	Not giving the correct commands (Prepare to lift – Lift)	2 Sec
P69	Knocking over any of the posts	2 Sec
P70	Not giving the correct commands (Stop – Prepare to lower – Lower)	2 Sec
P71	Not placing the stokes litter in the designated area	10 Sec
P72	Running while carrying Stokes Litter	10 Sec
P73	Not wearing PPE for entire event	10 Sec
P74	Fail to close tank to pump valve before pump is pressurized from hydrant water	10 Sec
P75	Open 2nd delivery before tank to pump valve is closed. (After first target has been struck)	10 Sec
P76	Extinguisher not placed in the upright position after striking the target	5 Sec
P77	Moving second length of hose before at least one competitor has completed their first stage of the evolution	10 Sec
P78	Starting the pump before the suction hose is connected	10 Sec
P79	Opening tank to pump valve	10 Sec
P80	A competitor carrying both branches further than the Motor Drivers line (5 metres) towards branch line.	10 Sec
P81	Collector hoses must be fully charged	10 Sec
Ladder		
P82	When the timing bar is pressed, the competitor must be in a stable position on the platform and clear of the ladder	10 Sec
P83	Competitor not using ladder rungs as handholds during ladder climbing	10 Sec
P84	Competitor not using each rung on ladder climbing or missing a rung on ladder climbing	10 Sec
Disqualifications		
D1	All breaches of safety requirements	DQ
D2	Failure to obey a Safety Stop Command	DQ
D3	Failure to clip on at branch line before starting any work on tower and striking target	DQ
D4	Pump operator opening either delivery before each branch operator clipped on and signal given by raising hand.	DQ
D5	Branch or hose being allowed to fall from ladder or platform to ground	DQ
D6	Failure to wear safety harness	DQ
D7	Failure to carry hose aloft with branch attached in the approved method.	DQ
D8	Branch to be on the Competitor's back with hose across the body	DQ
D9	Activating throttle before engine is running	DQ