



Hot-Work Permits and Fire Watch Inspection Checklist

Interactive checklist for inspecting hot-work permits and fire watch during welding. Commentable and exportable as PDF/Excel.

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Permit Verification

1	Ensure the hot-work permit is properly filled out and authorized before welding begins.
2	Check the expiration date on the hot-work permit to ensure it is valid for the welding duration.
3	Verify that all required safety measures are listed on the permit.

Safety Precautions

4	Ensure all flammable materials are removed or protected in the area where welding will occur.
5	Confirm that fire extinguishers are readily accessible and in working order.
6	Check that appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) is worn by all personnel.

Fire Watch Duties

7	Assign a trained fire watch to monitor the welding area continuously.
8	Ensure the fire watch has a clear view of the welding area and can access all necessary fire control tools.
9	Verify that the fire watch understands the emergency procedures and how to activate fire alarms.

Post-Welding Inspection

10	Conduct a thorough inspection of the welding area for any signs of smoldering materials or fire hazards.
11	Ensure the fire watch remains on duty for at least 30 minutes after welding is completed.

Documentation

12	Record the details of the inspection and any incidents that occurred during the welding process.
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Introduction	How to use this checklist
<p>The inspection of hot-work permits and fire watch during welding is critical to ensuring safety and compliance in any environment where welding activities occur. This process involves verifying that all necessary permits are correctly issued and that a vigilant fire watch is in place to prevent accidents. By adhering to this checklist, you can mitigate risks associated with welding, such as fires and injuries. The checklist offers interactive features allowing users to tick items, add comments, and export the final report as PDF or Excel, secured by a unique QR code for authenticity.</p>	<p>1. Gather all necessary tools and safety equipment, including a copy of the hot-work permit, fire extinguishers, and personal protective equipment. 2. Click the "Use this checklist" or "Start Interactive Checklist" button to launch interactive mode. 3. Tick each item online as you complete it to ensure thorough inspection. 4. Add comments on individual items or the entire checklist as needed for clarity or notes. 5. Click Share or Download to download your completed checklist as PDF or Excel for record-keeping.</p>