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# Indian Standard

# SELECTION, INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF FIRST-AID FIRE EXTINGUISHERS — CODE OF PRACTICE

## (Fourth Revision)

#### **1 SCOPE**

This standard lays down recommendations for selection, installation, maintenance and testing of first-aid fire extinguishers.

**NOTE** — The water, carbon dioxide, mechanical foam fire extinguishers of capacity 50 litre and above are termed as mobile extinguishers in the Indian Standards which have been formulated; however, for the purpose of this standard these as well as all other types of trolley mounted extinguisher will be treated under general classification of fire extinguishers

#### **2 REFERENCES**

The standards listed in Annex A contain provisions which through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All standards are subject to revision and parties to agreements based on this standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the standards indicated at Annex A.

### ANNEX A

#### (*Clause* 2, 7.2 and 10.10)

### LIST OF REFERRED INDIAN STANDARDS

IS No.	Title
940 : 1989	Specification for coarse and fine aggregates from natural sources for concrete ( <i>second revision</i> )
1641 : 1988	Code of practice for fire safety of buildings (general): General principles of fire grading and classification ( <i>first revision</i> )
2171 : 1999	Specification for portable fire extinguishers, dry powder (cartridge type) ( <i>fourth revision</i> )
2546 : 1974	Specification for galvanized mild steel fire buckets (first revision)
2878 : 2004	Fire extinguisher, carbon dioxide type (portable and trolley mounted) — Specification ( <i>third revision</i> )
4308 : 2003	Dry chemical powder for fighting B and C class fires — Specification (second revision)

Title
Specification for portable fire extinguishers for air craft: Part 1 Halon 1211 type ( <i>first revision</i> )
Gas cartridges for use in fire extinguishers — Specification (third revision)
Portable fire extinguishers, water type (stored pressure) — Specification ( <i>first revision</i> )
Fire fighting equipment — Glossary of terms (first revision)
Functional requirements for twin CO <sub>2</sub> fire extinguishers (trolley mounted) ( <i>first revision</i> )
Specification for portable fire extinguisher, mechanical foam type (first revision)
Specification for higher capacity dry powder fire extinguisher (trolley mounted) ( <i>first revision</i> )
Specification for portable fire extinguishers — Halon 1211 type
Specification for dry powder fire extinguishers for metal fires
Specification for fire extinguisher 50 litre capacity wheel mounted water type (gas cartridge)
Specification for 50 litre capacity fire extinguisher, mechanical foam type
Specification for portable fire extinguisher dry powder type (stored pressure)
Dry chemical powder fighting A, B, C class fires — Specification
Fire extinguisher — 135 litre capacity chemical foam type — Specification
Portable fire extinguisher mechanical foam type (stored pressure) — Specification
Portable fire extinguisher — Performance and construction