**SAMPLE HOT WORK PERMIT FOR CUTTING OR WELDING**

Company Name: Date:

Work Location: Type of Work:

Start Time: Finish Time:

| **CHECKLIST FOR HOT WORK** | **YES** | **NO** |
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| Person doing hot work has been trained in safe operation of equipment, and how to work safely |  |  |
| Appropriate PPE (eye protection, helmet, protective clothing, respirator, gloves, etc.) available |  |  |
| Where work permits, welding booth screens will be used |  |  |
| Fire extinguishers placed for immediate use |  |  |
| Floors swept clean of combustible materials for a radius of 35 feet |  |  |
| Combustible floors dampened, covered with damp sand, or protected with fire-resistant shields |  |  |
| Combustible materials and supplies moved at least 35 feet away from hot work location |  |  |
| Wall and floor openings (windows, etc) within 35 feet of work location have been covered |  |  |
| Equipment not to be used near flammable vapors or liquids, or containers that have contained flammable vapors or liquids |  |  |
| Fire hazards that can’t be moved protected by appropriate guards |  |  |
| Dusts and conveyor systems such as duct work that might carry sparks cleaned, protected and shut down where necessary |  |  |
| Any pipe lines to containers disconnected or blanked |  |  |
| Equipment to be used is in good condition |  |  |
| If welding a container, container has been thoroughly cleaned and ventilated |  |  |
| On-site contractors advised of hot work |  |  |
| Warning sign(s) posted to warn other workers |  |  |
| If working in confined space, confined space permit has been issued |  |  |
| Inspect work area after work is done to ensure it is safe |  |  |
| Maintain a fire watch during operations and for 30 minutes after work has been completed |  |  |

*For specific requirements, refer to General Industry Standards 1910.146, 1910.252, 1910.253, 1910.254, 1910.272, and Construction Standards 1926.803, 1926.350, 1926.352, 1926.343.*