

**JOB TITLE:** Firefighter

**DEPARTMENT:** Fire Station

**REPORTS TO:** Fire Station Manager

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**MAIN SCOPE & FUNCTION OF JOB:**

To carry out fire and rescue duties in an emergency situation. Undertake routine maintenance, test and inspections of firefighting equipment and protection systems. Undertake statutory examinations on a regular basis to enable the company to maintain compliance with CAA UK Reg 139/2014 (the UK Aerodromes Regulation).

**KEY DUTIES and RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- To participate in fire and rescue duties, to follow instructions from senior officers; to ensure the effectiveness of the operation and minimise damage to life and property.
- Inspect, test and repair fire service and associated protection and detection equipment keeping records of all work undertaken to ensure the fire service operates effectively (after receiving the appropriate training).
- Carry out special service duties such as dealing with fuel spillages; carry out snow clearance operations, airfield de-icing operations.
- Provide Aircraft Handling assistance and First Aid when necessary.
- Complete documentation, produce written reports in conjunction with operational duties and fire service procedures, maintain up to date records.
- Assist in staff Fire Safety training programmes ensuring compliance with relevant regulations/legislation.
- Checking operational serviceability of domestic fire alarm systems, fire prevention/protection equipment as detailed by the Watch Commander.
- Undertake such specialist skills as required by the department, after training to ensure that the RFFS is stand alone and self-sufficient, e.g., Equipment test, inspection, and service programmes.
- Participate in general Fire Station housekeeping duties including routine cleaning programmes.
- Maintain up to date and accurate evidence of ongoing development of RFFS

skills (CAP 699 competency), Individual Training Records and Operational Incident Files.

- To undertake any other task commensurate with the responsibilities and level of this post as reasonably requested.

**QUALIFICATIONS / EDUCATION / SKILLS:**

- Good level of education
- Full, clean driving licence
- Good level of fitness & health

**REQUIRED TO ACHIEVE THROUGH TRAINING COURSES:**

- Minimum EASA Approved Aviation Firefighters Certificate of Competence
- Breathing Apparatus Wearers Certificate
- First Aid at Work / Trauma Care Certificate HSE Approved
- LGV Class 2 driving licence

Applicants should also lead by example, motivate others, and create team spirit and possess a positive can-do attitude.