



Figure 13.1: Fire Protection Systems for Under Construction Buildings

## Points to Ponder

Because of the huge occupant load of workers on construction sites, under construction exit stairs and accumulation of large quantity of construction materials in exit ways, the emergency evacuation by workers is not always easy.

Alternative methods of escaping from higher floors such as escape chutes, escape ladders and escape slides should be considered and provided as per manufacturer's guidelines and safety precautions along with training workers of their usage.