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Trojan Safety Services: Reference Fire Fighter

Dear Sir/Madame

I am writing to express my interest in joining the Trojan Safety Services team through the position of Fire Fighter.

I am an experienced Fire Fighter with over 6 years experience currently serving with the Royal Canadian Air

Force. Through training and emergency calls I have been able to demonstrate my ability to successfully manage

and coordinate Fire Hall duties as well as ever changing emergency situations.

As a Fire Fighter, Crew Chief and Acting Deputy Platoon Chief I have been recognized by peers, supervisors and

other agencies for quick thinking, calm and correct responses to a multitude of crisis and emergency situations.

Through military training I have proven skills in risk management, superior leadership, coordination and

management skills.

With training, certification and real world experience in the use and maintenance of fire extinguishers to major

foam vehicles, public fire prevention and education to emergency medical response. I have the necessary skills

and qualifications for this position and look forward to the opportunity to discuss my suitability to join the Trojan

Safety Services team.

Sincerely

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## **Professional Experience:**

Fire Fighter, Royal Canadian Air Force,

August 2007 - Present

Duties include but are not limited to Fire Suppression, Air Craft Fire Fighting, Emergency Medical Responder, Difficult Rescue, Hazardous Material response and Fire Prevention and Education, with the utmost focus on customer care and service.

Qualification course 5A, Canadian Forces Fire Academy,

January -July 2010

Practical and theoretical studies in such areas as Sector Commander for Structural, Air Craft Rescue, Difficult Rescue and Hazardous Material responses. Other areas of theoretical and practical study include Fire Suppression and Detection Systems, Fire Protection and Life Safety, Pumper/Aerial/ARFFV operator and Chemical Biological Radiological and Nuclear Operator.

Qualification course 3A, Marine Institute, Safety and Emergency Response Training Centre,

January – September 2008

IFSAC accreditation received in NFPA 1001 level 1 and 2, NFPA 1002 Pumper Driver Operator, NFPA 1003 Air Craft Rescue Fire Fighting, NFPA 472 Hazardous Material Awareness/Operator/Technician, NFPA 1006 Rescue Technician involving Vehicle Extrication/Heavy Machinery, High Angle Rescue and Confined Space Entry and Rescue.

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## **Education:**

Aerial / Air Craft Rescue Fire Fighting Vehicle Operator - June 2011

Annual Canadian Aviation Regulations standard 323 Air Craft Fire Fighting recertification

Annual H2S Alive recertification

Canadian Red Cross Emergency Medical Responder Health Care Provider – Feb 2011

Annual Work Place Hazardous Material Information System recertification

Durham College Fire and Emergency Services Training Certificate - July 1999

Basic Officer Qualification Course - May 2005

Ontario Secondary School Diploma - June 1997

Basic Military Qualification Course - November 2007

Marine Based Fire Fighting for Land Based Fire Fighters – July 2008

MSA C.A.R.E. Technician - November 2010

Introduction and Protection of Controlled Goods - October 2011