

## DALMIA CEMENT (B) LIMITED – CEMENT PLANT ARIYALUR SAFETY DEPARTMENT MANUAL



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**USE OF FIRE EXTINGUISHER** 

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Hazards Involved: Caught in between, Slip & Fall

**Selection of Personal Protective Equipments:** Gloves and Mask.

**Instruction:** 

## Follow the PASS Method:

- **Pull the Pin** at the top of the extinguisher. The pin releases a locking Mechanism and will allow you to discharge the extinguisher.
- **A Aim at the base of the fire,** not the flames. This is important in order to put out the fire, you must extinguish the fuel.
- **S Strike the Knob.** This will release the extinguishing agent in the extinguisher.
- S Sweep from side to side. Using a sweeping motion, move the fire extinguisher back and forth until the fire is completely out. Operate the extinguisher from a safe distance, several feet away, and then move towards the fire once it starts to diminish. Be sure to read the instructions on your fire extinguisher different fire extinguishers recommend operating them from different distances.

Remember: Aim at the base of the fire, not at the flames!!!!