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Standard for the Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance of Water-Based Fire Protection Systems

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1. *Remove the asterisk in 6.2.4.1 to read as follows:*

6.2.4.1* Pipe and fittings shall be inspected annually from the floor level.

2. *Add new paragraph 6.2.4.1.1 and renumber A.6.2.4.1 as follows:*

6.2.4.1.1* Pipe and fittings shall be free of mechanical damage, leakage, and corrosion.

~~A.6.2.4.1~~ **A.6.2.4.1.1** Surface corrosion not impacting the integrity of the piping strength or raising concern of potential leakage should not warrant the replacement of piping. A degree of judgment should be applied in determining the extent of corrosion that necessitates replacement.

Substantiation: The added language was missed when including the pipe and fittings inspection requirements for standpipe systems to correlate with the inspection requirements for sprinkler systems in Chapter 5. This TIA adds the missing section and provides the performance criteria for the annual inspection of the pipe and fittings for standpipe systems.

Emergency Nature: The standard contains an error or an omission that was overlooked during the regular revision process.

The section was inadvertently omitted when correlating Chapter 6 inspection requirements with Chapter 5.

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