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| Minimum Standard for Accreditation (MSA) | | |

Course Outline(continued)

| <u>Time</u> | <u>Topic</u> | <u>Notes</u> |
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| 4:00 | Organizational Structure and Administration | |
| 2:00 | Pre-Fire Planning / Organizing the Response | |
| 4:00 | Strategy and Tactics Simulations Exercises | |
| 1:00 | Company Officer role in training system Using the training system to increase personal skills and effectiveness | |
| 1:00 | Personal Improvement Plan / Exam / Course Evaluation | |

Competency Evaluation Mechanism: Competence will be demonstrated by participation in group activities, development of a personal action plan for improvement, and written final exam.

Learning Outcomes (Behavioral Objectives):

Upon completion of this course, the student will be able to:

1. Describe three characteristics of an effective leader.
2. Describe the basic types of organizational structures in emergency service organizations.
3. Perform an effective size up of an emergency scene and develop and initial incident action plan.
4. Determine methods of estimating needed equipment and human resources at an emergency scene.
5. Define the role of a company officer in the training system.
6. Develop a personal action plan to improve their skills as a company officer.

Questions/Comments: Please contact the Assistant State Fire Academy Administrator