

INDUSTRIAL CYLINDER RELIEF VALVE REPLACEMENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

Regarding industrial cylinders (this includes cylinders used on forklifts and buffers) it should be noted that the relief valves are to be replaced on a regular basis. Measures should be taken to replace (and fully document the replacement of) relief valves in all industrial cylinders per NFPA pamphlet 58. As you know different states acknowledge different versions of NFPA 58, therefore you should adhere to the code which your state acknowledges.

All editions of NFPA 58, even back to the 1992 edition, contain information regarding the replacement of “industrial cylinder pressure relief valves”; hardly any of the wording has changed. You will need to refer to section 2.3.2.5 (or in the older editions 2-3.2.5) in all of the editions back to 1992 to find the exact wording which pertains to the laws in your state. Again, you know which edition your state acknowledges, so just go by what that edition says.

Here is the wording from the 2001 NFPA 58:

2.3.2.5 All cylinders used in industrial truck service (including forklift truck cylinders) shall have the cylinder’s pressure relief valve replaced by a new or unused valve within 12 years of the date of manufacture of the cylinders and every 10 years thereafter.

The following signatures acknowledge the fact that the need to replace cylinder relief valves has been thoroughly discussed, acknowledged and understood.

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Customer Representative

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