



AGENCY PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY

**AIRPORT CRASH RESCUE FIRE LIEUTENANT
(MILITARY DEPARTMENT)**

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| ANNUAL SALARY: \$58,134 | SALARY GROUP: PS 15 | APPLICATION CLOSING DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2012 | EXAM NO: 120160APMC |
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SPECIAL APPLICATION AND EXAMINATION INSTRUCTIONS APPEAR BELOW.

PURPOSE OF CLASS: In the Military Department, Connecticut Air National Guard Base, this class is accountable for acting as a working supervisor of an assigned shift of Firefighters engaged in performing fire fighting and fire prevention operations and the provision of crash rescue, emergency medical and crisis response services as applied to airports and aircraft rescue situations.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

THIS PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATION IS OPEN TO ANY **CURRENT** EMPLOYEE OF THE **DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY** WHO BY **FEBRUARY 14, 2012** HAS PERMANENT STATUS IN THE CLASSIFIED SERVICE*, SIX MONTHS SERVICE AT THE **DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY**, AND THE FOLLOWING EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING:

GENERAL EXPERIENCE: Three years of experience as a Firefighter in an organized fire department at the level of a National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Firefighter 2 or in the state fire fighting service.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Incumbents in this class must maintain membership in the Connecticut Air National Guard for at least six years which may be in the Airport Crash Rescue Firefighter class, a combination of time while served in the Airport Crash Rescue Firefighter and/or Airport Crash Rescue Fire Lieutenant classes or from the time of new hire into the Airport Crash Rescue Fire Lieutenant class. Incumbents may be required to attend the Air Force Firefighting School within six months of hire. Incumbents in this class must possess and retain National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) Fire Officer 1 certification. Incumbents in this class will be required to possess and retain a Department of Defense security clearance. Incumbents in this class will be required to complete required training in accordance with the Department of Defense Instruction 6055.6M within one year of appointment to the classification. Incumbents in this class may be required to possess and retain Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) certification or Paramedic license. Incumbents in this class may be required to possess and retain Department of Construction Services, Office of State Fire Marshal, Fire Marshal certification. Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a valid Motor Vehicle Operator's license with proper endorsements and a valid Military Operator's license.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES: Considerable knowledge of fire fighting, fire prevention and crash rescue techniques as applied to airports and aircraft crash situations; knowledge of fire investigation, inspection and prevention techniques; knowledge of and ability to utilize and implement Incident Command System in accordance with the National Incident Management System (NIMS); knowledge of emergency medical services techniques; knowledge of hazardous materials and instrumentation; knowledge of fire safety codes; some knowledge of training practices and procedures; considerable interpersonal skills; oral and written communication skills; ability to evaluate emergency situations and develop effective course of action; ability to work under pressure; ability to prepare reports; ability to utilize computer software; some supervisory ability.

CHARACTER REQUIREMENT: In addition to the checking of references and of facts stated in the application, a thorough background investigation of each candidate may be made before persons are certified for appointment.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS: Incumbents in this class must have general good health, be free from any disease or injury which would impair health or usefulness and possess and retain sufficient physical strength, stamina, agility, endurance and visual and auditory acuity to perform all the duties of the class. Applicants may be required to pass a physical examination.

WORKING CONDITIONS: Incumbents in this class may be exposed to a moderate amount of lifting equipment, danger of injury or loss of life during fire fighting and crash rescue operations and handling of hazardous materials, significant mental stress of responding to life and death emergencies and strongly disagreeable conditions including exposure to weather, loud noises and hazardous materials.

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| THE EXAMINATION WILL BE COMPOSED OF: | <u>PART</u> EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING | <u>WEIGHT</u> 100% |
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APPLICATION/EXAMINATION INSTRUCTIONS: In order to be considered for admittance into this examination, you must complete all parts of the examination application (CT-HR-12) detailing how you meet the minimum experience and training requirements stated above. Make certain your application form clearly details your employment history, including job titles, dates of employment, hours worked per week and actual job duties as well as college degrees earned and current licenses and certifications. **THIS MATERIAL WILL CONSTITUTE THE EXAMINATION FOR THIS CLASS. Your examination will only be scored if you meet the minimum experience and training requirements outlined above and your completed application form is date stamped by DAS/Human Resources or postmarked by February 14, 2012. A separate application form must be submitted for each exam you are applying for.** Mail applications to DAS/Human Resources, Room 404, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT. 06106-1658 (**Secure Fax #860-622-2910**). If faxing materials make certain that your application form is complete and transmitted correctly and without error. Incomplete faxes or faxes received blank because pages were faxed upside down will not be accepted. Due to the large number of applications received, we cannot confirm receipt of applications. **Examination scores will be mailed by March 26, 2012.**

FORMS: Application forms (CT-HR-12) and exam announcements are available from the Department of Administrative Services (<http://das.ct.gov/employment>) and at the Department of Military.

**Employees in the unclassified service may be eligible to participate in promotional exams if they have previous permanent status in the classified service and have current status as a state employee.*

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