1.2.2
This standard shall also establish basic criteria for the evaluation and selection process associated with purchasing open-circuit SCBA to assure only SCBA that meet the requirements of NFPA 1981, Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services or NFPA 1986 are acquired for use by emergency services organizations.

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1.3.1.4

This standard shall apply to open-circuit SCBA that were certified by an independent third-party certification organization as compliant with the 2002 edition, or 2007 edition, of NFPA 1981, Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus for the Fire and Emergency Services, or with the 2007 edition or later editions of NFPA 1981, Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus for the Fire and Emergency Services, or with the 2017 edition of NFPA 1986.

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2.2 NFPA Publications.
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4.3.7*

The organization shall develop an SOP that requires that no member of the organization performs any alterations to the SCBA's form, fit, or function that causes the certification to the National Institute for Occupational Health and Safety (NIOSH) or to NFPA 1981, *Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services*, or NFPA 1986 to be invalid.

4.3.8

The organization shall require that all members who use SCBA or are responsible for any part of the organization's respiratory protection program are informed and trained not to make any alterations or changes to any SCBA's original condition that causes the NIOSH certification of the respirators or the certification of the SCBA in accordance with NFPA 1981, *Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services*, or NFPA 1986 to be invalid.

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4.4.1 SCBA that are currently in service shall be certified as compliant with at least one of the following standards:


(2) NFPA 1981, Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services, 2007 edition


(4) NFPA 1981, Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services, 2018 edition

(5) NFPA 1986, Standard on Respiratory Protection Equipment for Technical and Tactical Operations

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5.1.2

The organization shall review the following standards as a minimum:

(1) NFPA 1981, *Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services*

(2) NFPA 1982, *Standard on Personal Alert Safety Systems (PASS)*, where SCBA-integrated PASS are being considered as an accessory for the SCBA

(3) NFPA 1986, *Standard on Respiratory Protection Equipment for Technical and Tactical Operations*

5.1.2.1

Fire department organizations shall also review NFPA 1500, *Standard on Fire Department Occupational Safety and Health Program*, and 29 CFR 1910.156.

5.1.2.2

Organizations in the United States shall also review 29 CFR 1910.134.

5.1.2.3

Organizations outside the United States shall also review all applicable national, state/provincial, and local regulations.

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5.1.7
Purchase specifications shall require evidence that the SCBA to be purchased are certified as compliant with NFPA 1981, *Standard on Open-Circuit Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus (SCBA) for Emergency Services*, or NFPA 1986, as appropriate.

5.1.7.1
Where SCBA-integrated PASS are installed as an accessory to the SCBA, the SCBA-integrated PASS shall be certified as compliant with NFPA 1982, *Standard on Personal Alert Safety Systems (PASS)*.

5.1.7.2

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