MODULE 2: DESCRIBE THE WORK

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Name of confined space: Manhole

Internal reference no.:

Work to be done: Valve closing

Description of work: It is necessary to close the water pipe valve to carry out downstream work

Is it necessary to enter the confined space to do the work? ☑ Yes ☐ No

1 How many entrants are required at the same time to perform the work? ☑ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ >2

2 How many attendants and rescuers are required for the work? ☑ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ >2

3 Does the work (entry into space and job) require any particular experience or expertise? ☑ Yes ☐ No

If yes, specify: *N/A*

4 Does the work require being in any particular physical shape or mental health (e.g., long and demanding task, very estricted workspace, need to go up and down ladder repeatedly)?

☐ Yes ☑ No If yes, specify: *N/A*

5 How frequently must such work be done?

☐ Daily

☐ Weekly

☐ Several times per year

☐ Each year

☐ Less than once a year

☐ On an emergency, priority basis

☑ Unknown

6 At what time of year usually?

- [ ] Winter
- [ ] Spring
- [ ] Summer
- [ ] Fall
- [x] Variable
- [ ] All year round

7 How long should the work in the confined space take?

- [x] Short time (e.g., < 30 minutes)
- [ ] Medium to long time

At what time of day is the work supposed to be done?

- [x] Day
- [ ] Night

8 Are there time constraints related to the work (e.g., production, very short time frame, other crews waiting, essential service) that put pressure on the workers?

- [ ] Yes
- [x] No

If yes, specify: *N/A*

9 Once in the confined space, what type of progression is required to get to the place where the job is to be done?

- [x] Vertical progression only
- [ ] Horizontal progression only
- [ ] Vertical and horizontal

10 During the work, will the attendant be able to see, hear or otherwise communicate with the worker in case a rescue procedure needs to be initiated?

- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

If yes, specify: N/A

11 Does the work to be done involve any other hazards?

- [ ] Pressure wash
- [ ] Working at heights
- [ ] Using specific tools or equipment (e.g., welding, torch cutting, grinding, drilling, tightening screws/bolts)
- [ ] Using a generator
- [ ] Using or generating chemicals and aerosols (e.g., welding, painting, gluing, cleaning)
  - [ ] Simple asphyxiant (e.g., methane, carbon dioxide) or chemical (e.g., carbon monoxide).
  - [ ] Flammable or explosive material, combustible dust.
  - [ ] Toxic substance.
  - [ ] Irritant (e.g., gas causing irritation).
  - [ ] Corrosive (e.g., acid, alkaline).
  - [ ] Carcinogen (e.g., radioactive).
  - [ ] None of the above
- [ ] Working under load, load at height, falling tools
- [ ] Handling of heavy objects
- [ ] Ergonomic or temperature constraints of wearing clothing or PPE (e.g., visibility, sweating)
- [x] No additional hazards

12 **During the work, will it be possible for the worker to have his/her harness fastened at all times to a lifeline solidly secured to an anchoring point outside the confined space?**

☑ Yes ☐ No