



# Fire Prevention Officers' Association of British Columbia

## Equivalency 1033

Operational Guideline 071

References:	Pro Board Criteria:
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### 1.0 General Information


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- 1.1 Purpose:** To provide a written, formal policy for granting equivalency to career fire investigators to NFPA 1033.
- 1.2 Responsibility:** It is the responsibility of all Fire Chiefs, of career and Volunteer Fire Departments, Law Enforcement and approved Investigating Agencies, to be familiar with this guideline.

### 2.0 Procedures

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- 2.1** It is the decision of the FPOABC and the Academy equivalency for NFPA 1033 Fire Investigator will not be granted.
- 2.2** Any qualified individual wanting Pro Board Approved NFPA 1033 certification will be required to apply to the FPOABC and challenge both the written and practical evaluation process as established by the FPOABC. Successful Students will be issued a certificate of achievement with the Pro Board seal. Successful Students will also be registered on the Pro Board Registry.

  
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