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Luncheon Seminar – Thursday, May 27th, 2010

OVERVIEW OF REVISIONS TO NFPA 13 **"STANDARD FOR THE INSTALLATION OF SPRINKLER SYSTEMS"**

Presented by Larry Keeping, P.Eng., Vipond Fire Protection

An overview of the recent changes to the 2010 edition of NFPA 13 - Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems will be presented. The overview will review significant revisions to the standard including the following:

- Clarification of the rules for ceiling pockets,
- The size of dry-pipe and pre-action systems and water delivery times,
- Protection of spaces above drop ceilings that are open to one side to an adjacent floor space,
- Protection of storage with large clearances to the ceiling above,
- The truncation of the density/area curves for storages,
- Schemes for the protection of records storage.

Larry Keeping joined the Engineering Department of the Toronto Branch of Vipond Fire Protection in June 1973, shortly after graduation from the University of Toronto. In 1990 he was designated as Vipond's Corporate Engineer and that is the position in which he still serves. Larry is an active member of the Canadian Automatic Sprinkler Association (CASA). He chairs CASA's Technical Committee and represents CASA on the NFPA 13 Technical Committee on Inspection Testing and Maintenance of Water Based Systems, the NFPA 13 Technical Committee on Sprinkler Systems Installation Criteria, the NFPA 13 Technical Committee on Sprinkler Systems Discharge Criteria, the Ontario Fire Code Retrofit Advisory Committee for Residential Care Occupancies and the Ontario Fire Code Technical Committee for Parts 3, 4 & 5 On Objective Based Codes.

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Payment – Cheque, M/C, Visa , AMEX

Location – Cami Automotive, 300 Ingersoll Street, Ingersoll

Registration at 8:30 a.m. – Seminar to start promptly at 9:00 a.m. – Lunch approx. 12:30 p.m.

Limited Seating - Pre-registration is a must to OIFPA – oifpa@interlynx.ca

\$100.00 + GST for OIFPA Members - \$125.00 + GST for Non Members

Beverages and Light Lunch is Provided

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