

**Weekly Sprinkler Alarm Valve Test Card**

**Installation No:**

**Emergency Service Calls:**

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Week Ending	System Pressure		Alarm Valve and Bell		Isolation Valves			Dry Installations		Electrical Alarms	System Leakage	Tested by
	Pressure on Gauge above Alarm Valve		(4) Time taken to sound Bell after opening 15mm test valve.  (5) Are both in working order?	(6) Is the MAIN STOP VALVE secured fully open by a padlock and leather strap?  (7) Are other STOP VALVES controlling water supplies fully open?	Is the BYPASS valve secured closed by a padlock & leather strap (if installed)	(9) Installation air pressure.  (10) Is the air compressor working correctly?		Have the alarms operated and did the central station receive the signal?		Are there any signs of leakage from the system?		
	Before test	After Test										
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13

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**Weekly test:** must be carried out to ascertain that the Alarm is in working order, the central station has received the signal and the water supply is in good working order. Sound the alarm Bell for a minimum of 30 seconds.  
**Mains Stop Valve:** The installation main stop valve must be secured open by means of a padlock and leather strap.  
**Spare Sprinklers:** An adequate stock of spare sprinklers heads must be maintained; any used heads must be promptly replaced.  
**Storage:** A clear space of 500mm must be maintained below sprinkler deflectors under normal conditions, in high piled storage areas this shall be 1000mm.  
**Sprinkler Heads:** Must on no account be painted.  
**Heating:** Heating must be maintained above 4°C in the valve room at all times, and 4°C in all other areas for WET installations.

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