



California State Fire Marshal **CODE INTERPRETATION**

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Topic	Labels or Tags for a Fire Suppression System		
Code Section(s)	Title 19, CCR, Section 906.1		
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Is a service company allowed to affix a red tag with the words "Do not remove by order of the State Fire Marshal" or the State Fire Marshal Seal to a fire system to signify that the system is not in operable condition in accordance with it's intended use.

No. The State Fire Marshal's seal and the words, "Do not remove by order of the State Fire Marshal" can only be used when authorized by regulation. The label and tag depicted in Title 19, Section 906.1 is the only label or tag permitted by regulation for fire suppression systems.