CANDIDATE: Refer to the rating requirements listed in the Introduction and Orientation section of the USPA IAD and Static-Line Instructor Rating Course outline in the USPA Instructional Rating Manual. Some requirements are listed there alone, and some are listed only on this proficiency card. Sign-off dates may not be more than 12 months old as of the course start date. Many requirements may be performed in conjunction with a USPA IAD or Static-Line Instructor Rating Course.

VERIFYING OFFICIALS: Use this form to record that the candidate has met all necessary requirements for the USPA IAD or Static-Line Instructor rating. The level of official verification is indicated with each requirement. Each of the undersigned certifies that he or she has personally verified those qualifications listed.

*Current USPA Instructors need not meet starred requirements.

IAD AND STATIC-LINE INSTRUCTOR RATING COURSE

PROFICIENCY CARD

PRIOR TO ARRIVAL AT THE USPA INSTRUCTOR RATING COURSE:

1. Assisted in two IAD or static-line first-jump courses.
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date

2. Assisted in training a skydiver on at least three practice deployment IAD or static-line jumps, including debriefing.
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date

3. Conducted four simulated or actual IAD or static-line jumps with experienced jumpers (B license and 100 jumps) acting as students.
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date
   - IAD or Static-Line Instructor signature Date

4.* Observed ground preps in Categories B, C, E, and F.
   USPA Instructor signature Date

$60 RATING FEE: ☐ Paid by candidate with application ☐ Returned with After-Action Report

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5. *Assisted in training at least two first-solo freefall students, including debriefing.

   USPA Instructor signature   Date
   USPA Instructor signature   Date

6. *Correctly taught freefall stability and basic freefall maneuvers, including freefall turns, backloops, barrel rolls, front loops, and tracking.

   USPA Instructor signature   Date

7. *Prepared an effective canopy flight plan and provided ground-to-air (for example, radio) instruction for winds up to 14 mph.

   USPA Instructor signature   Date

8. *Participated in the spotting and aircraft lessons from Categories D through H (or equivalent training).

   (initials:) Category D Category G
   Category E Category H
   Category F

   USPA Instructor signature   Date

9. *Made 10 jumps to teach and observe basic group freefall skills (verification of 10 entries in the candidate’s logbook).

   Course Examiner’s signature   Date

10. Correctly answered at least 80% of the questions on the USPA (check one)
    ❑ IAD or ❑ Static-Line Instructor Final Examination.

    Course examiner signature   Date

11. Demonstrated satisfactory knowledge of static-line rigging procedures for both direct-bag and static-line assist (static-line only).

    Course examiner signature   Date

12. *Demonstrated competence to gear up and check a student.

    Evaluator signature   Date

13. *Demonstrated competence to spot for a student.

    Evaluator signature   Date

14. Received personal instruction from an USPA IAD or Static-Line Instructor (per rating sought) on the following emergency areas:

    • aircraft Course examiner signature   Date
    • static-line student in tow Course examiner signature   Date

15. Completed one satisfactory IAD or static-line Category B training evaluation.

    Course examiner signature   Date

16. Completed one satisfactory Category D freefall and canopy training session and air evaluation.

    Course examiner signature   Date

17. Conducted at least two actual IAD or static-line jumps.

    Course examiner signature   Date

18. Participated in all portions of the USPA (check one)
    ❑ IAD or ❑ Static-Line (check one) Instructor Rating Course.

    Course examiner signature   Date

RATING RECOMMENDATION

I have personally examined and recommend this applicant for the USPA IAD or Static-Line Instructor rating. He or she has demonstrated the ability to train and supervise ❑ IAD ❑ static-line (check one) students and to train and supervise non-method-specific students for the USPA A license.

   Course examiner name (please print) and member #
   Course examiner signature   Date
   Course Location            Training Method (IAD or Static-Line)

COURSE/EXAMINER VERIFICATION CHECKLIST

(Examiners, please verify the following)

❑ Examiner membership and rating expiration date___________
❑ Course Location ___________________ (must be a current USPA Group Member drop zone)
❑ Candidate USPA Membership expiration date___________
❑ Full Course ❑ Challenge Course (See Section 1 of course syllabus for requirements)
❑ Proof of non-USPA Static-Line/IAD rating (challenge only)

THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED TO USPA BY A COACH EXAMINER OR INSTRUCTOR EXAMINER (SEE IRM 1-3).