

HALIFAX FIRE DEPARTMENT R&R ARTICLE 23	CONSECUTIVE SHIFTS
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In order to ensure for the safety of all Department members, and to provide prompt and proficient services to the community the following order is implemented:

Fire Officers and Firefighters shall not be allowed to work any more than four (4) consecutive shifts of duty, without taking one complete shift off. A shift will be a 10 hour day shift or 14 hour night shift. A shift off will in no way be a regular duty shift. Members will not be eligible for overtime or swaps if it pushes you past 48 hours continuous service.

The Chief of Department reserves the right to make exceptions to this regulation in the case of extenuating circumstances. Any requests for an exception must be requested of the Chief, or in his absence, the Deputy Chief.