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**Purpose**

*Include a simple statement about why you are writing this document.*

**Scope**

*Describe to whom and/or under what circumstances the document applies.*

**Roles and Responsibilities**

*Identify the key roles/people and their associated responsibilities.*

**Definitions**

*Outline the applicable key terms and their definitions as it relates to the standard operating procedure.*

**Procedure**

*Include step-by-step instructions using simple language. Insert tables, diagrams, charts, bulleted lists, footnotes, etc. as applicable.*

**References, Materials, and/or Additional Information**

*List all citations and references to other documents/tools. If none, write “None”.*

**History**

*With each revision, there should be an updated effective date, version number, author (if applicable), and description of the change.*

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