

**AFFIDAVIT AND APPLICATION FOR  
WARRANT TO ENTER PREMISES TO DETERMINE  
CAUSE AND ORIGIN OF FIRE OR EXPLOSION**

JD-CR-78 New 6-88 C.G.S. § 29-311

**TO: A Judge of the Superior Court**

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The undersigned, being duly sworn, deposes and states the following:

1. Premises under investigation (Specify location of fire or explosion and adjacent premises if necessary):

2. Owner(s) or occupant(s) of the premises described above:

3. Date and time fire or explosion which is the subject of  
the investigation was reported to a police or fire agency:

Date reported	Time  <b>.m.</b>
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4. The ☐ cause ☐ origin of the fire or explosion has not yet been determined.

5. Summary of any prior investigation to determine the cause and origin of the fire or explosion:

6. Date(s) and time(s) during which investigative activities to determine the cause and origin of the previously described fire or explosion are sought to be conducted:

Date	Time	Date	Time

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7. Description of the continued use of the building and of the owner's efforts to secure it against intruders; if any:

WHEREFORE, the undersigned request that the Court issue a warrant authorizing the affiants and/or other people listed in section 29-311 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, to enter into and upon the premises or buildings and premises adjacent thereto, described in this affidavit and application, during the date(s) and time(s) named in this affidavit and application, in order to begin, resume or continue the investigation described in this affidavit and application.

#### STATE OF CONNECTICUT

City/town	Date	Signature and title of affiant(s)
SS.		
SS.		
<b>Jurat</b>	Subscribed and sworn to before me on:	Date Signed (A Judge of the Superior Court)

#### WARRANT TO ENTER PREMISES TO DETERMINE CAUSE AND ORIGIN OF FIRE OR EXPLOSION



The foregoing affidavit and application for a warrant to enter into and upon the premises where a fire or explosion has occurred, to begin, resume or continue an investigation pursuant to section 29-311, having been presented to and been considered by the undersigned, a Judge of the Superior Court, the undersigned finds that the requirements of subsection (b) of section 29-311 of the General Statutes of Connecticut have been met.

The undersigned also finds that the proposed activities are a reasonable intrusion onto the premises to determine the cause and origin of the fire or explosion.

Now, therefore, pursuant to the authority of subsection (b) of section 29-311 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, I hereby authorize the commissioner of public safety as state fire marshal or any local fire marshal within his jurisdiction and all duly authorized fire and police personnel acting within their jurisdiction, to enter into and upon the premises or buildings described in said affidavit and application, to begin, resume or continue said investigation:

☐ during the date(s) and time(s) specified in the foregoing affidavit and application.

☐ on the following date(s) and the following time(s) (specify):

Date	Time	Date	Time
Signed at	On (Date)	Signed (A Judge of the Superior Court)	
, Connecticut			