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NATIONAL FIRE EQUIPMENT SYSTEM
CACHE MEMORANDUM NO. 19-3

To: NFES: National Interagency Support Caches

From: David Haston, Chair – NWCG Equipment Technology Committee

Subject: Introduction of replacement 5 Gallon fuel tank for high pressure pumps (NFES 000218)

Background:
The current fuel tank (NFES 000218) is no longer available. The National Technology and Development Program (NTDP) has approved a replacement fuel tank.

Discussion Points and Findings:
The replacement fuel tank has some differences due to construction methods. The cap is smaller and the fuel line fitting is on the side of the can instead of the front. The fuel tank will provide similar performance but the labeling location will be slightly different.

Required Action and Direction:
Label the fuel tank as shown below. The refurbishment unit will update the refurbishment guide and provide guidance on the fuel tank refurbishment process as needed.

Additional Information:
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