

## Briefing the Candidate(s) for a Practical Simulation Exercise

1. Prior to Assessment and Testing, Candidate(s) will be fully briefed on the standards and performance criteria required for IWCF certification. The following information (refer to the IWCF Members manual) will be posted and/or given to the candidate.
  - A. "Candidates Examination Notes", Form QA-RD1
  - B. IWCF Rotary Drilling Well Control Certification Syllabus: -
    - Surface Well Control Equipment*
    - Pre-Recorded Information*
    - Causes of Kicks*
    - Indicators of a Kick*
    - Shut in Procedures*
    - Kick Data*
    - Well Control Calculations*
    - Kill Problems*
    - Well Control Management*
  
2. Candidates will be briefed on their role as either a Driller or Supervisor candidate dependant on the level at which they are to be tested. Candidate(s) will be assessed on their demonstrated ability to:
  - A. Set up for drilling.
  - B. Recognise a drilling break and positive kick.
  - C. Perform the shut-in within the shortest possible time in accordance with the appropriate procedure.
  - D. Complete the kill sheet and kill the well using the designated procedure. (Wait & Weight or Driller's Method).
  - E. Bring the pump up to kill speed maintaining constant bottom hole pressure.
  - F. Operate the remote choke and make adjustments in accordance with the time delay to maintain constant bottom hole pressure.

**The Candidate(s) will not receive any assistance from the assessor during the test exercise.**