



Commissioner's Orders

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POLICIES

Fire Safety Charging Policy

The [Fire Safety Charging Policy](#) has been published on the intranet.

Key points

The Fire Brigades Regulation 2014 sets the current policy for the charging for Fire Safety Services which can be found in Clause 46 and 48.

The purpose of the [Fire Safety Charging Policy](#) is to provide guidance to FRNSW staff regarding the application of that policy and the process for charges to be waived.

Who needs to read the plan?

This policy needs to be read by Fire Safety staff.

Rescindment

N/A – first version of the policy.

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PROCEDURES

Criminal Proceedings

Key points

All employees of Fire and Rescue NSW must report in writing to the Commissioner any criminal proceedings commenced against that employee. Reports must be forwarded immediately the employee becomes aware of criminal proceedings being commenced against them.

All employees of Fire and Rescue NSW who are arrested by the Police must report the matter in writing to the Commissioner immediately.

If a manager/supervisor becomes aware of an employee being arrested or having criminal proceedings commenced against them, they should report the matter to the Director Professional Standards immediately.

At the commencement of any criminal proceedings, or in the case of arrest, an employee should also provide all relevant details and documentation, including the nature and particulars of the offence and/or charge i.e.: Police fact sheets, court attendance notices, court dates etc to Professional Standards to assist in the assessment and management of the matter.

Reports to the Commissioner of criminal proceedings and provision of document can be forwarded in a sealed envelope marked 'Confidential' to the Manager Conduct and Complaints, Professional Standards Branch, 1 Amarina Avenue, Greenacre NSW 2190; or by email to ProfessionalStandards@fire.nsw.gov.au. Reports to the Commissioner can also be made in writing via your chain of command and/or zone or area office.

Who needs to read the plan?

This procedure needs to be read by all staff.

Rescindment

This Commissioner's Order rescinds In Order 2001/10 re: Criminal Proceedings.

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FIREFIGHTER NOTICES

Vacancies

All current firefighter vacancies may be accessed via the [Internal Jobs Board](#) and applications must be completed online by following the links provided. For any technical assistance in submitting your application via I Work for NSW please contact I Work for NSW Support on 1800 562 679.

Online applications must include a resume and address the two targeted questions.

Operational Support Inspector, Wellbeing Coordinator

Applications are invited from officers holding the rank of Inspector or Leading Station Officer for the role of Wellbeing Coordinator, Health and Safety.

Inquiries: Alison Donohoe on 0409 241 019

Closing date: 06 October 2021

Taleo reference: 00008GF7

Training Officer Rescue, Operational Support Station Officer/Operational Support Level 2

Applications are invited from Senior Firefighters with at least 36 months service at Senior Firefighter rank with FRNSW as of the closing date for applications. The successful applicant will be conditionally appointed as Operational Support Station Officer ss per 14.10.1 Crown Employees (FRNSW Permanent Firefighting Staff) Award 2020 for the position of Training Officer Rescue. This is the third round of advertising.

Inquiries: A/Inspector Jeff Morse, Team Leader Rescue Training

Closing date: 06 October 2021

Taleo reference: 00008GYT

Station Officer, Armidale, Regional Operations

Applications are invited from Firefighters at the rank of Station Officer, Leading Station Officer and Leading Firefighter for the role of Station Officer, Armidale, Regional Operations. Please note the successful candidate will not be required to reside within the Armidale area or surrounding regions.

Inquiries: Inspector Wayne Zikan, Duty Commander RN3 on 0408 440 100.

Closing Date: 6 October 2021

Taleo Reference: 00008GGB

Station Officer Rutherford, Metropolitan Operations

Applications are invited from firefighters holding the rank of Station Officer, Leading Station Officer, Leading Firefighter and Senior Firefighter with 36 months experience at the Senior Firefighter rank for the position of Station Officer, Rutherford, MN3 This is a re-advertised position.

Inquiries: A/Superintendent Paul Collis on 0417 412 065.

Closing Date: 6 October 2021

Taleo Reference: 00008FWY

Appointments

Service No.	Name	Position	Effective date
8249	S Nugent	Relieving Station Officer Muswellbrook	30 August 2021

Promotions

Leading Firefighter to Station Officer

9291	K Matthews	27 August 2021
7492	A Coleman	27 August 2021
8768	B Kemble	27 August 2021
8523	J Slade	27 August 2021
8361	W Haynes	27 August 2021
9045	J Lonergan	27 August 2021
9257	L Cameron	27 August 2021
8262	M Jullienne	27 August 2021
8710	L Harris	27 August 2021
7630	R Gategood	27 August 2021
900049	C Parker	27 August 2021
8300	D Ball	27 August 2021

Firefighter to Qualified Firefighter

906764	Evan Lister	26 August 2021
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Recruit Firefighter to Firefighter

907798	L Duke	03 September 2021
907799	S Edward	03 September 2021
907800	A Egan-Jesson	03 September 2021
907801	J Grubb	03 September 2021
907802	M Grunert	03 September 2021
907803	D Irvine	03 September 2021
907804	S King	03 September 2021
907805	B Livingstone	03 September 2021

907806	R McGrath	03 September 2021
907807	L Murty	03 September 2021
907808	B Porra	03 September 2021
907810	J Robertson	03 September 2021
907811	A Sparkes	03 September 2021
907812	L Steele-Mills	03 September 2021
907813	D Swanbury	03 September 2021

New members appointed to Brigades

908105	C Ahrens	Walcha	17 August 2021
908106	M Hoare	Coffs Harbour	19 August 2021
908108	T Jones	Gilgandra	20 August 2021
908109	R Ford	Peak Hill	20 August 2021
908110	B Webb	Lambton	23 August 2021
908113	H Smith	Dubbo	25 August 2021
908114	K Flisher	Barham	30 August 2021
908115	L Barbagallo	Bellingen	30 August 2021

Appointment to Rank

903484	RetF D Mifsud	Deputy Captain	Abermain	26 August 2021
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Relinquishment of Rank

900919	DCapt G Churchin	Retained Firefighter	Mulwala	28 August 2021
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Separations

6784	Chf Supt G McKinnon		27 August 2021
905322	RetF M Warn	Mittagong	29 July 2021
522092	DCapt C Dickson	Bega	31 May 2021
903628	RetF S Fawcett	Goonellabah	31 July 2021
904635	RetF R Marriott	Merimbula	06 August 2021
905023	RetF A Lawes	Port Macquarie	06 August 2021
906957	RetF C Jones	Yamba	06 August 2021
900230	RetF K Miles	Nambucca Heads	08 August 2021
904900	RetF S Eglington	Goonellabah	11 August 2021
521794	Capt M Redmond	Brewarrina	12 August 2021
907425	RetF H Davidson	Guyra	14 August 2021

Retirements

6141	SF S Simmons	26 August 2021
6362	INSP S Parkins	30 August 2021
6810	SF M Foggett	02 September 2021
6170	SF G Stenner	06 September 2021

270006	RetF R Hambly	Cowra	15 July 2021
520011	Capt E Michelmore	Merrylands	21 July 2021
214008	Capt B Hall	Barham	31 July 2021
345038	RetF S Smith	Kempsey	15 August 2021

Honorary List

270006	RetF R Hambly	Cowra	16 July 2021
520011	Capt E Michelmore	Merrylands	22 July 2021
214008	Capt B Hall	Barham	01 August 2021
521794	Capt M Redmond	Brewarrina	13 August 2021
345038	RetF S Smith	Kempsey	16 August 2021

ADMINISTRATION AND TRADE NOTICES

Appointments

Service No.	Name	Position	Effective date
908079	K Baecher	Occupational Psychologist	18 August 2021
903581	M Bowers	Manager Engagement	23 August 2021
907046	A Dunsford	Manager Digital & Creative Services	06 September 2021
908111	A McRae	Occupational Psychologist	01 September 2021
905078	D Burgess	Network Administrator	30 August 2021

Separations

906899	T Carse	Occupational Psychologist	25 August 2021
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Paul Baxter
Commissioner
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