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Subject: Parliamentary Committee - Fire Services Select Committee

Dear Parliamentary Committee,

I write to you to express my concerns regarding the current Bill-Fire Services which has stalled in the Upper House. As a VSBV delegate both for Lismore Brigade and D6. Our members are totally opposed to having Fire And Rescue personnel being seconded to CFA. We should employ our own staff OM's and OO'S, instructors etc. and control our future. Also, we need lateral entry into CFA at all levels to ensure our capability into the future. We need our Chief Officer to have control of finance, employment and decision making for all Vols. We live in a unique part of the world here in Vicitoria re fire services and we do not need to go backwards in protecting our local communities.

Regards

Malcolm Marks

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