NEW SOUTH WALES FIRE BRIGADES

OPERATIONS BULLETIN 2006/09



New radio callsigns for Zone Commanders, Duty Commanders and Senior Instructors

As part of the corporate restructure currently underway, the radio callsigns for Zone Commanders, Duty Commanders and Senior Instructors have been revised. The aim of these changes is to lessen the possibility of confusion between like-sounding callsigns, reduce the length of identifiers to minimise radio airtime, and to link the callsigns more closely to the geographic area for which officers are responsible. A complete list of the new callsigns is provided below.

Use of these callsigns is to commence use at 0800 hours on Monday, 16 October 2006. Area Commander and Manager Training callsigns remain unchanged, as do the MRC financial codes for the new Zones and Areas.

Note: When sending radio messages, officers and ComCens are required to identify themselves by their full title as listed and are to not use any form of abbreviation i.e. Zone Commander Riverina, Duty Commander Northern Rivers, Senior Instructor Blue Mountains, etc.

Zone name	Descriptive name	MRC code	Officer callsign	FireCAD
Metropolitan North 1	Hunter Coast	MN1	Area Commander Metro North Zone Commander Newcastle Duty Commander Newcastle Senior Instructor Newcastle	ACMN ZCNEW DCNEW SINEW
Metropolitan North 2	Central Coast	MN2	Zone Commander Central Coast Duty Commander Central Coast Senior Instructor Central Coast	ZCCC DCCC SICC
Metropolitan North 3	Lower Hunter	MN3	Zone Commander Maitland Duty Commander Maitland Senior Instructor Maitland	ZCM DCM SIM
Metropolitan South 1	Illawarra	MS1	Area Commander Metro South Zone Commander Illawarra Duty Commander Illawarra Senior Instructor Illawarra	ACMS ZCI DCI SII

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Zone name	Descriptive name	MRC code	Officer callsign	FireCAD
Metropolitan South 2	Georges River	MS2	Zone Commander St George Duty Commander St George Manager Training South	ZCSG DCSG MTS
Metropolitan South 3	Macarthur	MS3	Zone Commander Macarthur Duty Commander Macarthur	ZCMAC DCMAC
Metropolitan East 1	Sydney East	ME1	Area Commander Metro East Zone Commander City Duty Commander City	ACME ZCC DCC
Metropolitan East 2	Sydney North	ME2	Zone Commander North Duty Commander North Manager Training North	ZCN DCN MTN
Metropolitan East 3	Sydney Mid-west	ME3	Zone Commander Inner West Duty Commander Inner West	ZCIW DCIW
Metropolitan West 1	Cumberland	MW1	Zone Commander Prospect Duty Commander Prospect	ZCPR DCPR
Metropolitan West 2	Parramatta	MW2	Area Commander Metro West Zone Commander Parramatta Duty Commander Parramatta Manager Training West	ACMW ZCPAR DCPAR MTW
Metropolitan West 3	Blue Mountains and Hawkesbury	MW3	Zone Commander Blue Mountains Duty Commander Blue Mountains Senior Instructor Blue Mountains	ZCBM DCBM SIBM
Regional North 1	Mid-north Coast	RN1	Area Commander Regional North Zone Commander North Coast Duty Commander North Coast Senior Instructor North Coast	ACRN ZCNC DCNC SINC
Regional North 2	Northern Rivers	RN2	Zone Commander Northern Rivers Duty Commander Northern Rivers Senior Instructor Northern Rivers	ZCNR DCNR SINR
Regional North 3	Peel	RN3	Zone Commander Peel Duty Commander Peel Senior Instructor Peel	ZCP DCP SIP
Regional South 1	Monaro	RS1	Area Commander Regional South Zone Commander Monaro Duty Commander Monaro Senior Instructor Monaro	ACRS ZCMON DCMON SIMON

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Zone name	Descriptive name	MRC code	Officer callsign	FireCAD
Regional South 2	Southern Highlands	RS2	Zone Commander Southern Highlands Duty Commander Southern Highlands Senior Instructor Southern Highlands	ZCSH DCSH SISH
Regional South 3	Murray	RS3	Zone Commander Murray Duty Commander Murray Senior Instructor Murray	ZCMU DCMU SIMU
Regional West 1	Western Slopes	RW1	Area Commander Regional West Zone Commander Western Slopes Duty Commander Western Slopes Senior Instructor Western Slopes	ACRW ZCWS DCWS SIWS
Regional West 2	Upper Hunter and Central West	RW2	Zone Commander Central West Duty Commander Central West Senior Instructor Central West	ZCCW DCCW SICW
Regional West 3	Riverina	RW3	Zone Commander Riverina Duty Commander Riverina Senior Instructor Riverina	ZCRIV DCRIV SIRIV

Noted	Α	В	С	D	Other

Contact Officers	File Number	Date
Sydney ComCen – 5801		
Newcastle ComCen – 5803		
Wollongong ComCen – 5805	CHO/08626	12 October 2006
Katoomba ComCen – 5802		

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