To : FIRE SERVICES REFORM COMMITTEE

Parliament House

Spring Street

MELBOURNE

From: Peter LANG Q.F.S.M. M.I.Fire E



05 July 2017

Re : Submission to : Fire Services Reform Committee

The following information and Attachments are provided for consideration

- 1. Submission made by Peter LANG to Bush Fire Royal Commission
- 2. Resume of Peter LANG
- 3. Comments on past and current organisation of Fire Services in Victoria
- 4. Copy of "The Victorian Country Fire Service" 1930 T.S.MARSHALL.

Consider that in some thirty five (35) years service with the Country Fire Authority

- * commenced as Volunteer Firefighter with Country Fire Authority
- * progress from Volunteer to Station Officer in Charge of Fire Station
- * worked with and in close proximity with the Metropolitan Fire Brigade
- * at Country Fire Stations well removed from the Metropolitan area
- * graduated from Victoria Police Detective Training School
- * several years secondment with Victoria Police Arson Squad
- * Officer in Charge of an Integrated Fire station Volunteers & Staff
- * would be in a position to make comment on the past and present

- $\ensuremath{^*}$ effectiveness of the organisation and the relationship between :
 - * Volunteers and Permanent Staff
 - * Volunteers and Metropolitan Fire Brigade
 - * need for change

Submitted for consideration