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Attention the Fire Services Bill Select Committee.

Dear Committee Members,

I'd like to raise some of my concerns about the Fire Services Legislation.

I am a proud CFA volunteer firefighter with Strath Creek/Reedy Creek. Fire Brigade. I have been a member for 14 years and I am currently serving as Captain.

I raise my concern as an experienced volunteer fire fighter.

One of my concerns is that the Presumptive Rights (Cancer) legislation does not treat paid and volunteer firefighters equally.

Another of my concerns is its potential to affect the CFA's surge capacity.

I also have concerns regarding paid CFA staff being employed by FRV, and ultimately being answerable to FRV when their job is to support CFA volunteers.

Victoria is recognised as one of the most at risk bushfire regions in the world and as such needs the best fire fighting capability in the world. This legislation potentially puts us all at risk when the next Ash Wednesday or Black Saturday occurs.

Thank you for considering my submission I do not wish for this submission to be listed on the Committee's website.

Yours sincerely

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