

## BUSH FIRES ACT 1954

### BFA4 – Delegation by Local Governments

Delegation from:	Council
Delegated to:	Chief Executive Officer
Date Adopted:	10 December 2024
Date Last Reviewed:	<b>25 June 2024</b>
Legislation:	<i>Bush Fires Act 1954, s.48(1)</i>
Power or Duty of the Local Government which is being delegated:	<b>48 Delegation by Local Governments</b> (1) A local government, may in writing, delegate to its Chief Executive Officer the performance of any of its functions under the <i>Bush Fires Act 1954</i> .
<b>DETAILS</b>	
Pursuant to section 48(1) of the <i>Bush Fires Act 1954</i> , the <i>Chief Executive Officer is delegated to exercise the powers or discharge the duties of the Council of the Bush Fires Act 1954</i> .	
<b>Related Documents</b>	
Council Policy:	n/a
Administration Policy/Procedure:	Fire Hazard Assessment Plan 2023-2028 Bushfire Risk Management Plan 2019-2024
Notes:	<b><i>Bush Fires Act 1954 s.48</i></b> 48(2) Performance by the Chief Executive Officer of a local government of a function delegated under subsection (1) is (a) taken to be in accordance with the terms of a delegation under section 48 and; (b) is to be treated as performance by the local government.  48(3) A delegation under this section does not include the power to subdelegate.  48(4) Nothing in this section is to be read as limiting the ability of a local government to act through its council, members, staff or agents in the normal course of business.