

Aerial appliances

Introduction

Purpose The purpose of this policy is to describe the requirements for Fire and Emergency New Zealand aerial appliances.

What to do Fire and Emergency New Zealand aerial appliances will meet the requirements of this policy.

Types of aerial appliances Fire and Emergency New Zealand aerial appliances will have the following designations and attributes:

Attributes	Type 4	Type 5	Type 6
Crew	4	2	4
Aerial reach	17m	32m	32m
Can respond as pump (fitted with pump, water tank and hose reel)	Yes	No	Yes
Rescue ladder	Yes	Yes	Yes
Platform	No	Yes	Yes

Allocation Fire and Emergency New Zealand aerial appliances will be allocated as described in [FL4 SCa Schedule of aerial appliance allocations](#)

Relief for aerial appliances

Relief for under two weeks When an aerial appliance is expected to be out of commission for less than two weeks, Region/District management will determine whether it is best to replace the aerial with:

- a pump appliance
- a relief aerial, considering proximity, training issues, etc.
- an aerial moved from a nearby location of lesser risk, guided by the priority ratings in [FL4 SCb Schedule of relief aerial appliance allocations](#)

Relief for two weeks or more When an aerial appliance is expected to be out of commission for two weeks or more, Region/District management will replace the aerial with:

- a relief aerial, if available, or
- an aerial moved from a nearby location of lesser risk, guided by the priority ratings in [FL4 SCb Schedule of relief aerial appliance allocations](#)

Key personnel and roles The following responsibilities support this policy:

Role	Key responsibilities
Region/District Managers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Following the requirements of this policy to decide on relief for aerial appliance vehicles.

Related information

Policies

[FL4 SCa Schedule of aerial appliance allocations](#)

[FL4 SCb Schedule of relief aerial appliance allocations](#)

Document information

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January 2022	Updated to current template
October 2017	Corrected titles of related documents from FL3 to FL4. Re-branded for Fire and Emergency New Zealand.
December 2011	Changed code from FL3 POP to FL4 Pop