

Supplementary
Submission
No 166a

**INQUIRY INTO PLANNING SYSTEM AND THE IMPACTS
OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND
COMMUNITIES**

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**ADDITIONAL SUBMISSION IN RELATION TO ADAPTION PAPER MLC PORTFOLIO 7 –
PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT – HIGH RISK BUSHFIRE AREAS**

Further to my earlier submission, urge this Committee to widen the scope of the RFS to evaluate all developments in high bushfire risk areas such as North Turrumurra on the cumulative effect the development will have on an area considered by all RFS personnel to be extremely high bushfire risk. At present, they are only able to assess each development on an individual basis which results in many inappropriate developments being given approval putting entire areas on a completely different basis re evacuation and potential loss of not only property but of life. You are urged to extend their remit to consider the cumulative effect any additional development will have in high risk bushfire prone areas.