



Membership Application

The State Secretary
Fire Brigade Employees' Union of NSW

Full Name: _____
[Please use capital letters]

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____ Gender (optional): _____

Address: _____
_____ Post Code: _____

Email: _____ Telephone: _____

I am willing to assume all the rights and liabilities attaching to membership of the Fire Brigade Employees' Union of NSW, of which I hereby apply to become a member.

Signature: _____ Service No.: _____

Station Name and No: _____ Permanent Retained

Authority for Deduction of Subscriptions

The Commissioner
Fire and Rescue NSW

I, _____
[Insert full name here]

hereby authorise Fire and Rescue NSW (FRNSW) to deduct from the wages due to me each fortnight the current Fire Brigade Employees' Union of NSW (FBEU) dues payable in accordance with the FBEU's rules, as notified to FRNSW by the FBEU, and to forward the amount so deducted to the FBEU, of which I am a member.

Signature: _____ Service No.: _____

Date: ____ / ____ / ____



Advice to Membership Applicants

A member of the Union has financial obligations arising from membership. These obligations are:

- (a) to pay the membership dues required by the Union's rules;
- (b) to pay any levies that may be raised from time to time in accordance with the Union's rules;
- (c) to pay any fine for any offence against the Union's rules in accordance with those rules.

Membership dues are set by the Union's rules and are increased in line with firefighter wage increases. Union membership dues are tax deductible as a work-related expense.

A member of the Union may resign from membership by written notice addressed and delivered to the State Secretary. However, a notice of resignation that has been received by the State Secretary does not become invalid because it was not addressed and delivered in this manner. A notice delivered to the State Secretary shall be taken to have been received by the Union when it was delivered.

A notice of resignation takes effect:

- (a) where the member ceases to be eligible to become a member of the Union:
 - (i) on the day on which the notice is received by the Union; or
 - (ii) on the day specified in the notice, which is a day not earlier than the day when the member ceases to be eligible to become a member;whichever is later; or
- (b) in any other case:
 - (i) at the end of 3 months after the notice is received by the Union; or
 - (ii) on the day specified in the notice;whichever is later.

Any dues payable but not paid by a former member of the Union, in relation to a period before a member's resignation from the Union took effect, may be sued for and recovered in the name of the Union, in a court of competent jurisdiction, as a debt to the Union. In any case, a resignation of membership of the Union is valid if the member is informed in writing by or on behalf of the Union that the resignation has been accepted.