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SUBMISSION RE AERIAL FIREFIGHTING

Re Question 2 regarding aerial firefighting----

I have consulted with a Private Company which provides Helicopter firefighting support.

The Chief Pilot is very clear in his advice.

That he will not allow his pilots to

- a. Operate over the top of a fire in a Wind Farm
- b. Operate on the down wind side of a fire in a wind farm
- c. Operate closer than 1km to a turbine on the upwind side

Yours Sincerely

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