



# INCIDENT UPDATE

## Fire Name (Fire Number)

<b>This information is current as of:</b>	August 6, 2018
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<b>Fire camp</b>	NAME
<b>Incident overview</b>	1370 hectares in size (estimated) 10 personnel on site Air support, as required 2 equipment  This wildfire is classified as Under Control_
<b>Weather forecast</b>	The upper ridge will persist through Thursday with temperatures reaching the mid to high thirties each day, and RH reaching lower double digits. Winds SW 15-25 with Gusts 40 km/hr
<b>Fire behavior prediction</b>	As the ridge keeps building and we heat up, fire behaviour potential has increased to a point that if there are flare ups or new starts, they may challenge direct attack with hand tools and pumps. Watch for areas of heavier fuel as these areas are the ones likely to pose a challenge if they flare up. Fire in grass fuels may move quickly, around 22 m/min during peak burn.
<b>Challenges</b>	Deep burning causing heat to resurface in areas that have been previously worked. Some sections of remaining heat are located in steep, rocky, and difficult terrain. Water reservoirs have no natural refill sources. Levels at pump sites dropping consistently. Access roads are deteriorating, steep grade, and loose surfaces causing some delays for crews getting to fireline.
<b>Yesterday's achievements</b>	Patrolled and actioned hotspots Working spots from scan with new and existing water delivery. Demobing hose and pump sites
<b>Today's objectives</b>	Continue to work remaining spots discovered from patrols.
<b>Other</b>	

### Definitions: Stages of Control

- Out of Control:** Describes a wildfire that is not responding (or only responding on a limited basis) to suppression action, such that the perimeter spread is not being contained.
- Being Held:** Indicates that (with the resources currently committed to the fire) that sufficient suppression action has been taken that the fire is not likely to spread beyond existing or predetermined boundaries under the prevailing and forecasted conditions.
- Under Control:** Indicates that the fire has received sufficient suppression action to ensure no further spread of the fire.
- Out:** Indicates that the fire has been extinguished.

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