Critical Equipment Abbreviations

Equipment Failure Types

Vehicles

Includes:

- · flat batteries.
- audible warnings
- blue lights,
- power take off system,
- charging leads,
- loss of power
- ALP alarm
- · mechanical failure.

Firefighting Equipment

Includes:

- hoses, branches and associated equipment,
- lightweight portable pumps (LPT),
- appliance pumps
- ventilation equipment,
- CAFS equipment,
- fire extinguishers.

Rescue Equipment

Includes:

- Holmatro cutting equipment,
- hydraulic and pneumatic lifting equipment, winches, and stabfast equipment etc.
- thermal cameras

Working at Heights Equipment

Includes:

- rope access equipment,
- ladders etc.

Breathing Apparatus (BA) Equipment

Includes:

- cylinders,
- facemask and associated hoses,
- cylinder harnesses,
- BA pre-entry checks,
- air bag controllers.
- BA boards and auxiliary equipment such as guidelines etc.

Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

Includes:

- thermal fire-fighting clothing,
- rescue /debris gloves,
- dust masks,
- eye protection,
- hearing protection,
- safety footwear etc.

Comms

Includes:

- Communications Equipment
 - Mitel phone systems
 - MDT terminals and associated equipment
 - Electrical circuitry,
 - Power failing/ power cuts,
 - Police Private Wire (PPW) systems.
- Firewatch.

Comms direct

Includes:

- Mobilising Equipment such as,
 - o alerters,
 - o pagers,
 - o Remsdaq equipment,
 - o station turnout alarm,
 - o airwave radio equipment
 - o non-airwave radio equipment.