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TOTAL FIRE BAN ORDER

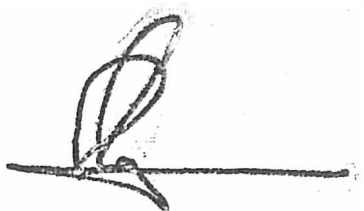
PROHIBITION ON THE LIGHTING, MAINTENANCE AND USE OF FIRES IN THE OPEN AIR

Being of the opinion that it is necessary or expedient in the interests of public safety to do so, I direct by this order that the following parts of the State for the periods specified the lighting, maintenance or use of any fire in the open air is prohibited (subject to the exemptions specifically listed hereunder and further set out in the Schedule of standard exemptions to total fire bans published in the NSW Government Gazette No 16 of 9 February 2018):

Fire Weather Area	Classes of Exemption (Special Conditions) Revoked
Greater Sydney Region, Central Ranges, Southern Slopes, Southern Ranges	None

This direction shall apply for the periods specified hereunder:

16 March 2025 00:00 to 16 March 2025 23:59



Rob Rogers
RFS Commissioner



RFS

TOTAL FIRE BAN

NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE STATE OPERATION CENTRE

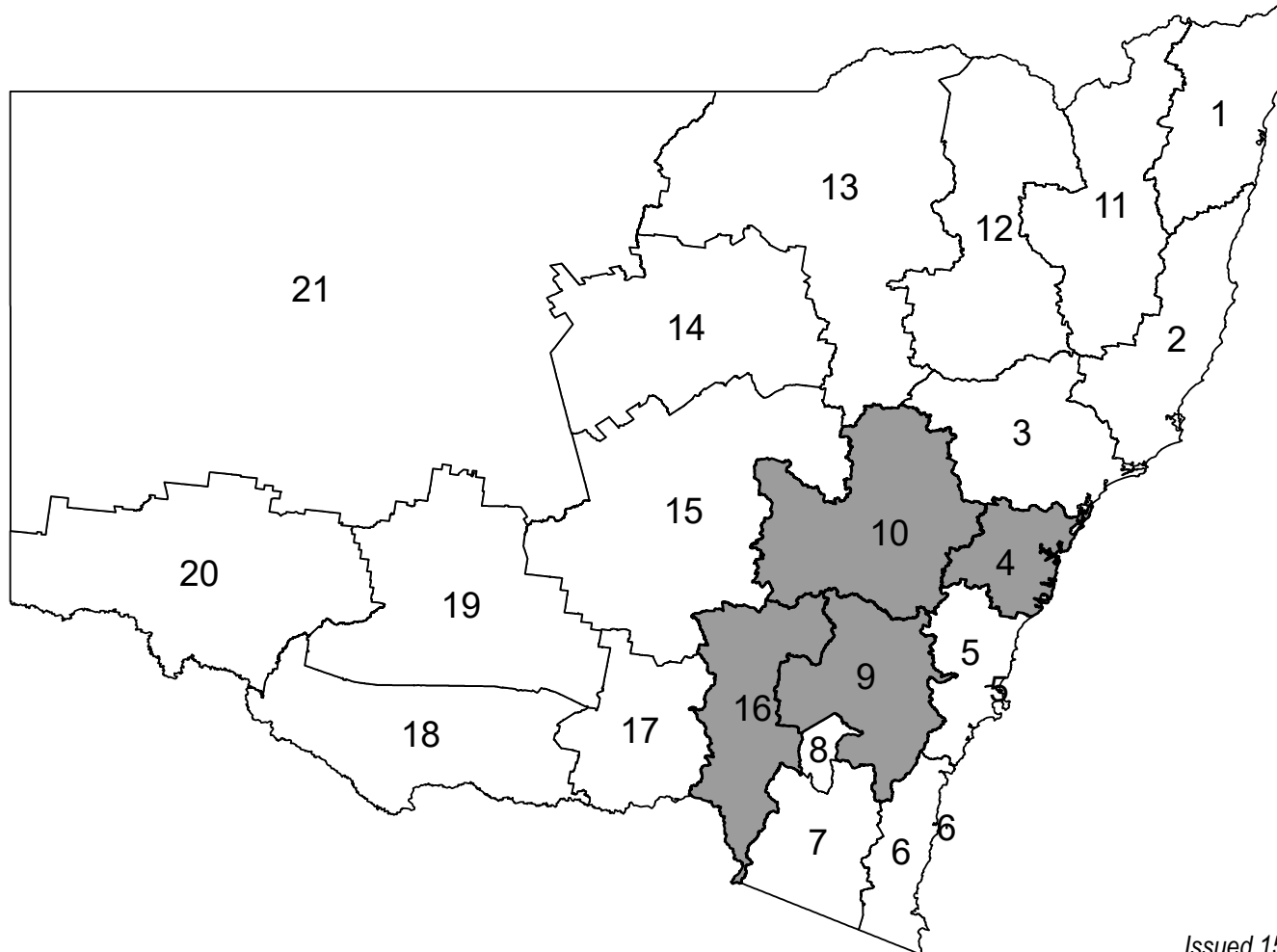
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The Commissioner NSW Rural Fire Service has imposed a Total Fire Ban for Fire Area(s):

GREATER SYDNEY REGION, CENTRAL RANGES, SOUTHERN RANGES, SOUTHERN SLOPES

From 00:01 to 23:59 on Sunday 16th, March 2025.

Total Fire Ban Areas



1. Far North Coast
Ballina, Byron, Clarence Valley, Kyogle, Lismore, Richmond Valley and Tweed
2. North Coast
Bellingen, Port Macquarie-Hastings, Coffs Harbour, Mid-Coast, Kempsey and Nambucca
3. Greater Hunter
Cessnock, Dungog, Lake Macquarie, Maitland, Muswellbrook, Newcastle, Port Stephens, Singleton and Upper Hunter
4. Greater Sydney Region
All Sydney Metropolitan councils plus Blue Mountains, Central Coast and Hawkesbury
5. Illawarra/Shoalhaven
Kiama, Shellharbour, Shoalhaven, Wingecarribee, Wollondilly and Wollongong
6. Far South Coast
Bega Valley and Eurobodalla
7. Monaro Alpine
Bombala, Cooma-Monaro and Snowy River
9. Southern Ranges
Goulburn Mulwaree, Queanbeyan-Palerang, Upper Lachlan and Yass Valley
10. Central Ranges
Bathurst Regional, Blayney, Cabonne, Cowra, Lithgow, Mid Western Regional, Oberon and Orange
11. New England
Armidale Regional, GlenInnes / Severn, Tenterfield, Uralla and Walcha
12. Northern Slopes
Gunnedah, Gwydir, Inverell, Liverpool Plains and Tamworth Regional
13. North Western
Warrumbungles, Moree Plains, Narrabri and Walgett
14. Upper Central West Plains
Bogan, Coonamble, Gilgandra and Warren
15. Lower Central West Plains
Bland, Dubbo, Forbes, Lachlan, Narramine, Parkes, Temora and Weddin
16. Southern Slopes
Cootamundra-Gundagai, Hilltops and Snowy Valleys
17. Eastern Riverina
Albury, Coolamon, Greater Hume, Junee, Lockhart and Wagga Wagga
18. Southern Riverina
Berrigan, Edward River, Federation, Murray River and Southern parts of Murrumbidgee
19. Northern Riverina
Carrathool, Northern parts of Murrumbidgee, Griffith, Hay, Leeton and Narrandera
20. South Western
Balranald and Wentworth
21. Far Western
Bourke, Brewarrina, Broken Hill, Central Darling, Cobar and Unincorporated NSW