

## Bushfire Attack Level (BAL) Certificate Application Form

### PART A – Applicant & Site Details

#### Applicant Details

Company Name:			
Surname:		First Name:	
Address:			
Suburb:		Postcode:	
Phone (h):		Phone (w):	
Phone (m):		Fax:	
Email:			

#### Site Details

Address:			
Suburb:			
Lot No.	DP No.	Section.	
Is the property on bushfire prone land?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	

### PART B – Type of Proposal

#### Type of Proposal

Type of Proposal:	Zoning:		
<input type="checkbox"/> New Dwelling	<input type="checkbox"/> R1 – General Residential, R3 – Medium Density Residential, or RU5 - Village		
<input type="checkbox"/> Alterations/Additions to an existing building	<input type="checkbox"/> RU1 – Primary Production, RU3 – Forestry, RU2 – Rural Landscape, RU4 – Rural Small Holdings, or R5 – Large Lot Residential		
Proposal Description: <i>e.g. two storey dwelling with attached garage</i>			
Copy of Plans attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Copy of any relevant photos attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes
Assessment fee attached	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Other submission requirements	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes

### PART C – Bushfire Development Standards

Does your proposal meet all the relevant Development Standards for your land zoning? (See Section 1 – Part C)

<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
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NOTE: If your proposal does not satisfy all the development standards for your land zoning, you may need to reconsider your application for complying development or contact a qualified bushfire consultant for more information.

**Section 2 PART D – BAL & RISK ASSESSMENT**

**Step 1: Assess the vegetation about the proposed building in all directions.**

CATEGORY	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
Converted vegetation (See Vegetation Chart)	<input type="checkbox"/> Forest	<input type="checkbox"/> Forest	<input type="checkbox"/> Forest	<input type="checkbox"/> Forest
	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodland	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodland	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodland	<input type="checkbox"/> Woodland
	<input type="checkbox"/> Tall Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Tall Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Tall Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Tall Heath
	<input type="checkbox"/> Short Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Short Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Short Heath	<input type="checkbox"/> Short Heath
	<input type="checkbox"/> Mallee/Mulga	<input type="checkbox"/> Mallee/Mulga	<input type="checkbox"/> Mallee/Mulga	<input type="checkbox"/> Mallee/Mulga
	<input type="checkbox"/> Rainforest	<input type="checkbox"/> Rainforest	<input type="checkbox"/> Rainforest	<input type="checkbox"/> Rainforest
	<input type="checkbox"/> Grassland	<input type="checkbox"/> Grassland	<input type="checkbox"/> Grassland	<input type="checkbox"/> Grassland
	<input type="checkbox"/> Managed land	<input type="checkbox"/> Managed land	<input type="checkbox"/> Managed land	<input type="checkbox"/> Managed land

**Step 2: Determine the distance from the building line to the vegetation in each direction as above**

ASPECT	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
Distance	.....m	.....m	.....m	.....m

**Step 3: Determine the effective slope that will influence bushfire behaviour in each direction**

CATEGORY	NORTH	EAST	SOUTH	WEST
Slope under the hazard (over 100m) [in degrees]	<input type="checkbox"/> upslope/flat	<input type="checkbox"/> upslope/flat	<input type="checkbox"/> upslope/flat	<input type="checkbox"/> upslope/flat
	<input type="checkbox"/> > 0 to 5	<input type="checkbox"/> > 0 to 5	<input type="checkbox"/> > 0 to 5	<input type="checkbox"/> > 0 to 5
	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 to 10	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 to 10	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 to 10	<input type="checkbox"/> > 5 to 10
	<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 to 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 to 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 to 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 10 to 15
	<input type="checkbox"/> > 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 15	<input type="checkbox"/> > 15

**Step 4: Determine the Fire Danger Index (FDI) that applies to your local government area (Council). Tick the relevant FDI below**

FDI	Wagga Wagga	<input type="checkbox"/> 80	LGA
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**Step 5: Match the relevant FDI, vegetation, distance and slope to determine the required APZ and Construction level**

Identify the bushfire attack level for each direction, select the highest level for the entire building and record below. Note BAL-12.5 is the lowest construction level within the scope of AS3959.

<input type="checkbox"/> BAL-FZ	<input type="checkbox"/> BAL-40	<input type="checkbox"/> BAL-29	<input type="checkbox"/> BAL-19	<input type="checkbox"/> BAL-12.5	<input type="checkbox"/> No requirement
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