



NSW RURAL FIRE SERVICE

CONDITIONS OF INVITATION TO SUBMIT PROPOSAL

STATE WIDE REGISTRATION OF HEAVY PLANT FOR FIRE WORK

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1. BACKGROUND

The NSW Rural Fire Service (**NSW RFS**) is one of the world's largest fire services comprising of over 2100 volunteer Rural Fire Brigades with a total of over 70,000 members. The NSW RFS operates District Offices in each NSW Local Government area and is separated into 7 Area Commands. Bush fire fighting, prevention and mitigation are the NSW Rural Fire Service's primary roles, however the NSW RFS is involved in other critical community safety activities including:

- Fighting building and structure fires
- Search and rescue operations
- Fire safety education
- Storm and flood recovery
- Motor vehicle accident response
- Hazard reduction management

Earthmoving plant and other heavy machinery (**Heavy Plant**) have historically been engaged in support of bush fire suppression operations and for non-fire activities

NSW RFS invites suitable and experienced contractors with appropriate Heavy Plant, equipment, systems and personnel to register their interest in being engaged for Fire Work. Interested contractors should submit a proposal in accordance with the terms of this document.

If a proposal is approved by NSW RFS (in full or in part) an Agreement will be entered into between the legal entity making the proposal and the NSW RFS for Fire Work. The details of the Contractor and its approved Heavy Plant, personnel and rates will be included in the Heavy Plant Register.

While NSW RFS will not engage the Contractor to provide any Non-Fire Work under the Agreement it may enquire with the Contractors on the Heavy Plant Register in relation to that Non-Fire Work.

2. SERVICES

2.1 Fire Work services

This invitation is for the provision of services using Heavy Plant during a bush fire or other emergency incident. This category of service is typically urgent and unplanned in nature, where requests may occur at any time with short notice and the requirement is for Services to be supplied without delay (**Fire Work**). The Heavy Plant and operators (personnel) to be utilised for the Fire Work Services must meet certain requirements and be pre-approved.

(For completeness, it is noted that NSW RFS may have regard to contractors approved on the Heavy Plant Register when it makes enquiries in relation to Non-Fire Work. Tasking of Non-Fire work will be undertaken through the usual NSW RFS procurement process with a Purchase Order being issued to the HP Contractor. Proposals under this invitation should not include any pricing for Non-Fire Work.)

2.2 Heavy Plant categories

The categories of Heavy Plant that will be considered for inclusion in the Heavy Plant Register for Fire Work are:

Bulldozers	Bulk Water Carriers	Excavators
Graders	Loaders	Loader Backhoes
Skid Steers	Log Skidders	Forestry Machines
Tree Trimmers	Tractors	Bulk Retardant Tankers
Stump Grinders	Wood Chippers	Low Loaders
Tip Trucks	Trucks	

Tasking Periods

NSW RFS will determine the tasking periods according to its requirements. The NSW RFS's current intention is that:

- Approved Contractors will be engaged for Fire Work, by NSW RFS issuing them with a Plant Tasking/Purchase Order, for a maximum of five (5) consecutive days of 12 hours per day. A new Plant Tasking/Purchase Order will need to be issued for those days beyond the initial 5 days.
- The same conditions as above apply for tasking of night work, with a maximum of three (3) consecutive nights of 12 hours per night.

These limitations will align tasking periods with work health and safety requirements and fatigue management guidelines.

2.3 Accommodation

NSW RFS will arrange accommodation and meals, as a part of the incident costs, should those be required. This includes accommodation at NSW RFS base camps. In the event a Contractor declines accommodation and/or meals provided by NSW RFS, the Contractor will be responsible for those costs and will not be able to claim reimbursement from NSW RFS.

2.4 Pricing and inclusions

Proposers must submit two (2) types of rates for each proposed item of Heavy Plant:

- **Plant Price:** An hourly rate ex GST for supply of services using corresponding plant and contractor personnel.
- **Excess Travel Rate:** means per kilometre rate ex GST that will apply to each kilometre of travel over 100 kilometres required to transport the plant and personnel between the proposer's address and a Service Site.

There will be no stand-by rates, or transport rates.

The Plant Price and Excess Travel Rates are intended as all-inclusive prices covering the costs of Contractors for the provision of Fire Work Services. No additional amounts may be charged to NSW RFS for provision of the Services. Please refer to clause 8.1 of the Conditions of Agreement for an indicative list of costs that should be considered when determining the Plant Price and Excess Travel Rate to be proposed.

Proposers are encouraged to provide their best price. Whilst NSW RFS reserves the right to negotiate pre-award, such negotiations may not occur as this isn't NSW RFS's preference. It is important that Proposers realise that they may not be short-listed for further consideration if they do not provide their best price with their Proposal.

2.5 Indexation

The Plant Prices and Excess Travel Rates approved by NSW RFS will be subject to annual increase according to the lesser of 2.5% and CPI in years where CPI change is 1% or more. An Australian Bureau of Statistics index will be utilised for the calculation.

2.6 Use of approved sub-contractors as Heavy Plant operators

A Contractor must not sub-contract any part of its obligations without NSW RFS's written consent, which may be granted subject to conditions. Please refer to clause 10.3 of the Conditions of Agreement for further detail about the rights and responsibilities of NSW RFS and each Contractor in relation to sub-contractors.

2.7 No guarantee of work

No guarantee is made by NSW RFS and no obligation is implied by NSW RFS that submitting a Proposal will result in the Proposal being accepted or the Proposer receiving any work or particular volume of work.

3. PROPOSAL PREPARATION

3.1 Proposer consideration before submitting a proposal

Before submitting its Proposal, a Proposer must:

- (a) examine all information relevant to the risks and contingencies and other circumstances having an effect on its Proposal; and
- (b) satisfy itself that the Proposal, including any submitted prices is correct and that it is financially and practically viable for it to enter into and perform the proposed Agreement;

The information contained in this Invitation has been collated with due care in order to provide guidance for the Proposers but is not guaranteed as being completely accurate.

3.2 First date for proposal submission

Proposals may be submitted at any time unless otherwise notified by NSW RFS.

4. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

4.1 Legal entity

Proposals must be submitted by a legal entity (which may be a sole trader) with:

- (a) the capacity to contract; and
- (b) an Australian Business Number; and
- (c) that is registered for GST.

NSW RFS will only enter into an Agreement with such legal entity or entities.

NSW RFS may ask a Proposer to provide evidence of its legal status or capacity to contract. If proposals from entities propose to contract in their capacity as trustees, such evidence may include copies of the relevant trust deeds. Any evidence requested is to be provided within 5 business days of the request.

4.2 Financial capability

NSW RFS reserves the right to reject any Proposal if NSW RFS judges the Proposer not to have appropriate financial capability. NSW RFS may have an independent company carry out a financial assessment on a Proposer, if required. By responding to this Invitation, a Proposer agrees to provide financial information if requested by NSW RFS to enable it to carry out this assessment.

4.3 Registration as NSW RFS vendor through Coupa

A Proposer must have been established as a vendor to the NSW RFS before its Proposal will be approved by NSW RFS.

- (a) Proposers who have not previously transacted with the NSW RFS will be sent a link to the NSW RFS Coupa Portal
- (b) A duly authorised representative of the Proposer must provide any information and complete any declarations required to be completed to be registered as a vendor including disclosing any conflicts of interest.

The Proposer will be notified if it is accepted as a vendor.

4.4 Small and medium enterprises and regional procurement

NSW RFS encourages participation of Small and Medium Enterprises and procurement of suppliers from Regional NSW. This participation may be through direct engagement or through the Proposer's supply chain. Proposers should clearly indicate in Coupa if they are a Small or Medium Enterprise

and/or if they are based in Regional NSW. NSW RFS should be notified if any aspect of this Invitation provides unnecessary barriers that effectively prohibit participation by these businesses.

Please review the NSW Government's Small and Medium Enterprise and Regional Procurement Policy: <https://buy.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/sme-and-regional-procurement-policy>

4.5 Supporting Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' participation

NSW RFS values the economic, social and cultural contribution available to NSW from the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' community. NSW RFS would like to create opportunities for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' employment including Aboriginal Owned Businesses through NSW RFS contracts.

Please review the NSW Government's Aboriginal Procurement Policy:

<https://buy.nsw.gov.au/policy-library/policies/aboriginal-procurement-policy>

5. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION PROCESS

5.1 Proposal submitted through ARENA HP

All Proposals must be submitted online via ARENA HP link at: <http://arenahp.nafc.org.au>

See Annexure A for guidance notes on account creation and submitting information.

5.2 Required Proposal content

Proposers must complete their profile in ARENA HP with all required information including:

Information type	Detail
Business details	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Full legal name and ABN ➤ Business address (which may also be used for notices) ➤ Contact person and details (Phone and email)
Heavy Plant proposed to be used in provision of the Fire Work services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ category and type of plant ➤ make and model ➤ general details ➤ safety details ➤ dimensions ➤ capabilities including different configurations available through attachments ➤ proposed Plant Price for each Heavy Plant (see 2.5 above) in each of the configurations it may be offered ➤ proposed Excess Travel Rate for the Heavy Plant ➤ profile photo of each Heavy Plant

Information type	Detail
Operators (Personnel) proposed to provide the services	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ name and contact details of each proposed plant operator ➤ qualifications of each proposed plant operator including any evidence of any required training, licence, approvals or certification ➤ evidence of plant operators having completed Bush Fire Awareness training and machinery verification of competency
Insurances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ details of each insurance policy held by the Proposer relating to the organisation, plant vehicles etc. including insurances required by clause 12.3 of the Conditions of Agreement ➤ a copy of the certificate of currency for each insurance policy
Declarations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ completion of a declaration regarding the authority of the person submitting ➤ acceptance of the Conditions of Agreement by a duly authorised representative

5.3 Prescribed form and technical aspects of submission

A Proposer must comply with the following requirements for the Proposal to be considered:

- (a) **(Questions answered)** The Proposer must fully address each of the questions, items or criteria set out by NSW RFS above and in ARENA HP in the format prescribed for its Proposal to be considered.
- (b) **(Answers must be complete)** If answering questions directly within ARENA HP or an attachment that is uploaded in ARENA HP, the Proposer is responsible for ensuring that the intended full text of any response is captured in the designated response box.
- (c) **(File formats)** If answering questions in whole or in part by uploading file(s), the format of file(s) uploaded must be an industry standard format that is reasonably accessible and usable (for example .docx, .xlsx, .pdf or .zip).
- (d) **(Macros)** The Proposer must not include any macros, applets, or executable code or files in the Proposal.
- (e) **(Free from viruses)** The Proposer must ensure that electronically lodged files are free from viruses by checking the files with an up to date virus-checking program before lodging.
- (f) **(Attachments clearly labelled)** If attachments are uploaded with the Proposal, those attachments should be clearly labelled and uploaded in an appropriate location of ARENA HP so that they may be readily identified and assessed against the relevant criteria.
- (g) **(Language and currency)** Prices, responses and other information provided in the Response are to be in English. All pricing information must be in Australian dollars and **exclusive of GST**.

5.4 Declaration and submission by authorised representative

- (a) **(Submission by duly authorised representative)** The Proposer must ensure that its Proposal is only lodged by a person or persons it has duly authorised to do so.
- (b) **(Identity of Authorised representative)** The identity, role and authority of the

authorised representative and email must be made apparent from review of the Proposal.

- (c) **(Declaration to be made prior to submission)** Before a Proposal may be submitted the authorised representative will be asked to make a declaration representing and warranting they are duly authorised by the Proposer to submit the Proposal, and:
- the Proposer has examined all information relevant to the risks and contingencies and other circumstances having an effect on its Proposal;
 - the Proposer has read and understood the terms of the Heavy Plant Services (Fire Work Only) Conditions of Agreement (www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/about-us/doing-business-with-the-rfs/heavy-plant) (the **Agreement**);
 - the Proposer has the power to enter into and perform the Agreement;
 - all information which has been provided to NSW RFS as part of this proposal is true and correct in every respect and is not misleading or deceptive;
 - any matters relating to the commercial, technical or financial capacity of the Proposer that might materially affect its ability to perform any of its obligations under the Agreement have been disclosed to NSW RFS;
 - all of the Proposer's past, current and anticipated interests (and that of its personnel) which may conflict with or restrict it from performing the Services fairly and independently have been disclosed to NSW RFS;
 - the Proposer agrees to comply with the NSW Government Supplier Code of Conduct
 - (buy.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0017/600371/nsw_supplier_code_of_conduct_v1.1.pdf) and the NSW RFS Statement of Business Ethics (www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0014/30245/Statement-of-Business-Ethics-Mar18.pdf); and
 - should NSW RFS accept the proposal (in full or in part), the Proposer agrees to be bound by the Agreement. The Proposer accepts the Agreement pursuant to the *Electronic Transactions Act 2000* (NSW).

If the above declaration is not able to be made the Proposer should contact the Invitation Contact Officer through the email set out below at paragraph 9 below. The email should identify the Proposer and provide details of its concerns with making the above declaration (for example, giving notice of any actual, perceived or potential conflicts of interest).

5.5 Conformity of Proposals

NSW RFS seeks conforming Proposals. To be a conforming Proposal, all requested information within ARENA HP must be provided. Non-conforming Proposals may be excluded from the proposal process without further consideration at NSW RFS's discretion.

5.6 Issues with electronic submission

If a Proposer experiences any persistent difficulty with submission of its Proposal it is encouraged to advise the Contact Officer promptly in writing.

5.7 Confirmation of submission

ARENA HP will provide an onscreen indication when a Proposal has been submitted. This should not be interpreted as confirmation that the submission includes all required information or is accepted.

5.8 Variation to Proposal

- (a) After the Proposal has been submitted NSW RFS may give consent to, or request, a Proposer varying its Proposal by providing further information, correcting a mistake or anomaly and/or documenting agreed changes that have been negotiated.

- (b) Such consent or request will be given or made by NSW RFS in its absolute discretion. If NSW RFS gives consent to a Proposer to vary its Proposal, it may, at its absolute discretion, provide all other Proposers whose Proposals have similar characteristics with the opportunity of varying their Proposal in a similar way.

5.9 Validity of Proposal

Unless otherwise agreed, the Proposal will remain open for acceptance by NSW RFS for a period of six (6) months from the date ARENA HP records final submission of the Proposal.

6. EVALUATION PROCESS

6.1 Evaluation process

- (a) Conforming Proposals will be assessed against the evaluation criteria which include those listed below (which are not indicated in order of significance or equal weight).
- (b) Information supplied by the Proposer in ARENA HP will contribute to the assessment against each criterion. Proposers are advised to respond clearly to all the requests for information in this Invitation.
- (c) Proposals that do not include all the required information in ARENA HP may be excluded from the proposal process without further consideration (at RFS's discretion).

6.2 Evaluation Criteria

The evaluation criteria for this Invitation include but are not limited to and in no order of priority or weighting:

- (a) fitness for purpose including compliance with requirements set out in the Conditions of Agreement;
- (b) price;
- (c) service, including the capacity to perform the Agreement which will consider matters including plant, human resource capacity and qualifications and potential responsiveness to requests for Plant Taskings;
- (d) extent of compliance with insurance requirements set out in clause 12.3 of the Conditions of Agreement; and
- (e) extent of compliance with other requirements set out in the Conditions of Agreement.

In the evaluation of Proposals, NSW RFS may take into account any information about the Proposer that NSW RFS has or receives from any source.

6.3 NSW RFS rights

NSW RFS expressly reserves the right to:

- (a) require additional information, clarification or further offers from the Proposer or third parties;
- (b) discontinue the Invitation process at any time, for any reason or for no reason;
- (c) accept any Proposal in full or in part;
- (d) accept any Proposal whether or not it complies with this invitation;
- (e) negotiate with any Proposer;
- (f) reject any Proposal;

- (g) decline to enter into an Agreement;
- (h) procure the services separately to this Invitation process; or
- (i) take any action it considers appropriate in relation to the Invitation process.

7. OUTCOMES

7.1 Notification

Following NSW RFS's decision, a Proposer will be notified by email of the outcome of their Proposal. If requested by an unsuccessful Proposer, NSW RFS may provide information regarding the reasons for the Proposal not being accepted.

7.2 Formation of Agreement

An agreement for the supply of services will be formed by the Proposer submitting its Proposal and by NSW RFS indicating its acceptance of the Proposal in full or part (**Agreement**).

The Agreement will be comprised of (adopting the definitions set out in the Conditions of Agreement) Conditions of Agreement including Schedule 1 (Operational Requirements), Plant, Plant Price, Excess Travel Rate, NSW RFS Policies and Procedures, and any Plant Taskings issued from time to time under the Agreement.

The Conditions of Agreement may be accessed at www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/about-us/doing-business-with-the-rfs/heavy-plant

8. GENERAL

8.1 Disclosure of information

Information received by NSW RFS in relation to this Invitation may be subject to disclosure by NSW RFS because of a law, or order of a court, regulatory authority or other body with power to compel NSW RFS to make a disclosure.

This may include disclosure required in accordance with the requirements of the Government Information (Public Access) Act 2009 (NSW). An outline of these requirements can be found here: <http://www.legislation.nsw.gov.au/maintop/view/inforce/act+52+2009+cd+0+N>.

8.2 Exchange of information between Government Agencies

Lodgement of a Proposal will itself be an authorisation by the Proposer to NSW RFS to make available, on request, to any NSW Government agency, information including but not limited to, information dealing with the Proposer's performance on any contract that may be awarded. Such information may be used by the recipient NSW Government agency for assessment of suitability for pre-qualification, selective tender lists, expressions of interest or the award of a contract or termination of a contract.

The provision of the information by NSW RFS to any other NSW Government agency is agreed by the Proposer to be a communication falling within section 30 of the *Defamation Act 2005* (NSW), and the Proposer will have no claim against NSW RFS and the State of New South Wales in respect of any matter arising out of the provision or receipt of such information, including any claim for loss to the Proposer arising out of the communication.

Information that may be collected, exchanged and used in accordance with this provision includes "personal information" about the Proposer for the purposes of the *Privacy and Personal Information Protection Act 1998*.

Lodgement of a Proposal will be an authorisation by the Proposer to NSW RFS to collect such information from third parties, and to use and exchange such information in accordance with this clause 8.2.

8.3 Corruption or Unethical Conduct

Proposers must comply with the requirements of the NSW Department of Customer Service Code of Ethics and Conduct and NSW RFS Statement of Business Ethics, which are available at the links below.

A Proposal may not be considered if a Proposer, or any of its officers, employees, agents or sub-contractors is found to have:

- (a) offered any inducement or reward to any public servant or employee, agent or subcontractor of NSW RFS or the NSW Government in connection with this Invitation or the submitted Proposal;
- (b) committed corrupt conduct in the meaning of the *Independent Commission Against Corruption Act 1988*;
- (c) a record or alleged record of unethical behaviour; or not complied with the requirements of NSW Department of Customer Service Code of Ethics and Conduct or NSW RFS Statement of Business Ethics (www.nsw.gov.au/customer-service/who-we-are/code-of-conduct-and-ethics and www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0014/30245/Statement-of-Business-Ethics-Mar18.pdf).

NSW RFS may, in its discretion, invite a relevant Proposer to provide written comments within a specified time before NSW RFS excludes the Proposer on this basis.

If NSW RFS becomes aware of improper conflict of interests by a Proposer after an Agreement has been executed, then NSW RFS reserves the right to terminate the Agreement and any order that has been issued.

8.4 Changes to Invitation

If, for any reason NSW RFS, at its sole discretion, requires the Invitation to be amended, a new version of the Invitation would be published on the NSW RFS's "Tenders and Contracts" website address www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/dsp_content.cfm?cat_id=1255.

It is the obligation of the Proposer to verify if any new version of the Invitation has been published before its Proposal is submitted.

8.5 Proposer's Costs

The Proposer acknowledges that NSW RFS will not be liable to it for any expenses or costs incurred by it as a result of its participation in this Invitation, including where the Invitation has been discontinued.

8.6 Use of Proposals

Information received by NSW RFS in relation to this Invitation will be disclosed to NSW RFS's personnel and/or advisors engaged for the purpose of evaluating the Proposals.

Any personal information received in relation to this Invitation, including information submitted on Coupa or ARENA HP, will be treated in accordance with NSW RFS's Privacy Policy.

8.7 Complaints procedures

It is NSW RFS's objective to ensure that industry is given every opportunity to win Government contracts. Should any entity feel that it has been unfairly excluded from quoting or unfairly disadvantaged by the Agreement or the Invitation process, it is invited to write to:

Chief Procurement Officer

New South Wales Rural Fire Service | Locked Mail Bag 17 | Granville, NSW, 2142

9. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

All requests for information or clarifications are to be by email and submitted to the Invitation Contact Officer identified below.

Invitation Contact Officer: Coordinator – Heavy Plant Logistics, NSW Rural Fire Service

Email: heavy.plant@rfs.nsw.gov.au

Any information given to a Proposer to clarify any aspect of this Invitation will also be given to all other Proposers if in NSW RFS's opinion the information would unfairly favour the inquiring Proposer over others.

10. GLOSSARY

ARENA HP	The online platform used by NSW RFS for registration, submission of proposals and, for accepted proposals, placing of orders for services.
Invitation	This invitation document including its conditions and any attachments.
Proposer	Means a legal entity submitting a proposal to provide services in accordance with this invitation.
Proposal	Means the proposal submitted by a legal entity by completing information, submitting documentation and making required declarations in ARENA HP.
Coupa	Means the online platform used by the NSW RFS for vendor registration.
RFS or NSW RFS	New South Wales Rural Fire Service ABN 25 003 129 221

Unless the context indicates otherwise, any other capitalised terms that are not defined above will have the same meaning as set out in the Conditions of Agreement.

11. Annexure A – Guidance notes for ARENA HP



Quick Start for ARENA HP

Before You Start

Before you start entering data in ARENA you will need some information and a few documents ready to either copy data from or to upload into ARENA when requested.

Browsers

- ✓ We recommend that you use an up to date version of Chrome, Firefox, Safari or Edge

Organisation



- ✓ ABN and business details

Insurance

- ✓ Insurance policy numbers and details for Workers Compensation, Public Liability and Machinery Insurances.
- ✓ An **electronic copy** of each insurance policy (PDF or scan)

Heavy Plant



- ✓ Registration and details for each proposed Heavy Plant
- ✓ Weights and dimensions for each proposed Heavy Plant

Photos

- ✓ External photos of each Heavy Plant (JPG or PNG)

Create an Arena HP Account and Company profile

Register

Visit <http://arenahp.nafc.org.au> and click on "Sign up now >" link

Select Plant Contractor as your role and complete the registration form with your personal information, not your company information. You can add extra users to your account once registered. The person submitting the proposal for your company must be a representative with authority to enter into an agreement with NSW RFS.

Enter Company Details

Enter the full legal name and contact details for your organisation.

Business Details

Enter proposed Heavy Plant

Add your organisation's proposed Heavy Plant here. Only add each Heavy Plant once, and only those your organisation proposes to use for Fire Work services.

Plant

See the section on Adding Heavy Plant below for more details.

Operators

Enter the details of each of your organisations proposed Plant Operators, including their contact details and qualifications.

Operators

Enter Insurance Details

Add details of each insurance policy that covers your organisation, plant, vehicles etc. You will also need to upload an electronic copy of the certificate of currency for each policy.

Note: that different insurance arrangements are required for different types of service and different contractual arrangements.

Insurance

Adding Heavy Plant


[+ ADD](#)

With the new ARENA HP web based system there are some standard fields we require for each category of Heavy Plant.

Add New Heavy Plant

Click the [+ Add] button and enter the Plant Category in the drop-down list. The category will prompt what details need to be entered.

Complete Plant Details

Enter the make and model plus the general details of the proposed Plant, along with some safety details and the dimensions. If your Plant is approved, NSW RFS will assign the Plant a Callsign within ARENA HP. There is a Comments section for you to make any optional notes – these will not be contractually binding on NSW RFS.

Enter Plant Capabilities

Here you can enter any attachments that the Plant has available for performing one or more fire roles.

Enter Price Details

It is required that a Plant Price be entered for each Heavy Plant (i.e. an all-inclusive hourly rate for Fire Work services). You have the option to additionally add the Plant with other configurations and specify a different Plant Price for those configurations.

Allowance for transport costs for travel within 100km of the tasking location must be included in the Plant Price (along with all other costs). This will be the case whether or not the HP Contractor is to use its own transport vehicle or a transport vehicle hired from another party for that purpose. An 'Excess Travel Rate' for transport costs per kilometre in excess of 100km each way to and from the service site may be submitted into ARENA HP as a separate rate.

Add Uploads

Add a profile photo (png or jpg), and optionally any other images you want to provide. Any further documents related to this specific Heavy Plant can be upload if required. No contractual terms uploaded will be binding on NSW RFS.

DETAILS

Identity

[Safety and Compliance](#)
[Dimensions](#)
[Communications](#)
[Comments](#)
[Attachments](#)

CAPABILITIES

[Terrain](#)

SERVICES

[Pricing \(1\)](#)

UPLOADS

[Profile Photo](#)
[Documents \(0\)](#)
[Images \(0\)](#)

For further information and assistance with any related Heavy Plant matters please contact

NSW Rural Fire Service: Heavy.Plant@rfs.nsw.gov.au

To review the Heavy Plant (Fire Work) Conditions of Invitation and Conditions of Agreement please go to

<https://www.rfs.nsw.gov.au/about-us/doing-business-with-the-rfs/heavy-plant>

