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**COUNTRY FIRE AUTHORITY (PERMITS
TO BURN) REGULATIONS 1987**

As required by the Subordinate Legislation Act, I invite comments from members of the public on the proposed Country Fire Authority (Permits to Burn) Regulations 1987.

The objective of these regulations is to provide a clear, consistent and legally enforceable framework which will ensure that burning off operations in the country area of Victoria are conducted in a safe and efficient manner, and which will give due recognition to climatic and operational constraints.

A regulatory impact statement has been prepared which indicates that no financial costs are seen as arising. The major social benefits are those associated with the enhancement of public safety in fire-prone areas of the State.

Copies of the regulatory impact statement and the regulations are available from the Ministry for Police and Emergency Services, Room 17, 2nd Floor, Old Treasury Building, Spring Street, Melbourne, any regional office of the Country Fire Authority or by contacting Tina Giovas on telephone (03) 651 1002.

Written submissions should be received by me by 27 November 1987 at the Old Treasury Building, Spring Street, Melbourne, 3000.

C. R. T. MATHEWS
Minister for Police and Emergency Services

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