

**Question on Notice**  
**No. 227**  
**Asked on 14 March 2025**

**MS N BOYD** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT AND WATER AND MINISTER FOR FIRE, DISASTER RECOVERY AND VOLUNTEERS (HON A LEAHY)—

QUESTION:

With reference to firefighters in the Queensland Fire and Rescue Service (QFRS)—

Will the Minister advise, for the period 26 February 2025 to 12 March 2025, how many of the firefighters that held a current/valid swiftwater rescue qualification were re-deployed from their home division to another division (reported separately by home division and re-deployed division)?

ANSWER:

I am advised by the Queensland Fire Department (QFD) that Queensland Fire and Rescue firefighters were deployed across the State to assist in the response and recovery to ex Tropical Cyclone Alfred.

I am informed QFD considers a person deployed when they are deployed from their home region to another region throughout the state.

I am further informed that these firefighters were not deployed to a specific division but were strategically placed in high-risk areas as required, with some firefighters moved to multiple divisions throughout the event.