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## **EB Negotiations – QIRC to intervene**

Members would be aware that the Union has been in negotiations with the QFRS over enterprise bargaining. To our surprise the QFRS have now 'thrown in the towel' and have requested the assistance of the Queensland Industrial Relations Commission in future negotiations.

Secondly, the QFRS have complained to the QIRC about our planned 1 August 2012 "fire calls only" action. We are due to appear before the QIRC today for directions and to set down dates for hearings regarding this matter.

Further updates will be provided as they come to hand.

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State Secretary