

FORESTRY BULLETIN

Numerical List of Forestry (Bush) Bulletins

We have now issued over one hundred Forestry Bulletins. Number 1 was issued in June 1989 and since then Bulletins have been issued from time-to-time. From Number 64 we reported on serious accidents and fatalities reported to OSH, firstly on a monthly basis and then three-monthly and lately on a six-monthly basis. We are going back to the three-monthly format as this seems the best.

We are always on the lookout for material, so if you have something interesting you can send it to:

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or give it to the inspector (forestry) for your area. It will be acknowledged in the Bulletin. If you would like photocopies of any of the listed bulletins please contact Naomi Trower at the same address or direct phone (04) 495 4432.

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