



## Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 21 of 2021, Salaries – Army Combat Rescue employment category – amendment

The Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal, make this Determination under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*. It relates to Matter 10 of 2021, Corps of Royal Australian Engineers – Combat Rescue employment category.

Dated 16 November 2021

Ingrid Asbury  
President

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Adrian Morris  
Member

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Major General Gerard Fogarty AO Rtd  
Member

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## 1 Name

1. This Determination is Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 21 of 2021, Salaries – Army Combat Rescue employment category – amendment.
2. This Determination may also be cited as DFRT Determination No. 21 of 2021.

## 2 Commencement

Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

Commencement information	
Column 1	Column 2
Provisions	Commencement
1. The whole of this instrument	20 January 2022

**Note:** This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

## 3 Authority

This instrument is made under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*.

## 4 Schedules

1. Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 2 of 2017, *Salaries*, as amended,<sup>1</sup> is amended as set out in Schedule 1 of this Determination.

## NOTE

1. Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 2 of 2017, *Salaries*, as amended by DFRT Determination Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 and 20 of 2021.

## Schedule 1—Army Combat Rescue employment category

### *DFRT Determination No. 2 of 2017, Salaries*

- 1      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 5, table item 15**

Omit the item.

- 2      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 6, table item 10**

After the item, insert

10A.	Combat Rescue Manager Grade 2	A
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- 3      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 6, table item 18**

Omit the item.

- 4      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 7, table item 17**

After the table item, insert:

17A.	Combat Rescue Manager Grade 2	B
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- 5      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 8, table item 24**

After the item, insert:

24A.	Combat Rescue Manager Grade 2	C
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- 6      **Schedule B.9 (Warrant Officer Class 1 pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 8, table item 33**

Omit the item.

- 7      **Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 4, table item 31**

After the item, insert:

31A.	Combat Rescue Operator	–
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**8 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 4, table item 36**

Omit the item.

**9 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 4, table item 89**

Omit the item.

**10 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 5, table item 25**

After the item, insert:

25A.	Combat Rescue Section Commander	–
25B.	Combat Rescue Supervisor	–

**11 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 5, table item 51**

Omit the item.

**12 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 5, table item 90**

Omit the item.

**13 Schedule B.11 (Other rank pay grades), Part 2: Army, Pay grade 6, table item 18**

After the item, insert:

18A.	Combat Rescue Manager	Grade 1
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# EXPLANATORY STATEMENT

## Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal Determination No. 21 of 2021, Salaries – Army Combat Rescue employment category – amendment

This Determination amends Defence Force Remuneration Tribunal (DFRT) Determination No. 2 of 2017, *Salaries* (the Principal Determination), made under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903* (the Act) and in accordance with subsection 33(3) of the *Acts Interpretation Act 1901* (AIA Act). The Principal Determination sets out provisions dealing with salary for members of the Australian Defence Force (ADF).

The purpose of this Determination is to amend Schedules B.9 and B.11 of the Principal Determination to update the name of Army Emergency Response employment category to Combat Rescue employment category.

Section 1 of this Determination sets out the manner in which this Determination may be cited.

Section 2 of this Determination provides that the Determination commences on 20 January 2022.

Section 3 provides that this instrument has authority under section 58H of the *Defence Act 1903*.

Section 4 provides that each instrument that is specified in a Schedule to this instrument is amended or repealed as set out in the applicable items in the Schedule concerned, and any other item in a Schedule to this instrument has effect according to its terms.

### Schedule 1—Army combat rescue

Sections 1 to 6 amend the tables for Pay Grades 5 to 8 in Part 2 of Schedule B.9 of the Principal Determination. The tables list the employment categories in Army that are placed in Pay Grades 5, 6, 7 and 8. The amendments implement Army's new Combat Rescue employment category structure, skill grades and their placements associated with Matter 10 of 2021. The tables are amended to add the 'Combat Rescue Manager' employment categories and to remove the 'Emergency Response Operations' employment categories.

Sections 7 to 13 amend the tables for Pay Grades 4 to 6 in Part 2 of Schedule B.11 of the Principal Determination. The tables list the employment categories in Army that are placed in Pay Grades 4, 5 and 6. The amendments implement Army's new Combat Rescue employment category structure, skill grades and their placements associated with Matter 10 of 2021. The tables are amended to add the 'Combat Rescue Operator', 'Combat Rescue Section Commander', 'Combat Rescue Supervisor', and 'Combat Rescue Manager' employment categories. The employment categories of 'Operator Emergency Response', 'Commander Emergency Response', 'Supervisor Emergency Response Operations' and 'Manager Emergency Response Operations' have been removed.

**Authority:** Section 58H of the  
*Defence Act 1903*