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'the owner in respect of State land MUST join any fire protection association in the area in which the land lies' note definition of owner(xiii)



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• National Veld and Forest Fire Act,101 of 1998 CHAPTER 4 point 12(1) reads as follow

<u>'Every owner on whose land a veldfire may start</u> or burn or from whose land it may spread must prepare and maintain a firebreak on his or her side of the boundary between his or her land and adjoining land'

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- We would like this Railway Safety Bill to include:
- Fuel load management with in the rail reserve
- ✓ Fire suppression operations with in the rail reserve
- Membership and active participation with in Fire Protection Associations



Fires in Rail Reserve in high risk areas in Mpumalanga



