

## Strategic Executive Solutions (SES)

### Executive Summary:

The Metropolitan Fire Brigade (MFB) has developed the Victorian Built Environment Risk Assessment Process (V-BERAP), a tool for assessing structure fire and HAZMAT risk in the built environment. However, using it in its current form can be a manually driven, cumbersome, resource intensive and technical process. By developing an online, software solution that guides users through the V-BERAP process, the MFB has the opportunity to achieve improved outcomes, resulting in a safer community. This software will be the Victorian Emergency Risk Management System (VERMS).

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### Our Service:

Strategic Executive Solutions was selected to provide project management expertise to the VERMS implementation by the Metropolitan Fire Brigade. We have a proven track record in managing complex projects in challenging public sector environments. Our consultant worked with the VERMS Project Control Group, Emergency Sector partners, and the Project's suppliers/contractors to deliver the following VERMS sub-projects:

- ✓ System development lifecycle;
  - ✓ Technical build;
  - ✓ Contract and Procurement with preferred supplier;
  - ✓ External Supplier management;
  - ✓ Project Team management;
  - ✓ Stakeholder communication;
  - ✓ Project procedures including risk management, issue and change control and communication; and
  - ✓ Milestone and deliverable management.
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### Conclusion:

The implementation of VERMS has enabled the MFB to achieve improved outcomes and contribute to a safer community.

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### Results:

Strategic Executive Solutions delivered value for money services and expertise to the overall implementation of the VERMS Project. We developed a web-based emergency risk management system that incorporates risk identification, assessment, treatment, and reporting, providing a robust, consolidated, and consistent approach to emergency risk management. The implementation of Program Centric Reporting for General Government Sector (GGS) Entities was also achieved, where all Entities report on a monthly basis on their administered and departmental programmes, including cash flow reporting.

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