

## Details

### Queensland Police Service

Report no.: QP2200680722  
 Occurrence Type: Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined [0920]  
 Occurrence time: 21/04/2022 12:10 -  
 Reported time: 21/04/2022 16:53  
 Place of offence: SHETTLESTON, 44 SHETTLESTON ST, ROCKLEA, QLD Australia 4106 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305111498)  
 Clearance status: Filed pending further information  
 CAD event ID: 001251-21042022  
 Operation name: Intranet Occurrences  
 Summary: Occurrence Type: Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined (0920); Occurrence Address: SHETTLESTON, 44 SHETTLESTON ST, ROCKLEA, QLD, 4106; Victim 1: EMERALD REFRIGERATED LOGISTICS; Vehicle(s): Other / 1995 / FIBREGLASS T/PORT EQ / FTE3A / 502QXL / QLD;

Concluded summary:

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### Activity log entries:

### Involved Offences:

- [ 0920/ Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined] / [ Completed offence] / [ 1]  
 Victim: [ EMERALD REFRIGERATED LOGISTICS (SHETTLESTON, 44 SHETTLESTON ST, ROCKLEA, QLD Australia 4106 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305111498) (Land) / [ Non-Crime: Unsolved]  
 Offender: [ ] / Status: [ ]  
 Cleared Unit: [ ] / [ ]

### Involved persons:

- EMERALD REFRIGERATED LOGISTICS / Victim / 23731695 SHETTLESTON, 44 SHETTLESTON ST, ROCKLEA, QLD Australia 4106 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305111498) (Land line) 0459100434
- Sch4p4(6) / Witness / Sch4p4(6)
- Sch4p4(6) / Witness Sch4p4(6)
- Sch4p4(6) / Witness / Sch4p4(6)
- Sch4p4(6) / Informant Sch4p4(6)

Sch4p4(6)  
RTU/38822**Involved addresses:**

1. SHETTLESTON ,44 SHETTLESTON ST / Occurrence address / ROCKLEA, QLD, Australia 4106 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305111498)

**Involved comm addresses:****Involved vehicles:**

1. [Damaged] [Other: Semi-trailer] 1995 FIBREGLASS T/PORT EQ FTE3A QLD Reg #502QXL (Created: 14/05/2016 11:28) Chassis #:6B9FTE3MRSMAA5391

**Involved officers:**

1. Reporting station / 9 / MOOROOKA STATION / 0312 / QPS / Assignable / 21/04/2022 / 20220421 --:--:--:--
2. Assisting officer / 9 / MCAULIFFE, K. / #4018632 / QPS / Police officer / 0312 MOOROOKA STATION (52 HAMILTON RD, MOOROOKA, QLD Australia 4105 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305091391) ) / #4006894 COLLINS, A. / 21/04/2022 / 20220421 --:--:--:--
3. Assisting officer / 9 / WALTERS, M. / #4018266 / QPS / Police officer / 0312 MOOROOKA STATION (52 HAMILTON RD, MOOROOKA, QLD Australia 4105 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305091391) ) / #4006894 COLLINS, A. / 21/04/2022 / 20220421 --:--:--:--
4. Assisting officer; Corroborating officer / 9 / ROBINSON, G. / #4012826 / QPS / Police officer / 0312 MOOROOKA STATION (52 HAMILTON RD, MOOROOKA, QLD Australia 4105 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305091391) ) / 21/04/2022 / 20220421 --:--:--:--
5. Reporting officer / 9 / RYLE, A. / #4036856 / QPS / Police officer / 0312 MOOROOKA STATION (52 HAMILTON RD, MOOROOKA, QLD Australia 4105 (Patrol group: MOUNT GRAVATT, Court Dist./Div.: BRISBANE/HOLLAND PARK, Region: BRISBANE, District: SOUTH BRISBANE, Division: MOOROOKA, Stats area: 305091391) ) / #4006894 COLLINS, A. / 21/04/2022 / 20220421 --:--:--:--

**Involved property:**

1. Vehicle/watercraft/aircraft parts etc: Other parts / Damaged / Occ: QP2200680722 (damaged left side of trailer)

**Modus operandi:**

1. Location: <sup>RTI/38822</sup> Commercial. Subtype: Warehouse. Other behavior at scene: Unknown. Method of escape: Unknown. No. of offenders/suspects: Unknown. Damage to vehicle: Left side. Free text keywords: THE INVOLVED DAMAGED TRAILERS ARE PARKED AT THE REAR OF THE BUSINESS ADDRESS IN A 'WASH BAY'. THE WASH BAY IS LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 5 METERS FROM THE EXTERNAL REAR WALL OF THE WAREHOUSE. A TOTAL OF TWO REFRIGERATED TRAILERS WERE DAMAGED DURING THE FIRE WITH VEHICLE UNABLE TO BE IDENTIFIED VIA REGISTRATION PLATE OR VIN AT THE TIME OF POLICE AND QFRS ATTENDING. BOTH TRAILERS HAVE BEEN DISCONNECTED FROM ALL BATTERY AND POWER SOURCES AND HAVE BEEN STATIONARY FOR NUMEROUS AND WERE PREDOMINATELY USED FOR WOODEN PALLET STORAGE. THE IMMEDIATE AREA BETWEEN THE WAREHOUSE WALL AND TRAILERS IS USED FOR FURTHER STORAGE OF OTHER WAREHOUSE PROPERTY ITEMS SUCH AS PALLETS AND HARD PLASTICS. THIS DEEMS THE AREA MOSTLY INACCESSIBLE AND NOT A COMMON THOROUGHFARE FOR FOOT TRAFFIC. FIRE REPORT MO DETAILS THE FIRE WAS FIRST OBSERVED BY A DELIVERY DRIVER, Sch4p4(6) WHO WAS POSITIONED ON THE OTHER SIDE OF A BARRIER FENCE AND HAS OBSERVED FLAMES FROM UNDER ONE OF THE TRAILERS. Sch4p4(6) HAS CALLED OUT TO STAFF MEMBERS INSIDE THE WAREHOUSE WHO HAVE RUSHED OUT WITH FIRE EXTINGUISHERS IN AN ATTEMPT TO PUT OUT THE FLAMES BUT THEY HAVE ESCALATED. NUMEROUS OTHER STAFF MEMBERS HAVE ATTEMPTED TO PUT OF THE FLAMES UNTIL QFRS HAVE ATTENDED TO TAKE CHARGE OF THE SCENE. NUMEROUS QFRS SERVICE CREWS HAVE ATTENDED THE SCENE AS WELL AS MEMBERS FROM THE FIRE INVESTIGATION UNIT. . FIRE SUPPRESSION ACTIVITY: PUBLIC, QFES - NUMEROUS QFRS CREWS ATTENDED AND SATURATED ENTIRE AREA WITH FOAM.. WERE OTHER FIRES OCCURRING IN THE AREA AT THE TIME: NO. HAVE SIMILAR FIRES BEEN OCCURRING IN THE GENERAL OR WIDER AREA: NO. WERE ANY FIRE WARNING IN FORCE AT THE TIME: NO. DO YOU THINK THIS MAY BE THE ACT OF A RECIDIVIST OFFENDER : NO..

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**Reports:**


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**General report**

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Task: T2201871978 [Init rpt - Closed] Due: 22/04/2022 17:34  
 #4036856 RYLE, A. ->#4036856 RYLE, A. [Low] QPS Investigative Task Workflow Initial Report Task and Start Point QP2200680722 Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined [0920]  
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Author: #4036856 RYLE, A.  
 Report time: 21/04/2022 16:53  
 Entered by: #4036856 RYLE, A.  
 Entered time: 21/04/2022 17:34

Remarks: Occurrence Type: Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined (0920);  
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Narrative: MO

The involved damaged trailers are parked at the rear of the business address in a 'wash bay'. The wash bay is located approximately 5 meters from the external rear wall of the warehouse. A total of two refrigerated trailers were damaged during the fire with vehicle unable to be identified via registration plate or VIN at the time of police and QFRS attending. Both trailers have been disconnected from all battery and power sources and have been stationary for numerous and were predominately used for wooden pallet storage. The immediate area between the warehouse wall and trailers is used for further storage of other warehouse property items such as pallets and hard plastics. This deems the area mostly inaccessible and not a common thoroughfare for foot traffic.

Fire report MO details

The fire was first observed by a delivery driver, Sch4p4(6) who was positioned on the other side of a barrier fence and has observed flames from under one of the trailers. Sch4p4(6) has called out to staff members inside the warehouse who have rushed out with fire extinguishers in an attempt to put out the flames but they have escalated. Numerous other staff members have attempted to put of the flames until QFRS have

attended to take charge of the scene. Numerous QFRS service crews have attended the scene as well as members from the Fire Investigation Unit. Fire suppression activity: Public, QFES - Numerous QFRS crews attended and saturated entire area with foam. Were other fires occurring in the area at the time: No. Have similar fires been occurring in the general or wider area: No. Were any fire warning in force at the time: No. Do you think this may be the act of a recidivist offender : No.

## GENERAL REPORT

Police arrived on scene to a well established fire located inside the insulated trailer containing wooden pallets. QFRS have attended and after several hours were able to extinguish the fire which has destroyed the original trailer, as well as damaging the left side of another trailer (linked). Damage points were also noted on the exterior wall to the warehouse near where the trailers were parked. QFRS Fire Investigation Unit officers arrived. FIU deemed that the fire did not appear to be suspicious at this stage but they could not determine the cause of the fire. FIU stated that the trailers were completely detached from any power source or battery and were filled with wooden pallets. The area around the trailers was also filled with other property items from the warehouse such as hard plastics and other pallets. The area appeared mostly inaccessible and didn't appear to be a thoroughfare for foot traffic. The main involved trailer has not been able to be identified via registration plate or VIN at this time. Contact was made with Sch4p4(6) from the Toowoomba main office (Sch4p4(6) who stated there was no way to tell which trailer was destroyed until he had some other staff members attend the following day who would be able to ascertain the correct VIN. Sch4p4(6) stated she would contact Moorooka Police with this information, once it was available. Station email provided to Sch4p4(6) SOC not required.

### Fire type

Property type damaged: Building/structure, Vehicle. Linked to other offences: N/A. Type of location: Commercial. Injury: No. Death: No.

### Fire cause

Undetermined. Human activity: Unknown. Additional descriptors: N/A. Juvenile activity: Unknown. Accelerant: No. Incendiary device: No.

### Scene management and investigation

Who attended: QFES fire investigator. Cause and origin investigation: Yes - QFES - Mark McGLINN QFRS. Fire Investigation Unit. Crime scene: Not declared.

### Fire origin

Origin/s of fire: Unknown.

### Insurance details

Property Insured: Unknown.

### Financial status

Property offered or intended for sale: No. Mortgage or finance: Unknown. Money owed: Unknown.

### Section 462 Criminal Code - Endangering particular property by fire

Damage to other s461CC property: Unknown. Other section s461CC property endangered: Unknown.

## Supplementary report

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Task: T2201878454 [Case officer - Closed] Due: 20/05/2022 06:44 #4010902 WILSON, B. ->#4018973 STRANG, S. [Low] ARSON MV - S0 - Please detail for further investigation. QP2200680722 Fire - Vehicle - Undetermined [0920] @21/04/2022 16:53 (SHETTLESTON, 44 SH

Author: #4018973 STRANG, S.

Report time: 23/04/2022 13:20

Entered by: #4018973 STRANG, S.

Entered time: 23/04/2022 13:20

Remarks:

Narrative:

on 23/04/2022, Investigators from UMG CIB attended 44 Shettleston Street Rocklea and inspected scene where fire was located. Investigators spoke with witness Sch4p4(6) who was at an adjoining building at the side of the fire. Sch4p4(6) stated that he and other staff ran outside their building upon seeing smoke and observed the

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 trailer well alight. Sch4p4(6) states that he did not see any persons running from or in the vicinity of the trailer on fire.

Investigators noted that stacks of burnt wooden pallets had been moved from the rear of the truck during or after the fire. Nil suspicious items located at scene.

Investigators conducted enquiries in the industrial site looking for CCTV camera's. Investigators only located one building with a CCTV camera attached. Sch4p4(6) stated this building belonged to Mt Isa Carrying. Sch4p4(6) provided details for Sch4p4(6) who works in the office for Mt Isa Carrying (Sch4p4(6) Sch4p4(6) Sch4p4(6)).

Investigator spoke with Sch4p4(6) about the CCTV footage. Sch4p4(6) stated that the camera was operated by Mt Isa Carrying, and provided the contact details of Sch4p4(6) from Mt Isa Carrying (Sch4p4(6)).

Investigator then attempted to contact Sch4p4(6) however it went through to message bank. Message left to contact investigators for follow up.

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Author: #4018973 STRANG, S.  
 Report time: 04/05/2022 06:12  
 Entered by: #4018973 STRANG, S.  
 Entered time: 04/05/2022 06:12  
 Remarks:  
 Narrative:

On 3rd may 2022, investigators attended the new premises of Mt Isa Carrying and viewed CCTV footage. Footage had been retained from previous premises at Shettleston Street Cooper Plains which is the offence location. Investigators took up with the Sch4p4(6) Sch4p4(6) who provided access to their CCTV system. Mt Isa Carriers was previously located in a factory at Shettleston Street opposite the location where the truck trailer was located on fire. The CCTV footage from Mt ISA carriers indicates the fire occurred at about 11:20am on the offence date.

The CCTV camera's from Mt Isa Carriers is a fair way from the offence location however can capture some of the trailer in its CCTV footage.

Workers from the victim business can be seen in the yard nearby the truck trailer at the relevant time. Staff notice the trailer is smoking and take a hose to the trailer in an attempt to put out the fire.

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Investigators observed the fire appears to occur at the trailer hitch end of the trailer which is where the refrigerated section of the truck is located. Access to the inside of the trailer cannot be obtained from this end. At the time of the fire, the trailer was loaded with timber pallets. The doors to the trailer were at the opposite end to the refrigerated motor. Nil suspicious activity can be observed in or around the trailer at the relevant time of the fire that would give cause to suspicion as to how the fire started. The area appeared mostly inaccessible and didn't appear to be a thoroughfare for foot traffic.

Footage has been viewed however not siezed at this stage. Investigators requested for Sch4p4(6) to save footage in case later needed for any reason.

At this stage the fire appears to be caused by unknown means. Although the motor to the refrigerated motor section of the trailer was not running, it cannot be ruled out that an electrical fault, perhaps from batteries or capacitors which can hold charge in them have caused the fire. Fire investigators have deemed that the fire did not appear to be suspicious at this stage but they could not determine the exact cause of the fire.

It is for these reasons investigator recommends this report be filed pending further information coming to light.

#### Scene photos

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Task:  
Author: #4036856 RYLE, A.  
Report time: 21/04/2022 17:38  
Entered by: #4036856 RYLE, A.  
Entered time: 21/04/2022 17:38  
Person:  
Address:  
Vehicle:  
Officer:  
Remarks:  
Narrative:





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21/04/22 12:24-14:36	General Calls for Service	<b>CAD:</b> 001251-21042022 - 401 FIRE BUILDING SEMI WELL INVOLVED CATCHING TO A LARGE COMMERCIAL SHED - UNK ANY OCCS OR INJ Details: SEMI ON FIRE CATCHING TO BLDG Details: SEMI ON FIRE CATCHING TO BLDG <b>Location:</b> SHETTLESTON, 14 SHETTLESTON ST, ROCKLEA, BRISBANE <b>Attending:</b> Walters, MichaelA, McGuiffie, Keith <b>Comments:</b> Finalisation Details Confirm code	
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Sch4p4(6)

Saw small, knee high  
fire under the fridge  
motor of the trailer  
at closest to the building

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- Saw a lot of rubbish  
under the front of the  
trailer -

Saw wood pallets.

- Red flame -

little bit of smoke.

Went back really  
quickly.

- Saw someone near the  
trailer.

- a few workers at the  
shed.

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QPS Right to Information  
and Privacy

**Application to use notes**

Before notes can be referred to a proper application must be made to the Court. The witness seeking to refer to the notes should make one of the following applications:

**Wording of application**

*'Your Honour, throughout this investigation, I made notes in my official police notebook, of my observations, the events, and also the conversations I had with the defendant.*

*The notes were recorded [at the time/within XX (hours/minutes) of the conversation ending whilst it was fresh in my memory].*

*I have some independent recollection of those occurrences, but I have not attempted to commit to memory the exact details of those occurrences.*

*These notes are contained in my official police notebook number ... between page number... and page number ...*

*For the purpose of accuracy and to refresh my memory I seek permission to refer to those notes.*

**Variation where witness is not the writer of the notes**

*'Your Honour, throughout this investigation I was in the company of [rank/name of officer making notes]. He/she made notes in his/her official police notebook of our observations, the events, and also the conversations had with the defendant.*

*The notes were recorded [at the time/within XX (hours/minutes) of the conversation ending whilst it was fresh in my memory]. [After/During the making of the record I checked the notes, and found them to be a complete and accurate record.*

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*For the purpose of accuracy and to refresh my memory I seek permission to refer to these notes.'*

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**OFFICIAL POLICE NOTEBOOK**

Issued to: R/MLTECS No.: 18266

Station: MOOROOKA

Date: 26-11-2021

By: M. Seaton No.: 406099

[Signature] 26/11/2021

(Signature of Recipient) (Date)

**COMPLETED AND HANDED IN TO THE OFFICER IN CHARGE OF POLICE**

At: \_\_\_\_\_ No.: \_\_\_\_\_

On: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ No.: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Officer In Charge) (Date)

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Shefferson St

Company Emerald refrigerator  
logistics

Sch4p4(6)

Sch4p4(6)



in pit used for  
washing

- fire coming from  
side of truck

- and fire under  
truck

- got hose

Sch4p4(6)

- used extinguisher

- notified by  
lady in adjacent  
transport company  
who yelled  
fire  
and waved her  
arms

Sch4p4(6)

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Annette Hall, 03/08/2021  
Application to use notes

Before notes can be referred to a proper application must be made to the Court. The witness seeking to refer to the notes should make one of the following applications:

**SEARCH WARRANT**

- I.D.
- Intro SELF
- Intro Warrant PPRA
- Copy Warrant
- Copy of Statement to Occupier
- Intro Senior Officer
- Explain Detention
- Explain Obstruct/Offence
- Rights To Silence

I have not attempted to commit to memory the exact details of those occurrences.

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**OFFICIAL POLICE NOTEBOOK**

Issued to: MCAULIFFE No.: 4018652  
 Station: MOOROOKA  
 Date: 03/08/2021  
 By: DAVIES No.: 4009297  
 (Signature of Recipient) [Signature] 03/08/2021  
 (Date)

**COMPLETED AND HANDED IN TO THE OFFICER IN CHARGE OF POLICE**

At: \_\_\_\_\_ No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
 On: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Received by: \_\_\_\_\_ No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
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