DEATH OF ARMY MEMBER AT A DEFENCE ESTABLISHMENT

NATURE OF THE INCIDENT:
• An Australian Army Reservist has collapsed and died at a Defence Establishment in Brisbane while participating in an approved physical training activity.
• The member’s colleagues provided immediate medical aid and the Queensland Ambulance Service and Queensland Police were called to assist.
• Defence has notified the member’s family.

THE DATE AND TIME OF THE INCIDENT:
• Approximately 1505h, 11 September 2013.

ACTIONS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY:
• The member’s family and colleagues are being supported by the member’s unit and the Defence Community Organisation.
• The member’s death is being investigated by the Queensland Police and Defence is providing assistance to the investigation.