

## 2018/064: Regarding whether the fire safety design of a proposed 185m high mixed-use tower building complies with Clauses C1-C6 by means of C/VM2

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### Document

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Determination 2018/064

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### About this determination

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Date issued	18 December 2018
Primary Building Code clause:	<a href="https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/c-protection-from-fire/c4-movement-to-a-place-of-safety/">C4 - Movement to a place of safety (https://www.building.govt.nz/building-code-compliance/c-protection-from-fire/c4-movement-to-a-place-of-safety/)</a>
Also related to:	C - Protection from Fire
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Council:	Auckland Council
Section of the Building Act:	19, 22

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### Summary

This determination considers the fire safety design of a proposed tall building and whether compliance with Clauses C1-C6 has been established by means of Verification Method C/VM2. The determination discusses the scope of the Verification Method, how compliance is established by way of the Verification Method, and the compliance of the proposed design - in particular the lack of isolated interconnection between the lobby containing the designated fire fighters lift and the stair that is the means of egress and which firefighters use to access the floor of fire origin.

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