

UHF CHANNELS 5 AND 35 EMERGENCY USE ONLY!

Do you use:

- **UHF CB in your truck, car, 4WD or home?**
 - **UHF ‘Personal Radio’?**
 - **UHF ‘Communicator’?**
 - **UHF “Licence Free” Radio?**

In Australia these radio’s utilise the UHF CB band, and this band is governed by Federal Legislation. Part of this legislation allocates certain channels for specific uses, and this includes the

EMERGENCY CHANNELS

Channels **5 AND 35** on the UHF CB band are reserved for **EMERGENCY USE ONLY**. Misuse of these channels can interfere with calls for emergency assistance, and may even cost someone’s life! If you use UHF radio equipment please make sure you keep clear of the emergency channels!

Penalties under federal legislation for the misuse of the emergency channels include an on-the-spot fine of **\$420**, or a court issued penalty of up to **2 years imprisonment** or **\$315,000**. If interference to an actual call in progress is caused the penalty can be up to **5 years imprisonment** or **\$1,050,000!**