

NEW AMATEUR CALLSIGN TEMPLATE

The amateur callsign template has been revised as follows.

Licence class	Callsign Format (Note 1)
Advanced	VK\$aa, VJ\$a, VK\$a, VL\$a (Note 2)
Advanced Standard Foundation	VK\$aaa-VK\$zzz (Note 3)
Repeater Beacon	VK\$Raa-VK\$Rzz (no change)

Notes:

1. The current State/territory numeric indicator (\$) remains, i.e.:

- 0 = *Antarctica*
- 1 = *Australian Capital Territory*
- 2 = *New South Wales*
- 3 = *Victoria*
- 4 = *Queensland*
- 5 = *South Australia*
- 6 = *Western Australia*
- 7 = *Tasmania*
- 8 = *Northern Territory*
- 9 = *Australian External Territories*

2. 2 x 1 callsigns are to be used for contest operation only and are limited to one per licensee (individual or club).

3. No further Fxxx series callsigns will be issued.

IMPORTANT NOTICES

1. Due to the high volume of requests to change callsigns our priority will be new callsigns. Changes to callsigns will be processed as the team is able to get to them and we would ask for your understanding if there is a delay.
2. We are currently amending our systems and forms for the new 2 x 1 callsign template (e.g. VK1Z). We will advise when we are ready to issue these callsigns.

Commented [SW1]: Perhaps provide a description of what these are used for. I.e. for local or international contests.