

# Roma Street Fire and Ambulance Station

Client	Department of Emergency Services
Number of artworks commissioned	1
Public Art project budget	\$138, 095



## Siren Wall

Location	279 Upper Roma Street, Brisbane
Artist	Inkahoots
Medium	Retro reflective aluminium road signs
Size	Approximately 5m (h) x 21m (w)
Artwork fabrication cost	\$109,000
Completion date	2008
Photos by	Project Services



## Artwork statement

*Siren Wall* represents a link between the heritage and contemporary roles of the Queensland Fire and Rescue Service and the Queensland Ambulance Service. The wonderful modernist industrial designs of vintage emergency service vehicle sirens are interpreted here as graphic symbols, applied to road signs, tiled in random pattern, on the Roma Street Fire and Ambulance Station perimeter wall.



**Project Services**  
Queensland Government  
Department of Public Works



## Siren Fence

Location	279 Upper Roma Street, Brisbane	
Artist	Inkahoots	
Medium	Powder coated steel and programmed LED lights	
Size	Approximately 2.5m (h) x 5.8m (w)	
Artwork fabrication cost	As part of above	
Completion date	2008	
Photos by	Project Services	

## Artwork statement

*Siren Fence* is a pedestrian barrier that doubles as a warning alarm triggered by the passage of emergency service vehicles. The posts are illuminated in animated sequences, mimicking the vehicles' own flashing lights.

