



**FORMAL  
INTERPRETATIONS**

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Question:

Std: NZS 4541

*FI 052*

Interpretation:

Issued by the Fixed Fire Protection Group

Is it the intent of NZS 4541:2003 that cooking oils are considered to be flammable liquids?

No. Cooking oil is not a flammable liquid.

NOTE - The committee notes that prudent design is required to ensure that any risks containing cooking oils are adequately protected

**Reviewed in 2008 and deemed not applicable to NZS 4541:2007  
(applies to 2003 edition)**