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Water Resources Act 1989

**WATER RESOURCES LEGISLATION
AMENDMENT REGULATION (No. 1) 2000**

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PART 1—PRELIMINARY

Short title

1. This regulation may be cited as the *Water Resources Legislation Amendment Regulation (No. 1) 2000*.

Commencement

2. This regulation commences on the settlement day under the *South East Queensland Water Board (Reform Facilitation) Act 1999*.

PART 2—AMENDMENT OF SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND WATER BOARD BY-LAW 1991

By-law amended in pt 2

3. This part amends the *South East Queensland Water Board By-law 1991*.

Amendment of s 2 (Interpretation)

4. Section 2, definition “**vehicle**”, ‘*Traffic Act 1949*’—
omit, insert—
‘Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995’.

Amendment of s 4 (Signs)

5. Section 4(3), ‘*Traffic Act 1949*’—
omit, insert—
‘Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995’.

Amendment of s 13 (Driving or riding vehicles)

6. Section 13(2), ‘*Traffic Act 1949*’—

omit, insert—

‘*Transport Operations (Road Use Management) Act 1995*’.

PART 3—AMENDMENT OF WATER RESOURCES REGULATION 1999

Regulation amended in pt 3

7. This part amends the *Water Resources Regulation 1999*.

Insertion of new pt 3A

8. After part 3—

insert—

‘PART 3A—WATER ALLOCATION

‘Allocation for South East Queensland Water Corporation Limited

‘**15A.(1)** A water allocation of 345 000 ML a year (the “**company allocation**”) from the sources mentioned in subsection (2) is fixed for South East Queensland Water Corporation Limited (the “**company**”).¹

‘(2) The sources for the company allocation are—

- (a) the impoundments of the Wivenhoe, Somerset and North Pine Dams; and

¹ This allocation was fixed on the basis of the following full supply levels—

- (a) Somerset Dam—RL 99.00 metres AHD;
- (b) Wivenhoe Dam—RL 67.00 metres AHD;
- (c) North Pine Dam—RL 39.63 metres AHD;
- (d) Mt Crosby Weir—RL 6.90 metres AHD.

- (b) the section of the Brisbane River between the Wivenhoe Dam and Mt Crosby Weir.

‘Conditions for company allocation

‘**15B.(1)** The conditions stated in this section are imposed on the company allocation.

‘**(2)** The maximum volume of water the company may take from the impoundment of the North Pine Dam in a year is 59 000 ML.

‘**(3)** The company must make available from the company allocation to Esk Shire Council, free of charge—

- (a) 220 ML a year for use for the Town of Esk; and
- (b) 270 ML a year for use for the Town of Lowood.

‘**(4)** The company must make available from the company allocation to the Glamorgan Vale Water Board, free of charge, 250 ML a year for use for the Glamorgan Vale Water Supply Area.

‘**(5)** The company must make available from the company allocation, free of charge—

- (a) a sufficient volume of water, but not more than an aggregate of 7 000 ML a year, to meet the rights to water of licensees authorised under licences issued under part 4 of the Act to take water for irrigation purposes from the Brisbane River between the Wivenhoe Dam and Mt Crosby Weir; and
- (b) a sufficient volume of water to meet the riparian rights of persons under section 36 of the Act relating to any of the sources to which the company allocation relates; and
- (c) a sufficient volume of water to meet the rights to water of other persons under authorisations under the Act if the authorisations—
 - (i) are in force on the commencement of this section; and
 - (ii) relate to any of the sources to which the company allocation relates.’

ENDNOTES

1. Made by the Governor in Council on 3 February 2000.
2. Notified in the gazette on 4 February 2000.
3. Laid before the Legislative Assembly on . . .
4. The administering agency is the Department of Natural Resources.