



Statement of Approval

Water Management Act 2000

Approval details

Approval number

40CA411901

Status

CURRENT*

Approval kind

Water Supply Works

Water Use

Water sharing plan

NSW MURRAY DARLING BASIN FRACTURED ROCK GROUNDWATER SOURCES

2020

Date of effect

16/Jan/2012

Expiry date

15/Jan/2025

Approval holder(s)

Schedule 1

Water supply works

Schedule 2

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Contact for service of documents

Name

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* Note: An approval has effect for such period as is specified in the approval, or if the period is extended under section 105, that extended period. If an application for extension of an approval is lodged before the approval expires, the term of the expiring approval is extended until either the date of the final decision on the application, or a date fixed by the Minister for the approval, whichever is the later date. An approval which has expired can be the subject of an application to extend it but it needs to be accompanied by a statutory declaration of the reasons for the delay in making the application. If the Minister accepts these reasons the term of the approval is taken to have been extended, and the application may be dealt with. as if the application had been made and the application may be dealt with, as if the application had been made before the approval expired.

It is an offence under the Water Management Act 2000 to breach a term or condition of the approval or to construct and use works to which the approval does not relate. It is also an offence to use works the subject of an approval if the approval has expired, been surrendered or cancelled.

Schedule 1 - Approval holders

The holders of this approval are:

Approval holder(s)

ACN (if applicable)

GRAYMONT (NSW) PTY LTD

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Important notice - change of landholder or contact

Please advise the Office in the event of any of the following, as soon as practicable:

- If there is a change in the ownership or occupation of the land benefited by this approval (see Schedule 2). Under the Water Management Act 2000, an approval is typically held by the owner or lawful occupier of the benefited land. Consequently, a change in occupation may cause a change in your legal obligations as an approval holder.*
- If there is a change to the contact person. You will be required to lodge a written statement signed by all the holders.*
- If there is a change to the mailing address for the nominated contact person. This should be done by the contact person in writing.

^{*} An updated Statement of Approval will be issued free of charge



Schedule 2 - Water supply works

Part A: Authorised water supply works

Subject to the conditions of this approval, in relation to each numbered work in the table, the holders of this approval are authorised to construct and use a water supply work of the type shown at the location specified:

Work 1

Work identifier

GW404193

Specified work

EXCAVATION - GROUNDWATER

Diameter (constructed) in millimeters not specified

Specified location

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Whole Lot

Management zone (if applicable)

Water source

LACHLAN FOLD BELT MDB GROUNDWATER SOURCE

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Work 2

Work identifier

Specified work

BORE

Diameter (specified) in millimeters

not specified

Specified location

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Whole Lot

Management zone (if applicable)

Water source

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Work 3

Work identifier

Specified work BORE

Diameter (specified) in millimeters

not specified

Specified location

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Whole Lot

Management zone (if applicable)

Water source

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Schedule 3 - Water Use

Subject to the conditions of this approval, the holder(s) of this approval is authorised to use water for the following purpose(s) and location(s):

Purpose 1

Specified purpose

IRRIGATION

Specified location

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Purpose 2

Specified purpose

DEWATERING (GROUNDWATER)

Specified location

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Schedule 4 - Conditions

The approval is subject to the following conditions:

Plan conditions

Water sharing plan

NSW Murray Darling Basin Fractured Rock Groundwater Sources 2020

Water management works

MW7040-00001

The approval holder must ensure that the water supply work is constructed in such a way that ensures the following:

A. the water supply work is situated in the location specified in the application for the water supply work,

B. water is able to be taken through the water supply work only from the groundwater source specified in the share component of the access licence that nominates the water supply work,

C. the water supply work is sealed off from all other water sources,

D. construction of the water supply work complies with the construction standards for that type of bore prescribed in the Minimum Construction Requirements for Water Bores in Australia,

E. construction and use of the water supply work prevents contamination of the aquifer and between aquifers, and F. construction and use of the water supply work prevents the flow of saline water between aquifers.

MW7053-00001

The approval holder must ensure:

A. the construction of the water supply work is completed within three years of the approval being granted, and B. the water supply work is not used unless construction is completed within three years of the approval being granted.

MW7043-00001

If contaminated water is encountered during the construction of the water supply work, the approval holder must do the following:

A. notify the Minister within 48 hours of becoming aware of the contaminated water,

B. take all reasonable steps to minimise contamination and environmental harm,

C. ensure that the contaminated water is sealed off by inserting casing to a depth sufficient to exclude the contaminated water from the water supply work,

D. place an impermeable seal in the borehole annulus when and as directed by the Minister, and

E. comply with any other written requirements specified by the Minister, which may include a requirement to provide a report in a specified form detailing the quality of any water obtained using the water supply work.

This condition does not apply to a water supply work constructed for the purpose of monitoring or remediating contaminated water:

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MR6927-00001

- A. Under section 101A of the Water Management Act 2000, metering equipment must be installed, used and properly maintained in connection with all water supply works, except those works to which an exemption applies as described in clauses 230, 231, 232 or 233 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018.
- B. Metering equipment standards are set out in the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018. An approval holder must comply with the standards set out in the Regulation.

Note. More information on how to comply with this condition is available on the Department's website.

Monitoring and recording

MR7737-00001

- A. The approval holder must comply with the recording and reporting requirements set out in clause 244 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018 from 1 December 2021.
- B. This condition does not apply to works to which an exemption from the mandatory metering equipment condition applies as described in clause 231, 232 or 233 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018.

Note. Information about this condition, including the approved form and manner for recording and reporting is available on the Department's website.

MR7739-00001

- A. The approval holder must comply with the recording and reporting requirements set out in clause 250 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018 from 1 December 2021.
- B. This condition does not apply:i. to works which are subject to the mandatory metering equipment condition under section 101A of the Water Management Act 2000, or
- ii. if metering equipment that complies with the metering equipment standards in the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018 is installed and used in relation to the work, and the approval holder complies with the requirements of clause 244, and the requirements of clause 244A or the telemetry specifications set out in the approved data logging and telemetry specifications, so that data regarding water taken is transmitted in accordance with those specifications.

Note. Information about this condition, including the approved form and manner for recording and reporting is available on the Department's website.

MW7054-00001

Until 1 December 2021, if metering equipment has been installed in connection with a water supply work authorised by this approval, the meter reading must be recorded in the logbook before each time water is taken.

This requirement does not apply if water is taken through a water supply work that has both an operational: A. meter that complies with Australian Standard AS 4747 Meters for non-urban water supply, and B. data logger.

MW6612-00001

A logbook used to record water take information must be retained for five (5) years from the last date recorded in the logbook.

MW6984-00004

Until 1 December 2021, the following information must be recorded in the logbook for each period of time that water is taken:

- A. date, volume of water taken, start and end time when water was taken, and
- B. the access licence number under which the water is taken or the authority under which water was taken (such as basic landholder rights), and
- C. the approval number under which the water is taken, and D. the purposes for which water is taken, and details of any cropping carried out using the water taken through the water supply work including the type of crop, area cropped, and dates of planting and harvesting, and
- E. if metering equipment has not been installed for use in connection with the water supply work, or has been installed but is not operational, details of all pumping activities for the water supply work including pump running hours, pump power usage or pump fuel usage, pump start and stop times and pump capacity per unit of time.

This requirement does not apply to a water supply work that has both an operational:

F. meter that complies with Australian Standard AS 4747 Meters for non-urban water supply, and G. data logger.

MR7738-00001

- A. The approval holder must comply with the reporting requirements set out in clause 244A of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018 from 1 December 2021.
- B. This condition does not apply:
- i. if telemetry is installed and used in relation to the work used to take water, and that complies with the data logging and telemetry specifications, or
- ii. to works to which an exemption from the mandatory metering equipment condition applies as described in clause 231, 232 or 233 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018.

Note. Information about this condition, including the approved form and manner for reporting is available on the Department's website.

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MW3858-00002

- A. When a water supply work authorised by this approval is no longer to be used permanently, the approval holder must:
- i. notify the relevant licensor in writing of their intention to decommission the work at least 60 days before the start of decommissioning, and
- ii. include a work plan for decommissioning in accordance with the Minimum Construction Requirements for Water Bores in Australia 2020, as amended or replaced from time to time, and
- iii. decommission the work in accordance with the submitted work plan unless the approval holder receives notice in writing from the Minister within 60 days of notifying the relevant licensor, requiring that the work is either not to be decommissioned or be decommissioned in accordance with requirements other than those set in the work plan.
- B. Within 60 days of the work being decommissioned, the approval holder must notify the relevant licensor in writing:
- i confirming that the work has been decommissioned, and ii. providing the name of the driller who decommissioned the work.

MR7736-00001

- A. Under clause 238 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018, the approval holder must give a copy of a certificate provided under clause 237(1) and (2) to the Minister within 28 days of receiving the certificate.
- B. This condition does not apply to works to which an exemption from the mandatory metering equipment condition applies as described in clauses 230, 231, 232 or 233 of the Water Management (General) Regulation 2018.
- Note. More information on how to comply with this condition is available on the Department's website.

MW7052-00001

- The approval holder must submit a completed Form A to the relevant licensor within 60 days:
- A. of completion of the construction of the water supply work, or
- B. after the issue of the water supply work approval if the approval is for the amendment of an existing water supply work.

MW7042-00001

If directed by the Minister by notice in writing, the approval holder must provide a report in the form specified in the notice detailing the quality of any water obtained using the water supply work, within the timeframe (if any) specified in the written notice.

MW6983-00004

- A. Once the approval holder becomes aware of a breach of any condition on this approval, the approval holder must notify the Minister as soon as practicable.
- B. If the initial notification was not in writing, written notice must be provided within seven days of becoming aware of the breach by emailing: nrar.enquiries@nrar.nsw.gov.au

Other conditions

Water management works

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- A. The total volume of groundwater extracted from all water supply works authorised by this approval must not exceed 300 ML/year.
- B. The extraction limit may be reviewed by the relevant licensor if:
- licensor if:
 i. local impacts management plan is introduced in the area where the water supply works are located, or
 ii. the approval holder lodges a written request for a review after the works have extracted groundwater for a minimum of 12 months.

Glossary

form A - Form A is the form supplied to the approval holder by the driller at completion of the work. It includes details of location and construction of the bore, and quality of the bore water. All sections must be completed before the approval holder signs the form.

licensor - WaterNSW or DPI Water, depending on which organisation
administers your licences and/or approvals

logbook - A logbook is a document, electronic or hard copy, that records
specific required information.

share component - The share component is the specified shares in the
available water within a particular water management area.

General Notes

All conditions on an approval require compliance. An appeal to the Land and Environment Court against a decision to impose certain conditions on an approval can be made within 28 days after the date the decision is made. Conditions identified with the first letter "D" are those that can be appealed during the appeal period.

The words in this approval have the same meaning as in the Water Management $\mbox{Act 2000}$

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END OF STATEMENT