

RESOURCE OPERATIONS LICENCE

Water Act 2000



NAME OF LICENCE

Nogoa Mackenzie Water Supply Scheme Resource Operations Licence

HOLDER

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RESOURCE OPERATIONS PLAN

The licence relates to the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan.

AUTHORITY TO INTERFERE

The licence authorises the licence holder to interfere with the flow of water, in the Nogoa Mackenzie Water Supply Scheme, detailed in the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan Chapter 4, to the extent necessary to operate the water infrastructure to which the licence applies.

WATER INFRASTRUCTURE

The water infrastructure to which the licence applies is detailed in the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan in Attachment 4.2D Nogoa Mackenzie Water Supply Scheme: Infrastructure Details.

OPERATING ARRANGEMENTS AND SUPPLY REQUIREMENTS

The operating arrangements and supply requirements that relate to the licence holder are detailed in the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan Chapter 4 and apply in accordance with Chapter 9: Implementation of the Resource Operations Plan.

In accordance with section 110 of the *Water Act 2000*, the licence holder must comply with the operating arrangements and supply requirements in the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan.

LICENCE CONDITIONS

1. The licence holder must carry out and report on the stated monitoring program set out in Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan Chapter 4 and in accordance with Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan Chapter 3.
2. By 19 December 2006, the Fairbairn Dam river outlet must be capable of discharging to the river between 1,500 and 1,600 ML/day when the water level in Fairbairn Dam is at EL 199.0 m AHD, unless otherwise authorised by the chief executive.
3. From the taking of effect of the Fitzroy Basin Resource Operations Plan until the Fairbairn Dam river outlet is modified in accordance with licence condition 2, the licence holder may operate the Nogoa Mackenzie Water Supply Scheme with the Fairbairn Dam river outlet having a discharge capacity of not less than that of the existing outlet works.

COMMENCEMENT OF LICENCE

The licence takes effect on 18 May 2006

GRANTED ON 18 May 2006

Graeme Milligan
General Manager, Water Management and Use
(Delegate for chief executive)