

Available Water Determination Order for the Richmond River Area and Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2019

under the

Water Management Act 2000

I, Rachel Connell having delegated authority in pursuance of section 59 (1) (a) of the *Water Management Act 2000*, make the following Order.

Dated this 26th day of June, 2019.

RACHEL CONNELL
Executive Director Regional Water
NSW Department of Industry – Lands and Water Division
(by delegation)

Explanatory note

This Order is made under section 59 (1) (a) of the *Water Management Act 2000*. The object of this Order is to make an available water determination for various categories of access licences in the water sources identified in Schedule 1.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the Available Water Determination Order for the Richmond River Area and Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2019.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the 1st July 2019.

3 Available water determination

This Order determines the availability of water in relation to the water sources specified in Schedule 1, for the categories and subcategories of access licence specified in Schedules 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 on the terms specified in Schedules 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8.

Schedule 1 Water Sources

This Order applies to the following water sources:

- 1. All water sources to which the Water Sharing Plan for the *Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2011* applies;
- 2. All water sources to which the *Water Sharing Plan for the Richmond River Area Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2010* applies.

Schedule 2 Domestic and stock access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to domestic and stock access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Percentage per megalitre of access licence share component
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2011	100%
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Richmond River Area Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2010	100%

Schedule 3 Local water utility access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to local water utility access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Percentage per megalitre of access licence share component
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2011	100%
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Richmond River Area Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2010	100%

Schedule 4 Regulated river (high security) access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to regulated river (high security) access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
Bega and Brogo Regulated Rivers Water Source	1.0 megalitre
Richmond Regulated Water Source	1.0 megalitre

Schedule 5 Regulated river (general security) access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to regulated river (general security) access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
Bega and Brogo Regulated Rivers Water Source	0.40 megalitre
Richmond Regulated Water Source	1.0 megalitre

Schedule 6 Supplementary water access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to supplementary water access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
Bega and Brogo Regulated Rivers Water Source	1.0 megalitre

Schedule 7 Unregulated river access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to unregulated river access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2011	1.0 megalitre
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Richmond River Area Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2010	1.0 megalitre

Schedule 8 Aquifer access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to aquifer access licences with a share component that specifies the adjacent water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Bega and Brogo Rivers Area Regulated, Unregulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2011	1.0 megalitre
All water sources as identified in Clause 4 of the Water Sharing Plan for the Richmond River Area Unregulated, Regulated and Alluvial Water Sources 2010	1.0 megalitre

Notes: (1) An available water determination made in relation to a particular category of access licence applies to all subcategories of that category, except to the extent to which this order provides otherwise, in accordance with section 59 (1A) of the *Water Management Act 2000*.