

Available Water Determination Order for the Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source 2023-24 [No. 5]

under the

Water Management Act 2000

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

Dated this 2nd day of January 2024.

Shahadat Chowdhury A/Manager, Water Allocations NSW of Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water -Water Group (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 Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source 2023-24 [No. 5].

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the 2nd of January 2024.

3 Available water determination

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

Schedule 1 Water sources

This Order applies to all water sources to which the *Water Sharing Plan for the Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source 2016* applies.

Schedule 2 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 water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1 Water source/s	COLUMN 2 Volume per unit of access licence share component
Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source	0.06 megalitre

Schedule 3 Regulated river (conveyance) access licences

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

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source	0.06 megalitre

Schedule 4 Coleambally irrigation (conveyance) access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to Coleambally irrigation (conveyance) access licences with a share component that specifies the water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1	COLUMN 2
Water source/s	Volume per unit of access licence share component
Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source	0.0112 megalitre

Schedule 5 Murrumbidgee irrigation (conveyance) access licences

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to Murrumbidgee irrigation (conveyance) access licences with a share component that specifies the water source specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1 Water source/s	COLUMN 2 Volume per unit of access licence
	share component
Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source	0.0790 megalitre

<u>Notes</u>: (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*.