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# Available Water Determination Order for Unregulated River Water Sources 2020

under the

Water Management Act 2000

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

Dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of June 2020.

VANESSA O'KEEFE

Executive Director Policy, Planning & Sciences

**NSW Department of Planning, Industry and Environment – 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 and subcategories 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 Unregulated River Water Sources 2020*.

## 2 Commencement

This Order commences on 1 July 2020.

## 3 Available water determination

This Order determines the availability of water for take from an unregulated river in each water source specified in Schedule 1, for each category or subcategory of access licence specified in Schedules 2 and 3, on the corresponding terms specified in those schedules.

Note: 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*.

## Schedule 1 Water Sharing Plans

This Order applies to every water source to which one of the following water sharing plans applies:

- 1 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE BARWON-DARLING UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCE 2012
- 2 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE BEGA AND BROGO RIVERS AREA REGULATED, UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2011
- 3 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE BELLINGER RIVER AREA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2020
- 4 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE BRUNSWICK UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 5 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE CASTLEREAGH UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2011
- 6 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE CENTRAL COAST UNREGULATED WATER SOURCES 2009
- 7 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE CLARENCE RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 8 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE CLYDE RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 9 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE COFFS HARBOUR AREA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2009
- 10 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE DEUA RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 11 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE GREATER METROPOLITAN REGION UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2011
- 12 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE GWYDIR UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2012
- 13 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE HASTINGS UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2019
- 14 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE HUNTER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2009
- 15 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE INTERSECTING STREAMS UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2011
- 16 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE LACHLAN UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2012

- 17 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE LOWER MURRAY-DARLING UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2011
- 18 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE LOWER NORTH COAST UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2009
- 19 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE MACLEAY RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 20 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE MACQUARIE BOGAN UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012
- 21 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE MURRAH-WALLAGA AREA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2010
- 22 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE MURRAY UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2011
- 23 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE MURRUMBIDGEE UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012
- 24 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE NAMBUCCA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 25 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE NAMOI AND PEEL UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012
- 26 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE NORTH WESTERN UNREGULATED AND FRACTURED ROCK WATER SOURCES 2011
- 27 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE NSW BORDER RIVERS UNREGULATED RIVER WATER SOURCES 2012
- 28 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE RICHMOND RIVER AREA UNREGULATED, REGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2010
- 29 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE SNOWY GENOA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 30 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE TOWAMBA RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2010
- 31 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE TUROSS RIVER UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2016
- 32 WATER SHARING PLAN FOR THE TWEED RIVER AREA UNREGULATED AND ALLUVIAL WATER SOURCES 2010

## Schedule 2 General terms for categories of access licence

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to the adjacent category or subcategory of access licence specified in Column 1, unless a different amount is specified in Schedule 3 for that category of access licence, in relation to a segment of a water source specified in Column 1 of Schedule 3.

COLUMN 1 Category/subcategory of access licence	COLUMN 2 Percentage per megalitre, or volume (megalitre) per unit of access licence share component
DOMESTIC AND STOCK	100%
DOMESTIC AND STOCK (DOMESTIC)	100%
DOMESTIC AND STOCK (STOCK)	100%
DOMESTIC AND STOCK (TOWN WATER SUPPLY)	100%
LOCAL WATER UTILITY	100%
LOCAL WATER UTILITY (DOMESTIC AND COMMERCIAL)	100%
MAJOR UTILITY	100%
MAJOR UTILITY (POWER GENERATION)	100%
MAJOR UTILITY (URBAN WATER)	100%
UNREGULATED RIVER	1.0 megalitre
UNREGULATED RIVER (A CLASS)	1.0 megalitre
UNREGULATED RIVER (B CLASS)	1.0 megalitre
UNREGULATED RIVER (C CLASS)	1.0 megalitre
UNREGULATED RIVER (REGULATED SUPPLY)	100%
UNREGULATED RIVER (SNOWY 2.0 PROJECT)	100%
UNREGULATED RIVER (SPECIAL ADDITIONAL HIGH FLOW)	1.0 megalitre
UNREGULATED RIVER (TOWN WATER SUPPLY)	100%

**Schedule 3 Specific terms for unregulated river access licences in specified water sources**

The amount specified in Column 3 applies to each unregulated river access licence (including subcategories of unregulated river access licence) in the corresponding segment of a water source specified in Column 1. The applicable water sharing plan is specified in Column 2.

COLUMN 1 Water Source segment	COLUMN 2 Applicable Water Sharing Plan	COLUMN 3 Megalitre per unit of access licence share component
CAMPBELLS RIVER DOWSTREAM MANAGEMENT ZONE IN CAMPBELLS RIVER WATER SOURCE	MACQUARIE BOGAN UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012	0.2
FISH RIVER WATER SOURCE DOWNSTREAM OF LAKE OBERON	MACQUARIE BOGAN UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012	0.2
MACQUARIE RIVER ABOVE BATHURST MANAGEMENT ZONE IN MACQUARIE RIVER ABOVE BURRENDONG WATER SOURCE	MACQUARIE BOGAN UNREGULATED RIVERS WATER SOURCES 2012	0.2