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**PART 1—PRELIMINARY**

**101. Objectives**

The objectives of these Regulations are to make provision under the **Water Industry Act 1994** for—

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Reg. 101(a)  
revoked by  
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reg. 5(a).

(b) procedures and standards to be complied with in relation to the carrying out of work;

(c) trade waste agreements and consents;

(d) the rights given to a licensee on the creation of an easement or a reserve;

(e) the requirements for lodging notices in relation to a disposition of any land;

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Reg. 101(f)  
revoked by  
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reg. 5(a).

(g) forms, penalties and any other matter or thing authorised to be prescribed by the **Water Industry Act 1994**.

Reg. 101(g)  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 5(b).

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Reg. 102  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 6.

**102. Authorising provisions**

These Regulations are made under sections 26, 50, 51, 52, 53, 61, 176A, 179, 184 and 185(2) of the **Water Industry Act 1994**.

**103. Commencement**

These Regulations come into operation on 1 January 1996.

**104. Definitions**

(1) In these Regulations—

**"Act"** means **Water Industry Act 1994**;

**"bank"** includes groyne;

**"change"** includes alter, cut off, add to, replace, remove and reconstruct;

**"channel works"** include—

(a) channels and ancillary works; and

(b) the following related works—

bridges, siphons, inlets, outlets, regulators, controlling, metering, communication, power and telemetry devices, buried cables, culverts, subways, pipes, fittings, drains and drop structures;

**"conditions of connection or disconnection"**, in relation to any work of water supply or work of sewerage, means the conditions of connection or disconnection subject to which the relevant licensee agrees to or gives consent to the work;

**"construct"** includes erect, lay, place, build and fabricate;

"**drainage works**" include—

(a) drains and ancillary works, culverts and spillways; and

(b) the following related works—

drop structures, control gates, controlling, metering, communication, power and telemetry devices, buried cables, pipes, fittings and escapes;

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Reg. 104(1)  
def. of  
"eligible  
beneficiary"  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 7(a).

"**excavate**" includes dig and cut;

"**fixture**" means a device the use or operation of which results in the discharge of sewage or trade waste or both;

"**inspect**" includes patrol;

"**licensee**" means the holder of a water or sewerage licence issued under Division 1 of Part 2 of the Act;

"**licensed plumber**" in relation to a particular class of work of water supply, sanitary drainage or sewerage, means a person who is licensed to carry out that class of work under Part 12A of the **Building Act 1993**;

Reg. 104(1)  
def. of  
"licensed  
plumber"  
inserted by  
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reg. 7(b).

"**maintain**" includes cleanse, flush, repair and, if necessary, remove;

"**matter**" includes timber and soil;

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Reg. 104(1)  
defs of  
"most recent  
water rate",  
"most recent  
sewerage  
rate"  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 7(a).

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**"occupier"**, in relation to any land, includes a person who occupies or is in control of—

- (a) the land, whether or not that person owns the land; and
- (b) any part of the land, if different parts of the land are occupied by different persons;

**"pipeline works"** includes—

- (a) pipelines and ancillary works; and
- (b) the following related works—

marker posts, valves, valve chambers, housings, controlling, metering, communication, power and telemetry devices, buried cables, vertical surgepipes, air vessels, fittings, connections, anti-corrosion equipment, hatches, manholes, inspection openings and pits, cleaning pits, scouring devices, drains, underground pumps and underground storage tanks;

**"plant"** includes machines, vehicles, equipment and materials;

Reg. 104(1)  
def. of  
"plumber"  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 7(a).

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**"private fire service"** means that part of a water service to a property to be used in an emergency to combat an outbreak of fire;

**"property service"** means the pipes and fittings used or intended to be used for the supply of water to a property from a water main of a licensee up to the stop valve at or near the inlet to a water meter or, if there is no water meter, to the first stop valve inside the property boundary;

**"relevant licensee"**, in relation to a residence or to any work or thing, means the licensee permitted to perform functions under its licence in respect of the area within which that residence is situated or that work is being or is to be carried out or that thing is situated or is to be situated;

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Reg. 104(1)  
def. of  
"relevant  
period"  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 7(a).

**"sanitary drain"** means a line of pipes below ground level, including all fittings, conveying or intended to convey under gravity sewage or trade waste;

**"sewage dump point"** means any receptacle for receiving waste from a privy, septic tank or chemical lavatory, including waste from any railway train, aircraft or bus;



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Reg. 104(1)  
def. of  
"sewerage  
rate remission  
entitlement"  
revoked by  
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reg. 7(a).

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**"soil"** includes earth, stone and gravel;

**"subway"** means an underground access way or  
underground conduit;

Reg. 104(1)  
defs of  
"unused  
sewerage rate  
remission  
entitlement",  
"unused  
water rate  
remission  
entitlement",  
"water rate  
remission  
entitlement"  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 7(a).

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**"waterway management works"** include—

- (a) drainage systems and drainage works;  
and
- (b) related subways; and
- (c) any other works related to waterway  
management functions;

**"weir"** includes dam and levee;

**"work of sanitary drainage"** means work of  
sewerage (excluding fixtures) external to a  
building;

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**"work of sewerage"** means work involved in the construction, alteration, extension, disconnection, removal, maintenance, repair or renewal of any sanitary drain or fixture connecting or intended to connect directly or indirectly with a sewer of a licensee;

**"work of water supply"** means work involved in the construction, alteration, extension, disconnection, removal, maintenance, repair or renewal of a property service connecting or intended to connect directly or indirectly with a water main of a licensee;

**"working day"** does not include Saturday, Sunday or a public holiday.

- (2) Any reference in these Regulations to a trade waste agreement includes a reference to a trade waste agreement with a licensee made under Division 3 of Part 3 of the Act or made under section 184A of the **Melbourne and Metropolitan Board of Works Act 1958** with Melbourne Water Corporation to which, by virtue of section 160 of the Act, a licensee is a party in place of Melbourne Water Corporation.
- (3) If at the foot of any regulation or sub-regulation the expression **"default penalty"** appears, it means that a person who is convicted of an offence against that regulation or sub-regulation (as the case requires) is, if the offence continues after the conviction or service by the licensee on that person of a notice of contravention under section 69 of the Act, liable to a further penalty for each day during which the offence continues after that conviction or, if a notice was served, after the service of the notice of not more than 1 penalty unit.

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**Pt 2**  
**(Heading and**  
**regs 201–204)**  
**revoked by**  
**S.R. No.**  
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**reg. 8.**

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Pt 3  
(Heading)  
substituted by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 9.

**Division 1—Application of Plumbing Regulations**

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Reg. 301  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 11.

**Division 2—Work of Water Supply or Work of Sewerage**

**302. Conditions of connection or disconnection**

- (1) The conditions of connection in relation to a work of water supply may include—
  - (a) the issue of a water meter or additional water meters;
  - (b) the specification of a date of tapping of a water main;
  - (c) a requirement for the supply and fixing by an owner of a backflow prevention device approved by the licensee.
- (2) The conditions of connection in relation to a work of sewerage may include—
  - (a) a condition that the work be carried out in conformity with a connection plan showing the position of the sewer, the connection point and any surface and invert levels recorded by the relevant licensee;
  - (b) conditions relating to the times for discharge of waste water to a sewer;
  - (c) conditions relating to the pumping of sewage indirectly or directly to a sewer.

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- (3) The conditions of disconnection in relation to work of water supply may include the date of plugging of the water main.
- (4) The conditions of disconnection in relation to a work of sewerage may include a requirement for the sealing of the relevant licensee's connection point.

Regs 303, 304  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 11.

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(Heading)  
substituted by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 10.

**Division 3—Plans for Works of Sewerage**

Regs 305–312  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 11.

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Reg. 313  
substituted by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 12.

**313. Plan of sanitary drains**

The relevant licensee may require the licensed plumber responsible for sanitary drainage work to lodge a plan of the work at a scale of 1:500 with the licensee.

**314. Plans of existing drains**

Any person may apply to the relevant licensee for a copy of a plan of the existing sanitary drains on a property.

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**Division 4—Work of Water Supply**

***Subdivision 1—Water Meters***

**315. Custody of meters**

A licensed plumber to whom a water meter is supplied by the relevant licensee must keep it in safe custody until it is installed at the property for which it is supplied.

Penalty: 2 penalty units.

Reg. 315  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 13.

**316. Testing of meters**

- (1) The owner or occupier of any property may at any time apply in writing to the relevant licensee to test the accuracy of any water meter installed on the property.
- (2) On receipt of the application and any fee or charge imposed by the relevant licensee, the relevant licensee must—
  - (a) cause the meter to be tested in accordance with Australian Standard AS 3565.1–1998 Meters for cold potable water—Volumetric chamber and turbine meters to determine the accuracy of operation of the meter; and
  - (b) notify the applicant in writing of the results of the tests within 5 days after their completion.
- (3) If the meter is found to be registering more than 2% in excess of the actual quantity of water passed through the meter, the relevant licensee must—
  - (a) repair or replace the meter; and
  - (b) make a proportionate reduction in the quantity of water to be charged; and

Reg. 316(2)(a)  
amended by  
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reg. 14.

- (c) refund any fee or charge paid for the testing of the meter.

**317. Estimation of water consumption**

If any meter becomes defective, registers incorrectly or is removed from a property service for any reason, the relevant licensee may estimate the correct registration of water in any of the following ways—

- (a) by comparison with the quantity of water supplied under similar conditions during some other period;
- (b) by comparison with the quantity of water supplied after the meter has been restored to proper order;
- (c) by comparison with the registration of a substitute meter used temporarily in place of the defective meter;
- (d) by applying a correction factor if the meter is found to have a consistent error of registration.

***Subdivision 2—Backflow Prevention Devices***

**318. Backflow prevention device**

- (1) A water service and private fire service on a property must be fitted with a backflow prevention device if required by the relevant licensee.
- (2) If the device is required to be fitted it must be located in an accessible position at or near the property boundary at the outlet of—
  - (a) the meter assembly; or
  - (b) the stop valve, if a meter assembly is not fitted.

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- (3) A notice under section 63(2) of the Act relating to the installation of a backflow prevention device must set out—
- (a) the type of device proposed to be installed; and
  - (b) the classification under the building regulations under the **Building Act 1993** of any building or part of a building on the property; and
  - (c) the purpose for which that building or part of a building is designed or used or to be used; and
  - (d) the nature of any commercial or industrial process carried out on the property to which water may be connected.

Reg. 318(3)  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 15.

**Division 5—Work of Sewerage**

*Subdivision 1—General*

**319. Sewerage**

Unless otherwise approved by the relevant licensee—

- (a) every property to be connected to a sewer of a relevant licensee must be drained separately to that sewer; and
- (b) the sanitary drain connecting any property to a sewer of the relevant licensee must be wholly within the curtilage of the property.

**320. Drain outside property**

A notice under section 63(2) of the Act relating to the installation of a sanitary drain on land outside the curtilage of a property must be accompanied by evidence to the satisfaction of the relevant licensee that the owner of the land or the public



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authority in whom the land is vested consents to  
the installation of the sanitary drain on that land.

Regs 321, 322  
revoked by  
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reg. 11.

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***Subdivision 2—Sewerage Installations***

**323. Protection of the licensee's sewers**

- (1) If the relevant licensee considers that the carrying out of any work of sewerage on any property may have threatened or may threaten the stability of a sewer, the licensee may direct the owner of the property or the person carrying out the work to take any steps reasonably specified by the licensee to safeguard the sewer and the proper functioning of the sewer.
- (2) A person to whom a direction is given under sub-regulation (1) must comply with the direction.

Penalty: 8 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

Regs 324, 325  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 11.

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**326. Connection point to be temporarily sealed**

Reg. 326  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 16(a).

If, at the commencement of laying a sanitary drain, the plugs or discs are removed from the relevant licensee's connection point, the licensed plumber responsible for the work must—

- (a) insert a removable plug in the connection point at the inspection opening outlet; and

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(b) ensure that the removable plug is kept in position until the work is accepted by the relevant licensee.

Reg. 326(b) amended by S.R. No. 151/1998 reg. 16(b).

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**Division 6—Discharges to Sewers**

**329. Trade waste**

Nothing in this Division applies to any trade waste to which Part 4 applies.

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Reg. 330 revoked by S.R. No. 151/1998 reg. 11.

**331. Protection of sewers**

(1) A person must not install or affix or alter any fitting, pipe, trap, conduit, fixture or other thing by which anything prohibited by section 93 of the Act may be discharged directly or indirectly into a drain or sewer of the relevant licensee.

Penalty: 5 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

(2) Any person opening the ground of any property declared in accordance with the Act to be a serviced property for the purposes of the supply of sewerage services must take all measures necessary to prevent anything prohibited by

section 93 of the Act from gaining entry to the relevant licensee's sewers.

Penalty: 5 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

**Division 7—Maintenance of Work of Water Supply and Work of Sewerage**

**332. Work of water supply**

- (1) An owner must take all reasonable steps to keep in repair and in good working order so that it operates in an efficient and hygienic manner—
  - (a) all parts of the water service for the owner's property between the outlet valves at fixtures and appliances and the outlet of the meter assembly or, if there is no water meter installed, to the first stop valve inside the owner's property boundary; and
  - (b) if the nominal diameter of the property service is greater than 50 millimetres, all parts of the property service between the main and the inlet to the meter assembly or, if there is no water meter installed, the inlet of the first stop valve inside the property owner's boundary; and
  - (c) those parts of the water service for the owner's property which are—
    - (i) private fire services; or
    - (ii) private extension or trunk services; or
    - (iii) property service pipes from private extensions.

Penalty: 3 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

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- (2) A licensee must take all reasonable steps to keep in repair and good working order so that it operates in an efficient and hygienic manner—
    - (a) any water meter assembly which is part of a property service, or, if no meter is installed, the first stop valve inside the property owner's boundary;
    - (b) any property service with a nominal diameter up to and including 50 millimetres.
  - (3) A licensee is not responsible for maintaining a backflow prevention device installed at the outlet of the meter.
  - (4) A licensee is only responsible for replacing a galvanised iron property service—
    - (a) in the case where the property is a single residential dwelling to the extent that the costs of replacement exceed \$500; or
    - (b) in the case of all properties, if the property service was leaking.
  - (5) The relevant licensee may by written notice to the owner require the owner of a property—
    - (a) to arrange for the testing of a backflow prevention device which the owner is responsible for maintaining; and
    - (b) to provide the results of the test to the relevant licensee; and
    - (c) to arrange for the repair or replacement of the device if it is not operating efficiently.
  - (6) The relevant licensee may by notice in writing require an owner of a property to replace any property service to the property which the owner is responsible for maintaining if water is supplied to the property at a rate of less than 2 litres a minute.
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- (7) An owner must comply with a requirement under sub-regulation (5) or (6).

Penalty: 3 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

**333. Work of sewerage**

- (1) An owner must take all reasonable steps to keep all sanitary drains and fixtures on or serving the owner's property to the point of connection with the licensee's sewerage works in repair and in good working order so that they operate in an efficient and hygienic manner.

Penalty: 3 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

- (2) An occupier of a property on which a grease interceptor is installed must take all reasonable steps to keep the interceptor in repair and in good working order so that it operates in an efficient and hygienic manner.

Penalty: 3 penalty units.

Default penalty: 1 penalty unit.

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(Heading and  
regs 334–336)  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 11.

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**PART 4—TRADE WASTE**

**401. Trade waste**

- (1) The following waste is prescribed to be trade waste for the purposes of the Act—
- (a) any matter discharged from premises as a result of trade, industrial, commercial, medical, dental, veterinary, agricultural, horticultural or scientific research or experimental activities; or
  - (b) any waste matter consisting solely or partly of food, which results from any process connected with the preparation, on premises other than private residences, of food for consumption; or
  - (c) any matter discharged from any laundry used for—
    - (i) the purposes of a private or public hospital, school or any other institution; or
    - (ii) the purposes of an hotel, motel or similar establishment; or
    - (iii) commercial purposes, or for which a user pays a fee; or
  - (d) any matter discharged—
    - (i) from any cooling, refrigeration or air-conditioning system installed on premises where any activity referred to in paragraph (a) occurs; or
    - (ii) from any ship's ballast; or
    - (iii) as polluted storm-water run-off; or

Reg. 401(1)(a)  
substituted by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 17(a).

Reg. 401(1)  
(d)(i)  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 17(b).

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Reg.  
401(1)(d)(iv)  
amended by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 17(c).

- (iv) as run-off from water used to extinguish a fire or to deal with any other hazard or emergency on premises where any activity referred to in paragraph (a) occurs; or
- (v) as leachate from any private, commercial or municipal tip; or
- (vi) as sewage sludge from a sewage dump point;

Reg. 401(1)(e)  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 17(d).

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- (2) Waste water discharged from private residential premises is not prescribed to be trade waste for the purposes of the Act.

**402. Trade waste agreements**

- (1) An occupier of land may discharge trade waste if—
  - (a) a trade waste agreement (whether made before or after the commencement of these Regulations) exists between a licensee and the occupier; and
  - (b) the trade waste complies with all provisions of the relevant agreement; and
  - (c) the occupier has complied with all provisions of the relevant agreement, including any provision incorporated into an agreement made before 1 January 1995 by reference to By-law No. 208: Trade Waste<sup>1</sup> or By-law No. 332: Trade Waste<sup>2</sup> made by Melbourne Water Corporation.

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- (2) A trade waste agreement made before the commencement of these Regulations will terminate on the expiration of at least—
- (a) 90 days' written notice of termination given by the licensee; or
  - (b) 30 days' written notice of termination given by the occupier—
- unless otherwise provided in the trade waste agreement.
- (3) An occupier must give the licensee at least 30 days' written notice before ceasing to occupy any land to which an agreement referred to in sub-regulation (2) relates.

**403. Failure to comply with conditions**

- (1) Whenever the licensee considers that an occupier has not complied with any condition of a trade waste agreement, it may serve a notice on the occupier setting out—
- (a) the condition which the licensee considers has not been complied with; and
  - (b) why the licensee considers that the condition has not been complied with; and
  - (c) a date by which the occupier must comply with the condition.
- (2) An occupier must comply with any condition mentioned in a notice under sub-regulation (1) by the date specified in that notice, to the satisfaction of the licensee.
- (3) If the licensee considers that the occupier has not complied with any condition in a notice under sub-regulation (1)—
- (a) by the date specified in the notice; or

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(b) at any time during the period of 90 days from that date—

the licensee may serve written notice of termination of the trade waste agreement on the occupier and the agreement automatically terminates at midnight on the day on which the notice of termination is served.

(4) If an agreement terminates automatically under sub-regulation (3)—

(a) the occupier is not discharged from any condition still to be performed by, or on behalf of, the occupier; and

(b) employees of the licensee may continue to exercise any power to enter the land of the occupier conferred by the agreement.

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**PART 5—SUBDIVISIONAL EASEMENTS AND RESERVES**

**501. Rights of a licensee for pipelines or ancillary purposes and channels**

The creation of an easement required under section 61 of the Act for the purpose of pipelines or ancillary purposes or for the purpose of channels gives for the purposes of the easement to the licensee for whose use it is created the following rights over the land burdened by the easement—

- (a) at all times, full and free access to enter upon and pass over the land (with or without plant);
- (b) to take onto and remove plant from the land;
- (c) to clear and excavate the land;
- (d) to construct pipeline works or channel works on, over or under the land;
- (e) to use and operate pipeline works or channel works on the land;
- (f) to inspect, maintain or change pipeline works or channel works on the land (including a change in their size or number);
- (g) to remove any matter from or deposit any matter on the land.

**502. Rights of a licensee for carriageway purposes**

The creation of an easement required under section 61 of the Act for the purpose of carriageways gives for that purpose to the licensee for whose use it is created the following rights over the land burdened by the easement—

- (a) to construct and maintain a road or access track on the land;
- (b) the rights in regulation 501(a), (b), (c) and (g).

**503. Rights of a licensee for the purposes of drainage**

The creation of an easement required under section 61 of the Act for the purpose of drainage gives for that purpose to the licensee for whose use it is created the following rights over the land burdened by the easement—

- (a) to construct drainage works on the land;
- (b) to use and operate drainage works on the land;
- (c) to remove obstacles to the flow of water on the land;
- (d) to inspect, maintain or change drainage works on the land (including a change in their size or number);
- (e) the rights in regulation 501(a), (b), (c) and (g).

**504. Rights of a licensee for the purposes of waterway management**

The creation of an easement required under section 61 of the Act for the purpose of waterway management gives for that purpose to the licensee for whose use it is created the following rights over the land burdened by the easement—

- (a) to protect and enhance any waterway on the land;
- (b) to plant, maintain and remove vegetation on the land;
- (c) to construct, maintain or remove fences or gates to protect vegetation on the land;

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- (d) to construct waterway management works on the land;
  - (e) to use and operate waterway management works on the land;
  - (f) to inspect, maintain or change the waterway management works on the land (including a change in their size or number);
  - (g) to construct and maintain any weir or bank on the land;
  - (h) the rights in regulations 501(a), (b), (c) and (g) and 502(a).

**505. Rights on the creation of a reserve**

The creation of a reserve required by a licensee for a purpose specified in section 61 of the Act gives for that purpose to the licensee all rights attaching to the fee simple of the land constituting the reserve.

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**PART 6—NOTICE OF DISPOSITION OF LAND**

**601. Notice of disposition**

For the purposes of section 176A of the Act—

- (a) a prescribed person required to give notice in relation to the disposition of any land is a person who disposes of any land in respect of which a service charge or usage charge has been imposed under the Act by a licensee;
  - (b) the prescribed form of Notice of Disposition of land is the form in the Schedule to the Water (Notice of Disposition of Land) Regulations 1990<sup>3</sup> and must contain all the particulars necessary to complete the form prescribed in that Schedule;
  - (c) the chief executive officer of the licensee which has imposed the service charge under the Act is the prescribed person for the receipt of the form;
  - (d) 14 days after disposal of the land is the prescribed period within which notice must be given.
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**PART 7—PROCEEDINGS**

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regs 701, 702)  
substituted as  
Pt 7 (Heading  
and reg. 701)  
by S.R. No.  
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reg. 19.

**701. Prescribed person for the purposes of taking  
proceedings**

Reg. 701  
substituted by  
S.R. No.  
151/1998  
reg. 19.

For the purposes of section 179(1)(b) of the Act, a  
prescribed person is a person appointed by the  
Environment Protection Authority to take  
proceedings for an offence against a provision of  
the Act or regulations.

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Reg. 702  
revoked by  
S.R. No.  
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reg. 19.

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**ENDNOTES**

**1. General Information**

The Water Industry Regulations 1995, S.R. No. 186/1995 were made on 19 December 1995 by the Governor in Council under sections 26, 50, 51, 52, 53, 61, 176A, 183, 184 and 185(2) of the **Water Industry Act 1994**, No. 121/1994 and came into operation on 1 January 1996: regulation 103.

The Water Industry Regulations 1995 will sunset 10 years after the day of making on 19 December 2005 (see section 5 of the **Subordinate Legislation Act 1994**).



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**2. Table of Amendments**

This Version incorporates amendments made to the Water Industry Regulations 1995 by statutory rules, subordinate instruments and Acts.

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*Date of Commencement:* 1.12.98: reg. 3

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**3. Explanatory Details**

<sup>1</sup> Reg. 402(1)(c): S.R. No. 348/1984.

<sup>2</sup> Reg. 402(1)(c): S.R. No. 141/1994.

<sup>3</sup> Reg. 601(b): S.R. No. 204/1990.

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**Table of Applied, Adopted or Incorporated Matter Required by  
Subordinate Legislation Regulations 1994**

The following table of applied, adopted or incorporated matter was included in S.R. No. 151/1998 in accordance with the requirements of regulation 6 of the Subordinate Legislation Regulations 1994.

<b>Statutory Rule Provision</b>	<b>Title of applied, adopted or incorporated document</b>	<b>Matter in applied, adopted or incorporated document</b>
Regulation 14	AS 3565.1-1998 Meters for cold potable water— Volumetric chamber and turbine meters	The whole.