

SOUTH WEST WATER AUTHORITY
DROUGHT ACT 1976
WATER SHORTAGE

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR AN EMERGENCY ORDER RELATING TO A REDUCTION IN COMPENSATION RELEASE FROM FERNWORTHY RESERVOIR INTO THE RIVER TEIGN

Whereas in view of an exceptional shortage of rain, a serious deficiency of supplies is threatened in the area of the South West Water Authority (hereinafter called "the Authority") which is served from the Fernworthy Reservoir, in the Parishes of Chagford and Lydford in the West Devon District.

Notice is hereby given that in order to maintain an adequate supply of water the Authority is applying to the Secretary of State for the Environment for an Order pursuant to Section 1 (iii) (e) of the Drought Act 1976, to enable it for a period not exceeding 6 months to reduce the flow of compensation water from Fernworthy Reservoir into the River Teign from 5.68 thousand cubic metres (1.25 million gallons) (as authorised by the Torquay Corporation Act 1934 and licence to abstract No. 14/46/03/0614/09/70) to 3.41 thousand cubic metres (0.75 million gallons) in any period of 24 hours.

A copy of the statement and plan illustrating the Authority's proposals may be inspected by any person, free of charge, at all reasonable office hours at the office of the Teignbridge District Council, Kingsteignton Road, Newton Abbot, for a period of 7 days from the date of publication of this Notice.

Objections to the application may be made to the Secretary of State for the Environment, 2 Marsham Street, London SW1P 3EB (with a copy to the undersigned please) within 7 days of the publication of this Notice.—Dated 6th November 1978.

Where it appears to the Secretary of State that the Order is required to be made urgently if it is to enable the Authority effectively to meet the deficiency of supplies of water referred to above, he may direct the holding of a Public Local Inquiry or a hearing by a person appointed by him shall be dispensed with.

H. R. Slocombe, Managing Director

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WATER RESOURCES ACT

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Notice of Application for Licence to Abstract Water

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Thames Water Authority by T. P. Steel & Sons, Mayfield Farm, Staines Road, Bedfont, Middx. for a licence to abstract the following quantities of water from underground strata (2 concrete tubes) at the following points of abstraction:

- 2.5 million gallons per year at 075735
- 2.5 million gallons per year at 077734

A copy of the application and of any map, plan or other document submitted may be inspected free of charge at the Cattle Market, High Street, Southall, Middx. at all reasonable hours during the period beginning on 3rd November 1978 and ending on 3rd December 1978.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Divisional Manager, Thames Conservancy Division, Thames Water Authority, Nugent House, Vastern Road, Reading RG1 8DB before the end of the said period.

Richard J. Steel,

(2) on behalf of Messrs. T. P. Steel & Sons

WATER RESOURCES ACT 1963

Notice of Application for Licence to Abstract Water

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Great Ouse River Authority by Narford Farm, King's

Lynn, for a licence to abstract 15,000 gallons per hour, 300,000 gallons per day and 27,000,000 gallons per year from Narford Lake O.S.171.

A copy of the application and of any map, plan or other documents submitted with it may be inspected free of charge at Hall Farm, Narford, King's Lynn, at all reasonable hours during the period beginning on Monday 6th November 1978 and ending on Wednesday 6th December 1978.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Clerk of the Great Ouse River Authority at Great Ouse House, Clarendon Road, Cambridge, before the end of the said period.—Dated 6th November 1978.

S. H. Agnew,

(3) on behalf of Narford Farm

WATER RESOURCES ACT 1963

Notice of Application to Vary a Licence to Abstract Water

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Severn-Trent Water Authority by R. P. Yates, Hinnington Grange, Shifnal, Salop, to vary licence serial No. 18/54/5/117 to abstract water from the Underground Strata at Lower Upton Farm in the Parish of Shifnal at SJ763063.

The variation applied for is: to extend the life of the licence for a period of five years from its present expiry date of 30th September 1978.

A copy of the application and of any map, plan or other document submitted with it may be inspected free of charge at Hinnington Grange, Shifnal, Salop at all reasonable hours during the period beginning on 6th November 1978 and ending on 4th December 1978.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Director of Scientific Services, Severn-Trent Water Authority, at Ariel House, 2138 Coventry Road, Sheldon, Birmingham B26 3YT before the end of the said period.—Dated 30th October 1978.

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Robert P. Yates

PUBLIC HEALTH ACTS AND CLEAN AIR ACT

SUNDERLAND BOROUGH COUNCIL

THE CLEAN AIR ACT 1956

The Sunderland (No. 18) Smoke Control Order 1978

1. Notice is hereby given that the Sunderland Borough Council in exercise of the powers conferred on them by Section 11 of the above-mentioned Act on the Twenty-Seventh day of September 1978 made an Order entitled "The Sunderland (No. 18) Smoke Control Order, 1978" declaring the area described in the Schedule hereto to be a Smoke Control Area, which Order is about to be submitted to the Secretary of State for the Environment for confirmation.
2. Subject to the limitations and exemptions provided by the Order and by virtue of Section 11 (4) of the Act if, on any day after the Order has come into operation, smoke is emitted from a chimney of any building within the Smoke Control Area the occupier of that building shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding one hundred pounds unless he proves that the emission of smoke was not caused by the use of any fuel other than an authorised fuel. The authorised fuels include anthracite, coke and other carbonised fuels, gas and electricity.
3. If confirmed the Order will not come into operation before the First day of August 1979, or before a later date determined by the Secretary of State for the Environment.
4. Copies of the Order and of the Map referred to therein may be inspected free of charge at Room 3.2, Borough Solicitor's Department, Town Hall and Civic Centre,