

# Public Notices

## WATER RESOURCES ACT

### NATIONAL RIVERS AUTHORITY—ANGLIAN REGION

#### Notice of application for a licence to abstract water

Take notice that R. J. Roberson & Partners, of Wood Street Farm, Catfield, Norwich, Norfolk, is applying to the National Rivers Authority for a licence to abstract water from the sands and gravels at National Grid Reference TG 373 225, at Sutton, in the district of North Norfolk, in the county of Norfolk. The proposal is to abstract water at the following rates: 36 cubic metres per hour, 710 cubic metres per day, 23,000 cubic metres, between 1st April and 30th September each year. The water will be used for spray irrigation. This application is in effect for the renewal of licence No. 7/34/9/G/105 which expires on 30th September 1994, with no increase in the abstraction rates but with an increase in the area of land being irrigated.

A copy of the application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it may be inspected, free of charge, at all reasonable hours at Raingear Irrigation Ltd., Bengate, Worstead, North Walsham, between 8th September 1994 and 8th October 1994.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the National Rivers Authority, Anglian Region, Cobham Road, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 9JE, before the end of the said period.

*P. Millington* (Raingear Irrigation Ltd.), on behalf of R. J. Roberson & Partners.

30th August 1994.

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### NATIONAL RIVERS AUTHORITY—ANGLIAN REGION

#### Notice of application to vary a licence to abstract water

Take notice that Hirst Farms Limited, of Manor Farm, Ormesby, Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, is applying to the National Rivers Authority to vary licence serial number 7/34/10/G/99 to abstract water from the sands and gravels at National Grid References TG 4089 0575 and TG 4080 0550, at Freethorpe, in the district of Broadland, in the county of Norfolk. The variation being applied for is to increase the area of land being irrigated. There will be no increase in the quantities of water being abstracted.

Any person wishing to see a copy of the application and any map, plans and other documents submitted with it should contact Raingear Irrigation Ltd., Bengate, Worstead, North Walsham, Norfolk, tel. 0692 403398, at all reasonable hours between 8th September 1994 and 8th October 1994, and a copy will be forwarded, free of charge.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the National Rivers Authority, Anglian Region, Cobham Road, Ipswich, Suffolk IP3 9JE, before the end of the said period.

*P. Millington* (Raingear Irrigation Ltd.), on behalf of Hirst Farms Limited.

30th August 1994.

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### NATIONAL RIVERS AUTHORITY—YORKSHIRE REGION

#### Application for Drought Order Hebden Valley and Withens Clough Reservoirs

Notice is hereby given that Yorkshire Water Services Limited is applying to the Secretary of State for the Environment for an Order (to remain in force for six months) under section 73 of the Water Resources Act 1991, authorising temporary alterations in the normal statutory prescribed flow or compensation water discharge from the Company's Hebden Valley and Withens Clough reservoirs, namely Walshaw Dean Upper, Walshaw Dean Middle, Walshaw Dean Lower, Widdop, Gorples Upper, Gorples Lower and Withens Clough reservoirs, whereby whenever the aggregate amount of water contained in the Company's reservoirs in the Calder area are at the stock levels specified in Column 1 the prescribed flow in Hebden Water specified in Column 2 shall be altered to the quantities set out in Column 3 and the minimum discharge from Withens Clough reservoir to Elphin Brook as specified in Column 4 shall be altered to the quantities set out in Column 5. The reservoirs in the Calder area

are Ogden, Mixenden, Warley Moor, Deanhead Upper, Deanhead Lower, Walshaw Dean Upper, Walshaw Dean Middle, Walshaw Dean Lower, Gorples Upper, Gorples Lower and Widdop.

Column 1 Total water stocks, thousand cubic metres (tcm)	Column 2 Prescribed flow in Hebden Water tcm per day (tcmd)	Column 3 Proposed remaining flow in Hebden Water tcmd	Column 4 Statutory discharge from Withens Clough tcmd	Column 5 Proposed minimum discharge from Withens Clough tcmd
8,353 or above	20.45	20.45	2.64	2.64
less than 8,353 but 5,569 or above	20.45	15	2.64	7.64
less than 5,569 but 2,784 or above	20.45	10	2.64	7.64
less than 2,784	20.45	5	2.64	7.64

Within seven days from the date of service or publication of this notice, copies of the application may be inspected during all reasonable hours at the offices of Yorkshire Water Services Limited, at 2 The Embankment, Sovereign Street, Leeds LS1 4BG (Telephone 0532 343234) and Express House, Station Road, Bradley, Huddersfield HD2 1UT (Telephone 0484 429696) and objections to the application may be made to the Secretary of State for the Environment, at Room B.449, Romney House, 43 Marsham Street, London SW1P 3PY.

Should it appear to the Secretary of State that the Order is required to be made urgently if it is to enable the Company effectively to meet the deficiency of supplies in its area, he may direct that the holding of a public local enquiry or a hearing by a person appointed by him should be dispensed with.

*I. Murdoch*, Director of Operations, Yorkshire Water Services Ltd., 2 The Embankment, Sovereign Street, Leeds LS1 4BG.

6th September 1994.

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## COAST PROTECTION ACT 1949

### EAST DEVON DISTRICT COUNCIL

The East Devon District Council, acting in their capacity as Coast Protection Authority, hereby give notice under subsection (i) of section 5 of the above Act that they propose to carry out coast protection work as described herein at Connaught Gardens, Sidmouth, Devon.

The work will consist of the construction of a rock revetment in front of the existing Connaught Gardens sea wall and promenade. Existing accesses to the beach will be maintained, the scheme also includes a short length of concrete works to the toe of the wall at the western end.

The estimated cost of the work will be £250,000.

Any person may, not later than 10th October 1994, serve a written notice of objection to the above proposal on the Minister of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food and on the above-mentioned authority. Any such notice must contain a statement of the grounds of objection and must be sent by pre-paid post to Flood Defence Division, Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food, Eastbury House, 30-34 Albert Embankment, London SE1 7LT, and to the Clerk of the authority at the address shown below.

*F. J. Vallender*, Chief Executive

Council Offices, Knowle,  
Sidmouth, Devon EX10 8HL.

7th September 1994.

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