



Available Water Determination Order for the Lower Namoi Regulated River Water Source 2023

under the

Water Management Act 2000

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

Dated this 12th day of January 2023.

Brian Graham
Manager Water Allocations
Department of Planning 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 of access licences in the water source identified in Schedule 1.

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1 Name of Order

This Order is the *Available Water Determination Order for the Lower Namoi Regulated River Water Source 2023*.

2 Commencement

This Order commences on the 12th day of January 2023.

3 Available water determination

This Order determines the availability of water in relation to the water sources specified in Schedule 1, for the categories and subcategories of access licence specified in Schedule 2, on the terms specified in Schedule 2.

Schedule 1 Water Sources

This Order applies to the Lower Namoi Regulated River Water Source as identified in clause 4 of the *Water Sharing Plan for the Upper Namoi and Lower Namoi Regulated River Water Sources 2016*.

Schedule 2 Access licences and terms

Each amount specified in Column 2 applies to the adjacent category/subcategory of access licence specified in Column 1.

COLUMN 1 Category/subcategory of access licence	COLUMN 2 Volume per unit of access licence share component
Regulated river (general security) access licences	0.16 megalitre

Note:

- (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*.
- (2) This available water determination is in addition to any water allocation credited in accordance with any available water determination made in relation to the water source specified in Schedule 1, for a category or subcategory of access licence specified in Schedule 2, during this water year commencing 1 July 2022.