



**Environment
Agency**

Drought Permit – modify existing abstraction

- Section 79A Water Resources Act 1991 as amended by the Environment Act 1995

The Environment Agency grants this drought permit to:

Severn Trent Water Limited (“the Water Company”)

Severn Trent Centre
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Company registration number 02366686

This drought permit authorises the Water Company to abstract water pursuant to licence serial numbers 03/28/36/0147, 03/28/36/0148 and 03/28/35/0005 but with the provisions of those licences modified as set out in the Schedule to this drought permit. This drought permit commences from the effective date shown below and shall remain in force until the date of expiry shown below.

All other provisions of licence serial numbers 03/28/36/0147, 03/28/36/0148 and 03/28/35/0005 remain in full force and effect.

Signed

Steve Lawrie
Acting Area Manager

Date of issue..... 19 December 2022

Date effective01 January 2023

Date of expiry.....30 June 2023

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SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS

1. **MODIFICATION OF LICENCE NUMBERS: 03/28/36/0147, 03/28/36/0148 and 03/28/35/0005**

1.1 The following condition is added to licence serial number 03/28/36/0147:

The aggregate quantity of water authorised to be abstracted under this licence and under licence serial number 03/28/36/0148 (Foremark) and for the purpose of public water supply under Licence serial number 03/28/35/0005 (Egginton) shall not exceed 76,700,000 cubic metres per year.

1.2 Condition (1) of licence serial number 03/28/36/0148 headed OTHER CONDITIONS SUBJECT TO WHICH ABSTRACTION IS AUTHORISED is replaced in its entirety by the following:

The aggregate quantity of water authorised to be abstracted under this licence and under licence serial number 03/28/36/0147 (Staunton Harold) and for the purpose of public water supply under licence serial number 03/28/35/0005 (Egginton) shall not exceed 76,700,000 cubic metres per year.

1.3 Condition 6.2 of Schedule A of licence serial number 03/28/35/0005 headed MAXIMUM QUANTITY OF WATER TO BE ABSTRACTED is replaced in its entirety by the following:

The aggregate quantity of water authorised to be abstracted under this licence for the purpose in condition 4.2 and under licence serial numbers 03/28/36/0147 (Staunton Harold) and 03/28/36/0148 (Foremark) shall not exceed 76,700,000 cubic metres per year.

Note: A year means the 12 month period beginning on 1 April 2022 and ending on 31 March 2023.

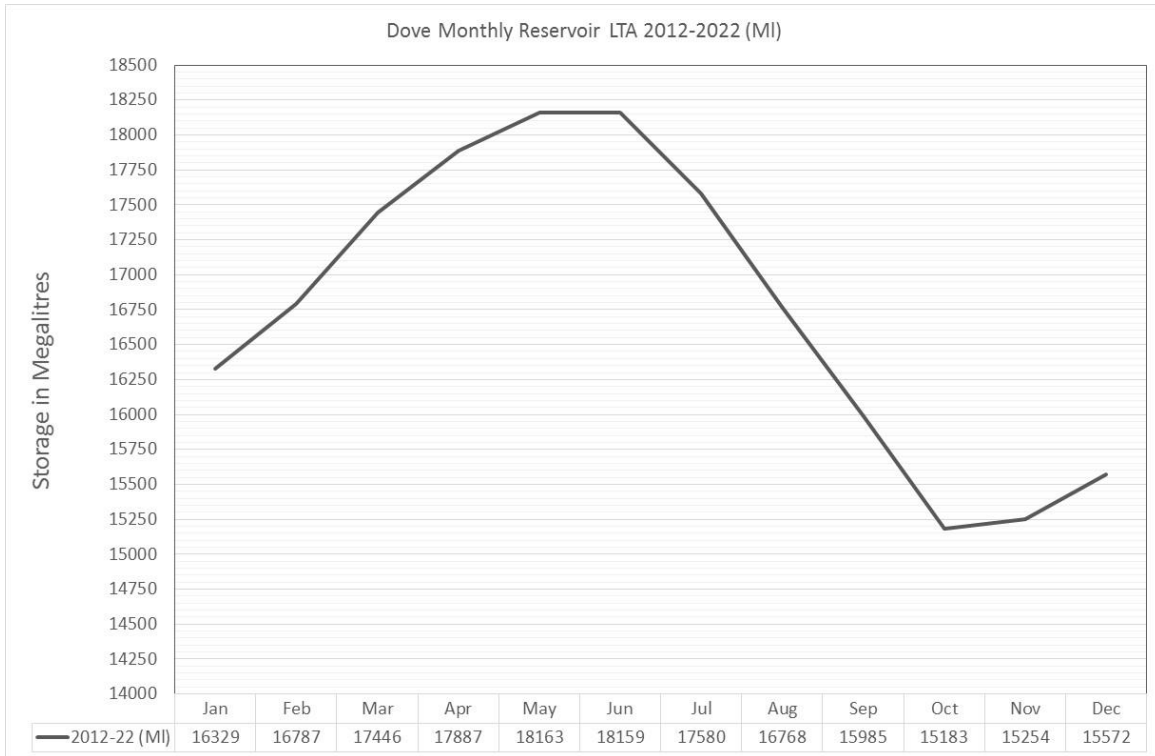
1.4 Condition 1.5 of this drought permit shall cease to have effect on the first occasion after 31 March 2023 when the combined volume of water stored in the reservoirs at Staunton Harold at National Grid Reference SK 381 243 and Foremark at National Grid Reference SK 329 244 is above that specified for that day by the curve on the drawing marked 'Dove Monthly Reservoir LTA 2012-2022 (MI)' attached to this licence.

1.5 Conditions 9.3, 9.3.1 and 9.4 of licence serial number 03/28/35/0005 headed **Prescribed flow conditions** are replaced in their entirety by the following:

1.5.1 The maximum quantity of water to be abstracted at any time expressed in Megalitres per day shall not exceed the amount by which the combined flows of the River Dove and the Rolleston Brook as measured by the gauges maintained by the Agency at National Grid References SK 238 288 (Marston on Dove) and SK 243 283 (Rolleston) exceeds the prescribed flow defined in condition 1.5.2 below.

1.5.2 The prescribed flow rate referred to above shall be 159 Megalitres per day measured as the combined flow by the two gauges referred to above.

Note: A day means any period of 24 consecutive hours.



ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Note: the following information is provided for information only. It does not form part of the Drought Permit.

REASONS FOR MODIFICATIONS

Modifications to abstraction licences 03/28/36/0147, 03/28/36/0148 and 03/28/35/0005, have been made in response to a threat of a serious deficiency in supply following an exceptional shortage of rain across the supply zone.