SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No. 508

The Scottish Water (Allt Beithe) Water Order 2005

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Scottish Water (Allt Beithe) Water Order 2005 and shall come into force on 14th October 2005.

Interpretation

- 2. In this Order-
 - "the Act" means the Water (Scotland) Act 1980;
 - "approved" means approved by the Scottish Ministers;
 - "day" means a period of 24 hours reckoned from midnight;
 - "deposited plan" means the plan, prepared in triplicate, docqueted and signed as relative to this Order and marked "The Scottish Water (Allt Beithe) Water Order 2005", one copy of which is deposited in the office of the Scottish Executive, Victoria Quay, Edinburgh; one in the head office of Scottish Water at Castle House, 6 Castle Drive, Carnegie Campus, Dunfermline, Fife and one in Scottish Water Inverness Area Office, 31 Henderson Drive, Longman North, Inverness, IV1 1TK;
 - "gauge" includes a gauge, weir or other apparatus for measuring the flow of water;
 - "intake" includes any work by which water is taken by Scottish Water for the purpose of the undertaking;
 - "Scottish Water" means the body corporate established by section 20(1) of the Water Industry (Scotland) Act 2002(1);
 - "undertaking" means the water undertaking for the time being of Scottish Water;
 - "works" means the works described in Schedule 1 to this Order and shown on the deposited plan.

Incorporation and application of provisions of Schedule 4 to the Act

3. The provisions of paragraph 2 and 10(3) of Schedule 4 to the Act(2), modified and adapted to read as set out in Schedule 2 to this Order shall apply to the undertaking insofar as affected by the provisions of this Order, and the terms used in the provisions of that paragraph, as so modified and adapted, which are defined in this Order, shall have the same meaning as in this Order.

^{(1) 2002} asp 3. The 2002 Act was amended by the Water Services etc (Scotland) Act 2005 (asp 3), but those amendments are not relevant for the purposes of this Order.

⁽²⁾ Paragraph 2 of Schedule 4 was amended by the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 (c. 54), Schedule 9, paragraph 81(15)(a); paragraph 10(3) was amended by the Criminal Justice Act 1982 (c. 48), Schedule 15, paragraph 27 and by the Criminal Procedure (Consequential Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1995 (c. 40), Schedule 2.

Water rights

- **4.** Subject to the provisions of this Order, Scottish Water may for the purposes of the undertaking and by means of an intake (Work No. 2), take water from the Allt Beithe in the area of the Highland Council.
- **5.**—(1) During the construction of the works Scottish Water may take from the Allt Beithe such water as it may require for such construction.
- (2) After completion of the works, and when the flow in the Allt Beithe is equal to or greater than 1810 cubic metres per day, Scottish Water may, in any day, take from the Allt Beithe, a quantity of water not greater than 444 cubic metres, all as measured and recorded by an approved gauge (Work No. 5).
- (3) After completion of the works, and when the flow in the Allt Beithe is less than 1810 cubic metres per day, Scottish Water shall not, in any day, take water from the Allt Beithe, such as to cause less than 1366 cubic metres of water to be discharged into the Allt Beithe, all as regulated by a vnotch weir (Work No. 1) and as measured by a staging post (Work No. 3).
- **6.** If the power to take water conferred by this Order has not been exercised by 31 January 2007 the said power shall cease.

Revocation

7. The Argyll County Council (Allt Beithe, Acharacle) Water Order 1959(**3**) is revoked with effect from 31st January 2007.

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