

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 7

PROCEDURE RELATING TO STATEMENTS OF MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE FLOWS, AND TO CERTAIN ORDERS AND SCHEMES

PART III

Procedure for purposes of section 21

- 14 The provisions of Part I of this Schedule, except paragraph 1 thereof, shall have effect with respect to any draft statement submitted to the Minister under section 21(1) of this Act, subject to the following modifications:—
- (a) except in paragraph 4(g) and paragraph 9 of this Schedule, any reference to the river authority, unless the reference is to the river authority area, shall be construed as a reference to the Water Resources Board ;
 - (b) in paragraph 9 of this Schedule, the first reference to the river authority shall be construed as a reference to the Water Resources Board and the second such reference shall be construed as a reference to the river authority and the Board;
 - (c) the river authority shall be included among the bodies on whom, under paragraph 4 of this Schedule, a copy of the notice is required to be served.
- 15 (1) This paragraph applies to any proposals of the Minister for amending a statement in accordance with section 21 (3) of this Act.
- (2) The Minister shall give notice of the proposals to the river authority ; and the river authority shall publish such a notice as the Minister may require—
- (a) stating the general effect of the proposals ;
 - (b) specifying a place in the river authority area where a copy of the proposals and of any relevant map or plan may be inspected by any person free of charge at all reasonable times during the period of twenty-eight days beginning with the date of first publication of the notice; and
 - (c) stating that any person may within that period, by notice in writing to the Minister, object to the amendment, in accordance with the proposals, of the statement of minimum acceptable flows to which the proposals relate.
- (3) Paragraphs 3 to 6 of this Schedule shall have effect in relation to any proposals to which this paragraph applies as they have effect in relation to a draft statement within the meaning of Part I of this Schedule, subject to the modification that in paragraph 5, for the words " draft statement has been submitted to", there shall be substituted the words " proposals have been prepared by ".
- (4) Paragraphs 11 to 13 of this Schedule shall have effect with respect to any proposals to which this paragraph applies, subject to the modification that any reference to

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the proposals as submitted to the Minister shall be construed as a reference to the proposals as prepared by the Minister.

- (5) In any provision of Part I or Part II of this Schedule as applied by this paragraph, any reference to paragraph 2 of this Schedule shall be construed as a reference to sub-paragraph (2) of this paragraph.