



New South Wales

Water Management (General) Amendment (Specific Purpose Access Licences) Regulation 2023

under the

Water Management Act 2000

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Water Management Act 2000*.

KEVIN ANDERSON, MP
Minister for Lands and Water

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to amend the *Water Management (General) Regulation 2018* to extend the purposes for which an application for an aquifer access licence of subcategory “Temporary dewatering for construction” may be made to include the extraction of water from the Metropolitan Coastal Sands groundwater source to facilitate excavation required for the construction of a building, road or infrastructure to establish a mixed-use development for the purposes of a health services facility, and associated commercial purposes, at Manly.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Water Management (General) Amendment (Specific Purpose Access Licences) Regulation 2023*.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on the day on which it is published on the NSW legislation website.

3 Amendment of Water Management (General) Regulation 2018

(1) Clause 10 Applications for specific purpose access licences

Omit clause 10(1)(r). Insert instead—

- (r) an aquifer access licence of subcategory “Temporary dewatering for construction”, for the purpose of extracting water from—
 - (i) the Tweed-Brunswick Coastal Sands groundwater source to facilitate the construction of a seawater intake pipeline for an aquaculture facility at Cudgen, or
 - (ii) the Metropolitan Coastal Sands groundwater source to facilitate excavation required for the construction of a building, road or infrastructure to establish a mixed-use development for the purposes of a health services facility, and associated commercial purposes, at Manly,

(2) Clause 10(2)

Insert in alphabetical order—

health services facility has the same meaning as in the standard instrument prescribed by the *Standard Instrument (Local Environmental Plans) Order 2006*.