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Vary

Form 9

Vary a Water Share

A Water share details

Water share number to be varied

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B Vary allocation account

Leave blank if you do not wish to vary the allocation account.

Provide the allocation account if you wish to vary.

A B A

or ☐ Please create a new allocation account for the water share in the owner's name(s).

C Create a direct link to a water-use licence/registration

List all additional water-use licences/registrations you would like to link directly to the water share.

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and/or ☐ I have applied for a new water-use licence/registration. Provide the application number:

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D Remove a direct link to a water-use licence/registration

List all water-use licences/registrations for which you would like to remove the direct link to the water share.

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E Variation of the water corporation attribute on a water share

Water corporation to be changed to: **GMW** ☐ **LMW** ☐

F All owners of the water share

All owners of the water share must sign this form

Phone

Email

I/we apply for the approvals necessary for applications detailed in this form.

F1 Individual

1 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

2 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

3 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

4 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

F2 Company

You must attach an ASIC company extract or an incorporated association extract less than 12 months old to this application.

1 Company name

I/we are authorised to sign for this company

1 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

2 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

2 Company name

I/we are authorised to sign for this company

1 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

2 Given name | Surname | **Signature**

G Agents or solicitors lodging this application

Company name

Your reference

Given name

Surname

Phone

Email

Postal address

Postcode

Explanatory notes

This application is to vary a water share. This allows the water share owner to:

- Change the allocation account (ABA) linked to their water share;
- Change the water-use licence(s) and registration(s) directly linked to their water share; and
- Remove the direct link between their water share and water-use licence(s) and registration(s).

Changing the allocation account (ABA)
The proposed ABA must have the same source trading zone as the water share, and the same water corporation reference as the water share.
If you are linking an ABA that you are not the holder of, you are giving the future allocations from your water share to the person named on the ABA. This is known as a standing assignment (previously known as a standing direction). A standing assignment can be revoked by changing the ABA linked to the water share.

Using water on land
Allocation derived from the water share can be used on the land (water-use licence or registration) that is linked to the ABA without directly linking the water share to the water-use licence or registration. You can link your water-use licence or registration to an ABA using Form 40, and in some circumstances a Form 24.

Direct link to the water-use licence and registration.
This form can be used to directly link a water share to a water-use licence or registration. Please note a water share does not need to be linked directly to a water-use licence or registration.

Tagged accounts
Tagged accounts means a water share is linked to an allocation account (ABA) where the use trading zone is different to its source trading zone. In all instances the ABA's and the water share's source trading zone must be the same.

You need to be aware that the ability to use the allocation from the water share may be restricted by trading rules. Contact your water corporation for more information.

Place of take approvals
Note: Notional rationing rate under section 3(1) of the *Water Act 1989* is referred to as an 'extraction share' in this form.
As part of this application, ABA holder(s) may be applying for an approval to take water at each service point (pump or outlet) linked to the water-use licence or registration nominated in Section C if they do not already hold such an approval. This *general place of take approval* (GPT) authorises the ABA holder(s) to take water from the identified approved place (at the service point), subject to any terms and conditions on the GPT.
If you are a river diverter, your GPT will also include your extraction share (ML/Day):

- The extraction share is the basis on which restrictions will be imposed when river restrictions are required, meaning that if restrictions are in effect for a river reach, the proportion of a holder's extraction share they are authorised to take during that period will be announced.
- During periods of normal river flow, the extraction share does not constrain the holder's right to take water.
- It's an offence to fail to comply with an announced river restriction.
- In uncapped areas, you may apply for extraction share to be issued on your GPT via this form (or alternatively via a Form 14 (Vary Extraction Share)) in line with your annual use limit and subject to Ministerial Rules.
- In capped areas, no new extraction share will be issued. This means that to obtain extraction share you will need to source and apply for a transfer of extraction share (Form 16), subject to assessment in line with Ministerial Rules.

If you are a district user, your GPT will not include an extraction share as your delivery share is used to manage restrictions if needed.
More information is available at: https://www.waterregister.vic.gov.au/water-entitlements/about-entitlements/place-of-take-approvals

If the water share owner is a company or incorporated association
Companies must attach an ASIC company extract that is less than 12 months old. Two directors or one director and secretary are required to sign. Incorporated associations must attach an incorporated association extract that is less than 12 months old. The listed secretary is required to sign.

What is happening under the *Water Act 1989*
This form is an application, where applicable, for the Minister's approval to:

- give a standing assignment (under section 33TA);
- revoke a standing assignment (under section 33TB);
- obtain a general place of take approval (under section 64FC); and
- obtain a particular place of take approval (under section 64FZJ).

Explanatory notes

Water share copy of record
A copy of the Water Share record (copy of record) can be purchased from www.waterregister.vic.gov.au. The copy of record provides full details of the water share including its ownership, volume, water system, trading zones, reliability, water corporation reference and encumbrances that may be recorded against it like mortgages and limited term transfers.

More information

If you require more information, or wish to know the progress of this application please contact your **water corporation**:

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Mildura 3502

1800 808 830

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Southern Rural Water

88 Johnson Street
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Maffra 3860

1300 139 510

srw@srw.com.au

Privacy and access to information
The Department of Energy, Environment, and Climate Action (DEECA), Goulburn-Murray Water, Lower Murray Water and Southern Rural Water (water corporation) are committed to protecting personal information provided by you in accordance with the privacy principles in the Privacy and Data Protection Act 2014 (Vic). The information you provide will be used by the water corporation to process your application and to manage your entitlements in the Victorian Water Register (VWR). Your information will be collected by your water corporation and submitted to the VWR which is managed jointly by DEECA and the water corporations. Failure to provide details as requested may mean that your application cannot be processed. All information may be made available to other authorised government departments, agencies, and contractors for use in the ongoing administration of any entitlements, and your contact details may be used to survey you about your experience with the VWR. This information is being collected in accordance with the *Water Act 1989*. You may access your information you have provided to the VWR by contacting us at waterregister.support@delwp.vic.gov.au or call 136 186.