Water Act 1989

ORDER DECLARING WATER SYSTEMS IN SOUTHERN VICTORIA 2008

ORDER IN COUNCIL

The Administrator of the State of Victoria as the Governor's deputy, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 6A of the Water Act 1989 makes the following Order:

1. Citation

This Order is called the Order Declaring Water Systems in Southern Victoria 2008.

2. Authorising provisions

This Order is made under section 6A of the Act.

3. Commencement

This Order is effective from the date it is published in the Government Gazette.

4. Definitions

In this Order:

“Act” means the Water Act 1989;

“specified day” means the day specified for a water system on which it becomes a declared water system in accordance with section 6A of the Act;

“declared water system” means a water system declared to be a declared water system in accordance with section 6A of the Act.

5. Declaration of Water Systems

On 1 July 2008 being the specified day the following water systems become declared water systems:

Thomson/Macalister water system

a) Lake Glenmaggie and the Macalister River downstream of Lake Glenmaggie to the confluence of the Thomson River (including the pool formed by, and immediately upstream of, Maffra Weir); and
b) Thomson Reservoir and the Thomson River downstream of Thomson Reservoir to the confluence of the Latrobe River (including the pool formed by, and immediately upstream of Cowwarr Weir); and
c) Rainbow Creek; and
d) Cowwarr Channel; and
e) Macalister irrigation district.

Werribee water system

a) Pykes Creek Reservoir and Pykes Creek downstream of Pykes Creek Reservoir to the confluence of the Werribee River; and
b) the Werribee River downstream of the confluence of Pykes Creek to the bluestone ford below Malthy Bypass (including weir pools and Melton Reservoir); and
c) Lake Merrimu; and
d) Bacchus Marsh irrigation district; and
e) Werribee irrigation district.

Dated:

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Responsible Minister:
Tim Holding
Minister for Water

Clerk of the Executive Council