

**ENERGY AND WATER ACT 1988****DETERMINATION OF CHARGES****DETERMINATION**

ACTEW Corporation Ltd ACN 069 381 960 (ACTEW), under Section 48 of the *Energy and Water Act 1988*, makes the following determination fixing the charge that is to be payable to ACTEW Corporation for or in connection with the supply of water and sewerage services. The charges determined hereunder come into effect on and from 1 July 1999.

**SEWERAGE****1. GENERAL**

- 1.1 The instrument determines the monetary rates of charges that are payable to ACTEW for or in connection with the supply of sewerage services in accordance with the *Sewerage Rates Act 1968*.

**2. SCHEDULE OF CHARGES**

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| 2.1 | For the supply of sewerage services to a Class 1 parcel of chargeable land   | <b>\$310.50</b> |
| 2.2 | For the supply of sewerage services to each residential unit contained in a building or buildings erected on a Class 2 parcel of chargeable land   | <b>\$310.50</b> |
| 2.3 | For the supply of sewerage services to each residential unit contained in a building erected on a Class 3 parcel of chargeable land which is, on the first day of a rating year, held under a weekly or fortnightly tenancy from the Territory | <b>\$310.50</b> |

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| 2.4 | For the supply of sewerage services to a Class 4 parcel of chargeable land described by sub-section 6(1)(d)(i), (ii) and (v) of the <i>Sewerage Rates Act 1968</i> | <b>\$310.50</b> |
|     | together with  | <b>\$134.55</b> |
|     | for each flushing cistern or flush valve situated on the parcel of chargeable land in excess of two flushing cisterns or flush valves.                             |                 |
| 2.5 | For the supply of sewerage services to a Class 4 parcel of chargeable land described by sub-section 6(1)(d)(iii) and (iv) of the <i>Sewerage Rates Act 1968</i>    | <b>\$310.50</b> |
|     | together with  | <b>\$269.10</b> |
|     | for each flushing cistern or flush valve situated on the parcel of chargeable land in excess of two flushing cisterns or flush valves.                             |                 |
| 2.6 | For the supply of sewerage services to a Class 5 parcel of chargeable land   | <b>\$310.50</b> |
|     | together with  | <b>\$269.10</b> |
|     | for each flushing cistern or flush valve situated on the parcel of chargeable land in excess of two flushing cisterns or flush valves.                             |                 |

## WATER

### 3. GENERAL

- 3.1 This instrument determines the monetary rates of charges that are payable to ACTEW for or in connection with the supply of water in accordance with the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 3.2 "The prescribed quantity of water" referred to in this Schedule is one kilolitre.
- 3.3 References to supply include "or availability of supply".

### 4. APPLICATION OF CHARGES

- 4.1 Standard Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 6 of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.

- 4.2 Multiple Domestic Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 7 of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.3 Units and Common Property Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 7A of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.4 University of Canberra Charges shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 7B of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.5 Australian National University Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 7C of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.6 Unmetered Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 8 of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.7 Unconnected Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 9 of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.
- 4.8 Short Tenancy Charge shall be applicable to supplies to a parcel of land referred to in Section 14 of the *Water Rates Act 1959*.

## 5. SCHEDULE OF CHARGES

### 5.1 Standard

The standard charge shall be at the rate of:

Supply charge to each parcel of land in each charging year	<b>\$125.00</b>
and for the first 275 kilolitres of water supplied in excess of the prescribed quantity of water	<b>38 cents per kilolitre</b>
and for all kilolitres of water supplied in excess of 276 kilolitres	<b>83 cents per kilolitre</b>
or in a case of water supplied to a school or church or ecclesiastical establishment for all kilolitres of water supplied in excess of 276 kilolitres	<b>41.5 cents per kilolitre</b>

## 5.2 Multiple Domestic

The multiple domestic charge shall be at the rate of:

for water supplied to each residential unit in each charging year **\$191.50**

## 5.3 Units and Common Property

The units and common property charge shall be at the rate of:

Supply charge to each residential unit in each charging year **\$125.00**

and for the first 275 kilolitres of water consumed in excess of the prescribed quantity of water **38 cents per kilolitre**

and for all kilolitres of water consumed in excess of 276 kilolitres **83 cents per kilolitre**

## 5.4 University of Canberra

The University of Canberra charge shall be at the rate of:

Supply charge to each parcel of land in each charging year **\$125.00**

and for the first 275 kilolitres of water supplied in excess of the prescribed quantity of water **38 cents per kilolitre**

and for all kilolitres of water supplied in excess of 276 kilolitres **83 cents per kilolitre**

## 5.5 Australian National University

The Australian National University charge shall be at the rate of:

Supply charge to each parcel of land in each charging year **\$125.00**

and for the first 275 kilolitres of water supplied in excess of the prescribed quantity of water **38 cents per kilolitre**

and for all kilolitres of water supplied in excess of 276 kilolitres **83 cents per kilolitre**

## 5.6 Unmetered Charge

The unmetered charge shall be at the rate of:

Supply charge to each parcel of land in each charging year **\$191.50**

**5.7 Unconnected Charge**

The unconnected charge shall be at the rate of:

Charge to each parcel of land in each charging year	<b>\$125.00</b>
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**5.8 Short Tenancy Charge**

The short tenancy charge shall be at the sum of:

- (i) an amount calculated in accordance with the formula  $AB/365$  where A is the number of days in the relevant period of tenancy; B is \$125.00; and
- (ii) the first 275 kilolitres of water supplied in excess of the quantity of water calculated in accordance with the following formula  $AC/365$  where A is the number of days in the relevant period of tenancy; C is the first 275 kilolitres of water supplied in excess of the prescribed quantity of water **38 cents per kilolitre**
- (iii) for all kilolitres of water supplied in excess of 276 kilolitres **83 cents per kilolitre**

**5.9** The charge for the sale of water from an ACTEW main otherwise than through a meter or to a parcel of land shall be **83 cents per kilolitre**

**5.10** Supply of water through a metered hydrant standpipe **83 cents per kilolitre**

**6. CHARGE FOR WATER ABSTRACTION**

Subject to a relevant price direction made under section 20 of the *Independent Pricing and Regulatory Commission Act* 1997 then being in effect, from 11 December 1999 the charges per kilolitre of water determined in 5.1, 5.3, 5.4, 5.5, 5.8, 5.9 and 5.10 above shall each be increased by 10 cents per kilolitre.

In respect of any meter reading period commencing before 11 December 1999 and ending after 11 December 1999, the charges payable in accordance with this determination are to be ascertained by application of a prorated daily usage water rate as though water used throughout that meter reading period was used in equal quantities on each day within that period.

**7. MISCELLANEOUS FEES**

The following Miscellaneous Fees under the Water Rates Act 1959 will apply.

7.1	Fee for a special reading of a water meter under section 18	<b>\$35.00</b>
7.2	Fee for testing of a water meter under subsection 21(1).	<b>\$100.00</b>
7.3	Fee payable upon request for a certificate showing the amount of rates that is payable in respect of a quantity of water or of a parcel of land under section 20(B).	<b>\$25.00</b>

**8. MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES**

8.1	Dishonoured cheque (admin charge) the greater of or	<b>\$11.00 per account</b> <b>\$26.00 per cheque</b>
8.2	Direct Debit Reject	<b>\$5.00 per reject</b>