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| Application No: | 5130 | Licence Serial No: | 2/27/28/083 |
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**ENVIRONMENT  
AGENCY**

## FULL LICENCE TO ABSTRACT WATER

The Environment Agency ("the Agency") grants this licence to: -

**YORKSHIRE WATER SERVICES LIMITED** ("the licence holder")

Western House  
Halifax Road  
Bradford  
BD6 2SZ

This licence authorises the licence holder to abstract water from the source of supply described in the Schedule of Conditions to this licence and subject to the provisions of that Schedule. The licence becomes effective on the relevant date shown below and shall remain in force until the date of expiry shown below.

**Signed**

S D Ross  
Water Resources Planning Manager

**Date of Issue** 31 October 2008

**Date Effective** 31 October 2008

**Date of Expiry** Not applicable

**Date of Original Issue** 8 February 1973

Environment Agency  
Coverdale House  
Aviator Court  
Clifton Moor  
York  
YO30 4GZ

The licence should be kept safe and its existence disclosed on any sale of the property to which it relates. Please read the 'important notes' on the cover to this licence.

Note: References to "the map" are to the map, which is attached to this licence.  
References to "the Agency" are to the Environment Agency or any successor body.

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Environment Act 1995  
Water Resources Act 1991 as amended by the Water Act 2003  
Water Resources (Abstraction and Impounding) Regulations 2006

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## SCHEDULE OF CONDITIONS

**1. SOURCE OF SUPPLY**

Inland waters known as the River Derwent at Loftsome Bridge

**2. POINT OF ABSTRACTION**

At National Grid Reference SE 702 297 marked "A" on the map.

**3. MEANS OF ABSTRACTION**

River intake with pumps.

**4. PURPOSES OF ABSTRACTION**

Public Water Supply

**5. PERIOD OF ABSTRACTION**

All Year.

**6. MAXIMUM QUANTITY OF WATER TO BE ABSTRACTED DURING THE SPECIFIED PERIOD**

114,000 cubic metres per day

30,400,000 cubic metres per year

In aggregate with licence 2/27/28/017 (Elvington) so that no more than the following volumes are abstracted:

\*305,000 cubic meters per day

94,841,000 cubic metres per year

\* Subject to condition 9.1 of this licence

Note: an hour means any consecutive 60 minute period, a day means any consecutive 24 hour period and a year means the 12 month period beginning on 1 April and ending on 31 March.

## 7. MEANS OF MEASUREMENT OF WATER ABSTRACTED

The licence holder shall use meters to measure quantities of water abstracted. The licence holder shall provide and install the meters before any abstraction takes place.

The licence holder shall position and install the meters in accordance with any written directions given by the Agency. The licence holder shall maintain the meters in a condition so as to measure quantities of water abstracted accurately, shall calibrate the meters regularly, in accordance with the recommendations of the manufacturer or at any time when required by the Agency, and shall replace the meters as necessary. The licence holder shall retain evidence of current certification for inspection by the Agency.

## 8. RECORDS

The licence holder shall take and record readings of the meters specified in condition 7 at the same time each day during the whole of the period during which abstraction is authorised or as otherwise approved in writing by the Agency.

Each record shall be kept and be made available during all reasonable hours for inspection by the Agency for a period of not less than 7 years.

A copy of the records or summary data from it shall be sent to the Agency within 14 days of being so directed in writing by the Agency.

## 9. FURTHER PROVISIONS

9.1 The abstraction on any day from the River Derwent at Loftsome Bridge under this licence and at Elvington under licence serial no. 2/27/28/017 shall not exceed the previous day's flow in the River Derwent as measured by the Agency's gauge at Buttercrambe at NGR SE 731 587.

## REASONS FOR CONDITIONS

Note: the following information is provided for information only. It does not form part of the licence.

Condition 9.1 is imposed for the protection of environmental, recreation and amenity aspects of relative watercourses and to prevent the derogation of existing protected rights.

## NOTES

The Agency will have regard to its *Abstraction Metering Good Practice Manual* (or equivalent guidance) in directing where the meters should be located or how they should be installed, in determining whether the meters measure accurately and/or are properly maintained and/or in judging whether it is necessary to require repair or replacement of the meters.

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## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

This licence was originally granted on 8 February 1973 to Kingston upon Hull Corporation. The following changes to the licence have taken place:

| Effective Date   | Summary of Change   |
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| 1 April 1974     | Yorkshire Water Authority became the holder of the licence by virtue of part IV of the Water Act 1973.    |
| 15 December 1976 | A variation was granted to increase the quantities authorised to be abstracted.                           |
| 31 July 1980     | Variation granted to increase the quantities authorised to be abstracted.                                 |
| 1 September 1989 | Yorkshire Water Services Ltd became the holder of the licence by virtue of part IV of the Water Act 1989. |
| Current Issue    | Licence amended to reduce the quantity by removal of Purpose A – for treatment plant operation            |



