

Statement of Significant Changes

In relation to the Wholesale
Charging Structures 2025/2026



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This statement of significant changes is published in line with the “Wholesale charging rules issued by the Water Services Regulation Authority under sections 66E and 117I of the Water Industry Act 1991” section A2.

We are required, no later than 13 October 2024, to inform stakeholders if we intend to make any significant changes to our primary charges.

As defined by Ofwat in the Wholesale Charging Rules, Wholesale Charges relate to the charges water and sewerage undertakers can impose on retailers for wholesale water and wastewater services.

We do not intend to make any changes to the wholesale charging structure or methodology for calculating such charges for 2025/2026.

Whilst we have not made any significant changes to methodology or introduced any new tariffs, we have seen an increase in our indicative Wholesale Charges bill assessment impact of between 6.3% to 24.0%.

We have targeted the revenue allowances from the published Ofwat Draft Determination and the YW submitted Draft Determination Representation for the PR24 price control.

Our final charges will be updated to align with the revenue allowances within the Ofwat Final Determination, which is currently due on the 19 December 2024, but may be delayed up until the 31 January 2025.

After taking into account the considerations noted above, we anticipate that the final Wholesale Charges will differ by more than an indexation variance to the indicative Wholesale Charges. As per the Wholesale Charging guidance we will publish the explanation of movements within the Board Assurance Statement, which will accompany the Final Wholesale Charges.

Thank you for reading



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