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Dear Jenny

**Water Resources Act 1991
Enforcement Position**

The Environment Agency confirms that it will not take enforcement action for failure to comply with the compensation requirements in the Reservoir Acts appended to this letter, provided that the alternative compensation requirements listed are met. The Environment Agency has taken this position because the alternative compensation requirements are better for the environment and for water supply.

This Enforcement Position is specific to Yorkshire Water only. It will remain in force until further notice.

All other existing permit conditions continue to apply as they are and the Environment Agency's normal enforcement procedures will apply in relation to any breaches of those conditions, or if we consider that the activities are likely to cause pollution of the environment or harm to human health or if such pollution or harm is caused. In that event, enforcement action may be taken against any party whom we consider is liable for any breach or pollution or harm.

If you require any further information regarding this local enforcement position please contact Karen Wooster on 0113 8196379 or at karen.wooster@environment-agency.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely

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Reservoir	Relevant Authorising Act or Order	Alternative Compensation Requirement
Beaver Dyke IRE	S.10 Harrogate Waterworks Act 1897	909 m3/d
Blackmoorfoot IRE to Brow Grains Dyke	S.28 Hudds Water Act 1869 (g). S.3 Hudds Water Act 1908 (h)	2,668 m3/d
Blackmoorfoot IRE to Hoyle House Clough	S.28 Hudds Water Act 1869 (g). S.3 Hudds Water Act 1908 (h)	612 m3/d
Booth Wood IRE	S.13 Wakefield & District Water Board (Boothwood Res) Order 1966 (a)	3,410 m3/d
Bosshaw Whams IRE	S.34 Huddersfield Corp Act 1937 and Abstraction Licence Serial No. 2/27/10/112	No minimum compensation discharge required
Butterley IRE	S.26 Huddersfield Corporation Waterworks Act 1890 (a) as amended by Schedule 3 of Hudds Corp Act 1965	8,068 m3/d
Carr Bottom IRE	Burley-in-Wharfedale Water Act 1899 (e)	85 m3/d
Castle Carr IRE	S.18 Halifax Corporation Waterworks Act 1888, S.59 Halifax Corporation Act 1902, Halifax Corporation Act 1949, superceded by Sch.7 Calderdale Water Board Order 1961 (as varied by NRA - 3 Nov 1969)	3,019 m3/d below Castle Carr, no compensation release from Varley Moor IRE
Deerhill IRE	S.30 Huddersfield Water Act 1869 as amended by Schedule 3 of Hudds Corp Act 1965	1,397 m3/d
Doe Park IRE	Bradford Waterworks Act 1854	3,600 m3/d or 1,800 m3/d (depending on stocks above or below control line)
Eldwick IRE	S.10 Shipley Waterworks & Police Act 1854	1,000 m3/d
Elsslack IRE	Barnoldswick UDC Water Act 1915 (d) Craven Water Board (Elsslack Reservoir) Order 1966 (e)	382 m3/d between 15 April and 14 October, 764 m3/d between 15 October and 14 April
Embsay IRE	Skipton Water & Improvement Act 1904 (f)	1,186 m3/d
Gorpley IRE	Sch.7 Calderdale Water Board Order 1961.	1,332 m3/d
Gouthwaite IRE	Bradford Corporation Water Act 1890 and 1892	YW operate the releases according to Gouthwaite rules of discharge which are amended from time to time by Gouthwaite Board of Management
Hewenden IRE	Bradford Water Act 1842 and Bradford Waterworks Act 1854	6,300 m3/d
Leighton IRE	S.8 Leeds Corporation Water Act 1901, Leeds Corporation Act 1907 as amended by YW (amendment) 1982	13,661 m3/d
Lindley Wood IRE	Leeds Corporation Act 1905	18,185 m3/d
Longwood IRE	Huddersfield Water Act 1845	No minimum compensation discharge required
Lumley Moor IRE	Ripon Corporation Act 1886	455 m3/d
March Ghyll IRE	Otley UDC Waterworks Act 1900 (I) and Licence App No. 1507 March Ghyll (revoked 2004). UDC Act mentioned within Abstraction Licence Serial No 2/27/20/196 River Wharfe at Arthington	636 m3/d
Ogden IRE	Halifax Improvement Act 1853. Halifax Corporation Act 1949, superceded by Sch.7 Calderdale Water Board Order 1961 (b)	3,416 m3/d from Ogden, no compensation release from Mixenden IRE
Reva IRE	Yeadon Waterworks Act 1889 (f). Yeadon Waterworks Act 1916 (g)	791 m3/d
Ringstone IRE	S.29 Wakefield Corporation Waterworks Act 1880 (b)	200 m3/d
River Colne at Marsden	S.27, S.28 Huddersfield Corporation Act 1965	7,274 m3/d maintained flow
Ryburn IRE	Agreement with Environment Agency dated 10 Dec 2009	5,903 m3/d
Scammonden IRE to Black Brook	S.27, S.28 Huddersfield Corporation Act 1965	3,491 m3/d
Scammonden IRE to Bradshaw Clough	S.27, S.28 Huddersfield Corporation Act 1965	1,364 m3/d
Slitheroe Bridge Weir (d/s Booth Wood &	Flow trial since 1980's - non statutory	18,000 m3/d maintained flow
Turvin Clough stream intake	S.10 Wakefield Water Order 1960	6,819 m3/d to be released only when abstracting
Weecher IRE	Baldon Local Water Act 1890 (h)	430 m3/d
Withens Clough IRE	S.23 Morley Corporation Water Act 1890 (d)	2,637 m3/d