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Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage, and Drainage Act 1909

Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws (No. 2) 2007

Made by the Minister under the *Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage*, and Drainage Act 1909 section 146 and the Water Agencies (Powers) Act 1984 section 34.

1. Citation

These by-laws are the Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage Amendment By-laws (No. 2) 2007.

2. The by-laws amended

The amendments in these by-laws are to the Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage By-laws 1981*.

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3. By-law 28.1 amended

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- (1) By-law 28.1 is amended as follows:
 - by inserting before "The discharge" the sub-bylaw designation "28.1.1";
 - (b) in paragraph (1) by deleting all of the paragraph after "thereof" and inserting instead —

for any of the following purposes —

- affixing an identification tag to any treatment apparatus referred to in paragraph (m) or otherwise marking such apparatus for the purposes of identification;
- removing an identification tag or mark (ii) referred to in subparagraph (i);
- taking samples of industrial waste for (iii) analysis and otherwise;
- (iv) inspecting the treatment apparatus;

(c) after paragraph (l) by inserting —

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- (la) The occupier of the property shall
 - (i) ensure, as far as practicable, that any identification tag or mark that the Corporation uses to identify the treatment apparatus under paragraph (l)(i) is not removed or defaced or otherwise damaged; and
 - (ii) as soon as practicable after the occupier becomes aware that any such tag or mark is removed or defaced or otherwise damaged, notify the Corporation of the removal or damage;

(d) in paragraph (m) by deleting the comma after "and";

(e) after paragraph (m) by inserting —

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- (ma) The occupier shall, after any cleansing or maintenance of a treatment apparatus required under paragraph (m) that is done on or after 1 July 2007
 - (i) notify the Corporation in writing of the cleansing or maintenance within 7 days after the day on which it is done; and
 - (ii) include in the notification the identification information on or in the tag or mark that the Corporation uses to identify the apparatus under paragraph (l)(i);
- (f) after paragraph (o) by deleting "and".
- (2) At the end of by-law 28.1 the following sub-bylaw is inserted —

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- 28.1.2 The Corporation may at any time, by notice in writing given to the occupier of a property from which industrial waste is permitted to be discharged
 - (a) vary or remove any condition of the permit imposed by the Corporation; or
 - (b) impose a new condition on the permit.

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4. Transitional provision

By-law 28.1 of the *Metropolitan Water Supply, Sewerage and Drainage By-laws 1981*, as amended by these by-laws, applies, after the commencement of these by-laws, in relation to a permit to discharge industrial waste, whether the permit is granted before, on or after that commencement.

JOHN KOBELKE, Minister for Water Resources.