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Commencing allocations for users in the Lowbidgee water source

NSW Water Commissioner, David Harriss, today announced commencing allocations for Murrumbidgee supplementary water (Lowbidgee) access licence holders.

Licence holders with a supplementary water (Lowbidgee) access licence will receive 1 megalitre per unit share or 100 percent of entitlement.

Mr Harriss said that the Murrumbidgee Regulated River Water Source was recently expanded to include the Lowbidgee Flood Control and Irrigation District, meaning that the users in this area are now subject to the rules of the Water Management Act 2000.

“Water taken in the Lowbidgee is now taken under a new subcategory of supplementary water access licence within the plan.

Mr Harriss reminded all water users that supplementary water must be taken only during periods of announced access.

Additional information on Available Water Determinations can be found on the NSW Office of Water's website at - **www.water.nsw.gov.au**

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