Annual Audit Compliance Report Form

Environmental Protection Act 1986, Part V

Section A – Licence Details				
Licence number:	L6796/1991/13	Licence file number:	DER2016/000585-1	
Licence holder:	Water Corporation			
Trading as:	Narrogin Wastewater Treatment Plant			
ABN:	28 003 434 917			
Registered address:	629 Newcastle Street, LEEDERVILLE, WA 6007			
Reporting period:	01/07/2021 to 30/06/2022			

Section B - Statement of Compliance with Licence Conditions

Did you comply with all of your licence conditions during the reporting period? (please tick the appropriate box)

☐Yes – please complete:

- · section C;
- · section D if required; and
- sign the declaration in Section F.

⊠No – please complete:

- · section C;
- section D if required;
- · section E; and
- sign the declaration at Section F.

Section C - Statement of Actual Production

Provide the actual production quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.

Prescribed Premises Category	Actual Production Quantity Av. Daily flow 897 m³ (details in Annual Report)	
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Section D - Statement of Actual Part 2 Waste Discharge Quantity

Provide the actual Part 2 waste discharge quantity for this reporting period. Supporting documentation is to be attached.

Prescribed Premises Category	Actual Part 2 Waste Discharge Quantity	

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Section E – Details of Non-Compliance with Licence Condition Please use a separate page for each condition with which the licence holder was non-compliant at a time during the reporting period.					
Details of non-com	pliance:				
The outflow meter	failed and intermittent dat	ta during this period was	unreliable.		
	al (or suspected) environr h maps or diagrams to prov e.				
No environmental i	mpact				
Cause (or suspecte	ed cause) of non-complia	nce:			
Failure of meter					
Action taken to miti non-compliance: Meter replaced 4 A		of non-compliance and	prevent recurrence of the		
Was this non-comp	oliance previously reporte	d to DWER?			
☑ No, and					
	OWER verbally or in	Date:			

Section E - Details of Non-Compliance with Licence Condition

Please use a separate page for each condition with which the licence holder was non-compliant at a time during the reporting period.

Condition no:

1.2.2, Table 1.2.2

Date(s) of noncompliance: 21 July – 16 August 2021

Details of non-compliance:

Condition 1.2.2, Table 1.2.2 requires:

- the sewage to undergo preliminary, process and secondary treatment; and
- treated sewage directed to the wetland cells prior to discharge to Narrogin Brook
 High rainfall caused flow from the plant to environment from access chamber 11 between July
 and August 2021 bypassing the secondary treatment and the wetlands. The discharge
 comprised untreated sewage from the inflow infrastructure and partially treated wastewater from
 Pond 1. This does not meet the licence requirements for treatment process and flow.

On 10 August an overflow occurred from the base of the trickling filter back to the ponds as additional flow from high rainfall could not be processed through the filter.

What was the actual (or suspected) environmental impact of the non-compliance?

NOTE – please attach maps or diagrams to provide insight into the precise location of where the non-compliance took place.

Low environmental impact. Flow in the Brook was high volume due to high rainfall and environmental impact was assessed as low.

Cause (or suspected cause) of non-compliance:

High rainfall over the incident period increased flow into the reticulation and the plant. This high flow was unable to be processed through the system and was discharged to the Brook partially treated.

Action taken to mitigate any adverse effects of non-compliance and prevent recurrence of the non-compliance:

Site works have been undertaken in accordance with works approval to prevent recurrence of overflows within expected rainfall events.

Was this non-compliance previously reported to DWER?

☑ Yes, and

☑ Reported to DWER verbally or in document

Date: 21/7/21; 31/7/21

Section F - Declaration

I/We declare that the information in this Annual Audit Compliance Report is true and correct and is not false or misleading in a material particular¹. I/We consent to the Annual Audit Compliance Report being published on the Department of Water and Environmental Regulation's (DWER) website.

Signature²:

Name: (printed)

Position:

Date:

Seal (if signing under seal):

¹ It is an offence under section 112 of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* for a person to give information on this form that to their knowledge is false or misleading in a material particular.

² AACRs can only be signed by the licence holder or an authorised person with the legal authority to sign on behalf of the licence holder.