



Water Resources (Scotland) Act 2013

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PART 7

WATER SHORTAGE ORDERS

Recommendations and directions

46 Recommendations issuable

- (1) If Scottish Water believes that there is a threat of a serious deficiency of water supplies in an area, it must—
 - (a) publicise the threat in the area, and
 - (b) recommend that people in the area comply with such water saving measures as it considers will assist in abating the threat.
- (2) Scottish Water must take such steps as it considers appropriate to bring its recommendation under subsection (1)(b) to the attention of people in the area.

47 Directions on functions

- (1) The Scottish Ministers may give Scottish Water directions as to the exercise of its functions under a water shortage order.
- (2) Scottish Water must comply with directions given to it under subsection (1).
- (3) Directions under subsection (1) may vary or revoke earlier such directions.
- (4) This section is without prejudice to any other enactment providing for the Scottish Ministers to give directions to Scottish Water.