Oil Division, at the above address, on 30th September 1986, or 7th May 1987. No application will be accepted outside these times. All applications should be accompanied by the fee calculated in accordance with Regulation 10 (1). Guidance Notes on the material with which applicants may support the application and on its presentation are available from the Department at the above address.

Conditions

In all cases where the Secretary of State favourably considers an application, a licence will be offered on condition that, within 14 working days of the date on which the Secretary of State makes the offer, the applicant:

(a) confirms his aceptance of a work programme proposed by the Secretary of State following discussion with the applicant; and

(b) remits to the Secretary of State the appropriate payment for the licence.

Where an applicant is successful in an application for an exploration licence under the above Regulations for the whole or part of the original exploration licence area, the Secretary of State will be prepared to consider, without commitment, arrangements to effect a surrender of the relevant area comprised in the existing exploration licence so as to enable the new exploration licence to take immediate effect.

Consideration for Exploration Licences

The Secretary of State, with the consent of the Treasury, has determined that until further notice the consideration for exploration licences under the above Regulations shall be, upon the aceptance of the offer of a licence, a non-recurrent fee calculated at the rate of £75 per square billometra in the licenced area. kilometre in the licensed area.

Public Notices

WATER RESOURCES ACT

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR LICENCE TO ABSTRACT WATER

Notice is hereby given that an application is being made to the Yorkshire Water Authority by A., J. and M. Scott, Hunsdale Farm, Southcave, Brough, North Humberside HU15 2DB, for a licence to abstract the following quantities of water from a catchpit in the drift sands and gravels at NGR SE 926 298 in the parish of Ellerker, District of Beverley, North Humberside, 2,034,000 gallons per annum, 99,000 gallons per day, 9,000 gallons per hour. Further details of the application are: The water is required for spray irrigation purposes between the months of April to September inclusive each year.

A copy of the application and of any map, plan or other documents submitted with it, may be inspected free of charge at the above address at all reasonable hours during the period beginning on 29th July 1986, and ending on 26th August 1986.

on 26th August 1986.

Any person who wishes to make representations about the application should do so in writing to the Water Resources Manager, Yorkshire Water, Rivers Division, 21 Park Square South, Leeds LS1 2QG, before the end of

the said period.

A. Scott (764)

24th July 1986.

NORTH-WEST WATER AUTHORITY

DROUGHT ACT 1976

Temporary use of Pumps to Abstract Water (including Compensation Water) from Ennerdale

Notice is hereby given that the North West Water Authority has applied to the Secretary of State for the Environment for an Order under section 1 of the Drought Act 1976, to authorise the temporary (i.e., until 31st October 1986), use of pumps to abstract the compensation water and also water required for supply from Ennerdale Water.

The reason for this application is that the Authority's present licence serial No. 27/74C/3/S/B only authorises the abstraction from Ennerdale Water of water required for supply and for compensation water by gravity. In

for supply and for compensation water by gravity. In order therefore to maintain abstraction of water from the lake for water supply and compensation water purposes, if the lake level continues to fall, the Authority will have

to resort to pumping.

At the present time the Authority is not seeking to reduce the compensation water flow of 32 megalitres per

day.

Any objections to the proposed Order must be made in writing to the Secretary of State for the Environment, Room B449, Romney House, 43 Marsham Street, London S.W.1, within seven days of publication of this notice, and it is required that a copy of any such objection be sent at the same time to the undersigned.

W. H. Cracke,
Water Authority. H. Crackle, Secretary and Solicitor, North West

24th July 1986.

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ROAD TRAFFIC ACTS

THE COUNTY OF DEVON

The County of Devon (Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road) (50 m.p.h. Speed Limit and Speed Derestriction) Order 1986.

Notice is hereby given that the Devon County Council propose to make an Order under sections 82 (2) and 83 (3) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

When the Order comes into effect:

(1) You will not be allowed to drive any vehicle at a speed exceeding 50 m.p.h. in the following lengths of road:

Eastern Distributor Road, from a point 60 metres north-east of its junction with Blundells Road to a point 33 metres north-east of its junction with Lower Moor Road.

Queensway from its junction with the Eastern Distributor Road north-west for a distance of 20 metres.

Northern Distributor Road, from its junction with the Eastern Distributor Road north-west for a distance of 25 metres.

Lower Moor Road, from its junction with the Eastern Distributor Road south-east for a distance of 22 metres.

(2) The 30 m.p.h. speed restriction on the following lengths of road will be removed:

Eastern Distributor Road, from a point 33 metres north-east of its junction with Lower Moor Road to a roundabout on the north-east side of the North Devon Link Road (A373).

Little Gornhay Lane, from the roundabout on the north-east side of the North Devon Link Road (A373) north-east for a distance of 17 metres.

North Devon Link Slip Roads, at Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road Junction:

East Bound Exit Slip Road, from its junction with the Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road for a distance of 55 metres westwards.

East Bound Entry Slip Road, from its junction with the Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road for a distance of 55 metres eastwards.

West Bound Exit Slip Road, from its junction with the Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road for a distance of 55 metres eastwards.

West Bound Entry Slip Road, from its junction with the Tiverton Eastern Distributor Road for a distance of 55 metres westwards.

Details of the proposal are contained in the draft Order which, together with a plan showing the affected lengths of road and a statement of the County Council's reasons for proposing to make the Order, may be examined during usual office hours Monday to Friday, at the offices